

You are invited
to help (or learn how you can help)
with
the humanitarian crisis that has developed
at the border.

Thursday, June 13, 6:30pm
at
Episcopal Church of the Epiphany Parish Hall
Corner of Elm and Beaver
(Parking/entry behind the church)

*Co-sponsored by Social Justice Allies (SJA) of Beacon UU Congregation
and
Northern Arizona Interfaith Council*

Sharon Kopina, a leader with *Somos America* (We are America), will present a community program about (1) the current situation for asylum seekers at the border and (2) the work of this 501c3 humanitarian aid organization. *Somos America* provides bags of travel-size food items at the Phoenix bus depot to asylum seekers boarding buses to continue their 2-4 day journeys to be with family members in various cities across this country during immigration processing.

Beacon folks who donated to our *Somos America* collection last month are certainly not expected to contribute again. However, if you missed that opportunity, we welcome your donations when you attend the program on June 13! Discount stores, like dollar stores and Sam's Club (if you're a member) carry at least some of these items.

From experience, *Somos America* has learned which specific TRAVEL-SIZE items these immigrants need for their trips:

- Small packs of ritz crackers with peanut butter or cheese filling**
- SOFT granola bars**
- Applesauce cups or fruit cups**
- Boxed tuna or chicken salad with crackers**
- Peanuts in SMALL bags**

THEY ALSO NEED SIZE 2 or 3 DIAPERS

Thank you for caring, and for your generosity.