

Outreach Council Summary Report
February 2, 2013

Action Items

- World Outreach committee requests adding the **Reconciliation Special Day offering** to our annual outreach special offerings. This occurs the last Sunday in September. This offering supports the Reconciliation Ministry of the Disciples of Christ, which makes grants to regions and churches to address the root causes of poverty and racism. Jim Tingle assisted a town in which he served in Texas to add a gate between the white and black sections of the city cemetery to enable black funeral processions to access their part of the cemetery. This first step was paid for from Reconciliation funds of the Disciples and began a process of opening up the city cemetery to burials without regard to race. I estimate that this offering would garner between \$100 and \$300 annually. It is well within the ethos and mission of Cherry Log Christian Church to publicize and participate in this historic special offering of the Disciples of Christ.
- We already receive the other special day offering – Week of Compassion – in February. None of our regular tithe to Disciples Mission funds goes to either of these two offerings.
- I would like some suggestions on persons to invite to a meeting of the health ministry to revive this needed committee.