# Mission, Projects & Activities

#### **Mission Statement**

The mission of Migrant Worker Outreach is to provide educational, social and recreational activities, and to offer material assistance to migrant farm workers and their families. Assistance and services may also be provided to seasonal farm workers, immigrants and other low wage earners and their families, as resources allow.

We initiate and support programs designed to promote good will toward our target population. We facilitate contact between migrant workers and local communities that receive them. We work to build connections between established residents and those who have recently arrived or who are here for seasonal farm work.

### Our Motto

# We welcome migrant workers to New Jersey!

# **Projects & Activities**

During the six to seven week blueberry harvest in June and July our volunteers visit 25-30 migrant camps to welcome migrant workers and their families. We teach English classes and we organize recreational activities including art nights, storytelling nights, and field trips. We distribute donated welcome gifts including toiletries, clothing, and bedding. We publish the Migrant Teen Journals which are distributed free.

We facilitate the involvement of other

organizations, groups and individuals in outreach to the migrant population. We are Community Partners with Stockton University. Hammonton Rotary Club has been a long-standing supporter of our English classes. To see who helped us welcome migrant workers last summer, go to the home page and click on Volunteers, Supporters, Donors. You will find many of our supporters on our FaceBook page, Migrant Worker Outreach of South Jersey, which can also be accessed from our Home Page.



Hope Community Gardeners of Medford donate produce for migrant workers and their families.