

## Minute for Mission

**WHEN TO USE:** *Souper Bowl of Caring Sunday*

Today, 130 million people all over the world will tune in to the Super Bowl football game. There will be parties with abundant food, friendship and fellowship. At the same time, there will be people worrying about clothing their families, looking for shelter and hoping for a warm meal. Today our youth join tens of thousands of other youth around the country to demonstrate God's love by loving our neighbors through a different kind of bowl.., the Souper Bowl of Caring.

It's a simple, yet significant act of caring for others. We will hold soup pots at church doors today to collect money for those who are hungry and hurting. In 2009, over 13,000 groups participated in the Souper Bowl of Caring, generating over \$10 million. Our church will donate our entire Souper Bowl collection to (*charity name*). Since the Souper Bowl of Caring began in 1990, over \$60 million has been given to help those in need. None of this money ever goes to the Souper Bowl of Caring headquarters. Please support us today in this effort to "love our neighbors" by dropping your dollar in the soup pot as you leave today.

Those who need help may not know the name of the person who cared, but God does. And our young people are developing hearts for giving that can last a lifetime. Thank you.