

Wesley-Rankin Community Center of Dallas, Texas, was pleased to participate in the 2008 Payless Gives Shoes 4 Kids Program<sup>i</sup> this December as it was another tangible means to reward families that give back to their communities through service and participate in the center's Care4Kids and Families Program. Many of the participants are single parent homes with three or more children where income is low, but value to family and community are high.



Wesley-Rankin believes in rewarding those who sacrifice their time and effort to promote a safer and healthier community. That is why every year, the center offers people like Ana and her family the chance for a merrier Christmas through the distribution of goods like toys, clothing, and family items. With the help of the 2008 Payless Gives Shoes 4 Kids Program, Wesley-Rankin provided 80 needy children in the West Dallas area a brand new pair of shoes this holiday season.

Pictured are above Ana and three of her five children – Antonio (7), Ana Margarita (15) and Gabriel (6 months). Antonio's smile (pictured with his new shoes) is big enough to express the happiness of his entire family. Thank you Payless for your continued dedication to helping children receive their most basic needs.

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<sup>i</sup> The 2008 Payless Gives Shoes 4 Kids Program is the first-ever national, grass roots campaign to deliver \$1 million in free shoes to children of families in need.