March – Hygiene items: soap, washcloths, toothbrushes, combs, hair brushes, hair items, bandaids

April – Accessories for girls: flip flops, t-shirts, socks, sunglasses, small flashlights

May –Accessories for boys: flip-flops, socks, t-shirts, sunglasses, small flashlights

June – small toys for boys: (no guns or war figures), small balls, Slinky’s, die cast small cars, small stuffed animals, marbles, small tools for older boys

July – small toys for girls: small balls, jump ropes, small stuffed animals, craft kits, garden gloves, garden shovel for older girls

August – school supplies: pencils ,notebook paper, pens, chalk, crayons, colored pencils, small coloring books, erasers, pencil sharpeners, calculator, small children’s scissors, glue sticks small composition books ( no liquid glue, all need to fit into a shoebox)

September –WOW items for boys: soccer balls with pump, large trucks or cars, stuffed animals (must fit into a shoebox).

October –WOW items for girls: stuffed animals, dolls, soccer balls with pump, (all must fit into a shoebox)

Shoe Box Age Categories: Boys ages 2 -4, 5-9, 10-14

Girls ages 2-4, 5-9, 10-14

**Items NOT allowed: No liquids, No toothpaste, No seeds, no medicines or vitamins, no war toys, no guns, NO CANDY. No Food items**

October 22 – Shoeboxes available in Welcome Center

November 10 Set up for Packing Party in Fellowship Hall

November 12 – Lunch after church and Packing Party

**November 19 – all shoeboxes due**

November 13 – 20, 2023 OCC US Wide National Collection Week

**Place items in collection boxes marked OCC.**