

## CHILDREN'S PRAYER GUIDE SPRING 2019

### LOVE LINK EL SALVADOR

On a sunny day in El Salvador, the lake was swimming with ducks, but not the kind of ducks that you might think. These weren't the ones that fly over our head, quacking as they go. These were bright and colorful RUBBER ducks, just like the ones babies like to play with in the bathtub! These rubber ducks were swimming the lake on a very important mission. A race! They raced each other across the lake to raise money for a special cause. Love Link is a ministry that takes care of little babies and small children that don't have enough food to eat, and those ducks were swimming to support them!

Love Link has taken care of kids like this for many years. They let the kids stay with them and get plenty of food until they're healthy and ready to go home! If they're sick, the doctors and nurses at Love Link help them to get better. Even their families get to have extra food and learn how to take good care of each other once the kids return home.

There is an island not far from Love Link that has a lot of families that need help. Most of the families are poor and aren't able to buy enough food. Since there's not a bridge to the island, Love Link packs a boat up with food for the families so that everyone will have plenty to eat. The boat also brings doctors and nurses to help when there are people not feeling well.

The rubber ducks started making their way across the lake just like the boats do to the Island! You may have heard of a walk-a-thon or charity race that was sponsored by donations... these ducks were also sponsored! Many people bought rubber ducks for the race. 1,200 ducks in all! What a big race! The money that people paid for the ducks is helping to feed children. Lots of people noticed the ducks and asked questions, so it was a great time to tell them about Love Link. Businesses also donate crafts and other products to be sold by Love Link. These special (and fun!) events are helping children in the baby house to grow and get healthy, and to send food by boat to children on the island.



