By the numbers:

From October 1, 2010 – September 30, 2011,

729 individual donors

Gave 1502 gifts to Penick Village.

Totaling \$389,663.67

Average gift size = \$259.

The "priceless" part = 100% of Penick Village residents knew they were safely at home here, even if circumstances depleted their funds.



Sharing

By Lari Powell Hatley, Director of Development

I often think about that small boy whose story is told and re-told in each of the gospels, the one with the loaves and fishes. Asked to give up his lunch, was there a moment when he might have thought, "It's mine. I planned ahead. Several loaves. Several fish. I can have lunch and dinner." Whatever he thought, we know he gave what he had, small though it was, and God made it enough, and not just enough for the boy; it was enough to feed thousands and have leftovers.

What an example! He trusted God, did what Jesus asked, shared his material wealth, and what happened? He was a catalyst for one of the best known miracles of all times.

So what does this have to do with you? What does it have to do with Penick Village? Penick is filled with people who planned ahead, people who would have brought loaves and fishes to the hillside (and have often shared.) Penick is filled with people who set examples for their families, their communities, and for us.

When you look at the list of names of people who support Penick Village, you will find the list full of residents' names. They give because they know life takes turns one never expected. Funds can fail at a time when the choice to secure a job or not is gone. Unexpected events – catastrophic illness, failed markets, death of a spouse – can mean funds are depleted, while life continues.

The residents at Penick Village know that if we each give what we have – our loaves and fishes – God will make it enough; and Penick Village will be the hillside filled with families satisfied and gathering leftovers for another day.

Income Sources for the fiscal year 2010 – 2011

Revenue from residents = 87% Misc. Income = 7% Benevolent Assistance = 3% Contributions = 3%

Expenses for fiscal year 2010 – 2011

Services for Residents = 24%
Maintenance and Housekeeping = 18%
Nursing = 37%
Administrative, Marketing and Development = 21%