

HELPING OUT

Monsanto Co. made a \$930,000 grant to Washington University to support graduate student research in life sciences.

Coldwell Banker Gundaker employees raised and donated \$124,000 to the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Metro St. Louis.

Missouri credit unions donated \$100,000 to help fund a specially adapted home in Festus for Marine Cpt. Justin McCloud, who became a triple amputee after being seriously injured on duty in Afghanistan.

The Express Scripts Foundation donated \$50,000 to Casa de Salud.

The St. Louis Association of Realtors' Housing Assistance Fund donated more than \$37,000 to 28 charities that assist the homeless in St. Louis, St. Louis County and the St. Charles area.

First Community Credit Union and its employees donated \$5,000 to the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Metro St. Louis.

The law firm of **Behr, McCarter & Potter PC** raised and donated more than \$3,000

to the St. Patrick Center in St. Louis.

The Electrical Connection donated \$3,000 to the annual "Shop with a Cop" charity sponsored by the St. Francois County Sheriff's Association.

Vantage Credit Union members and employees donated \$2,789 in gifts to the annual Cardinals Care Christmas Party.

Enterprise Holdings Foundation donated \$1,500 to Jefferson Regional Medical Center in Crystal City for Jefferson Regional's graduate nurse residency program.

Gorman & Gorman Home Loans and Security Title donated \$1,158 to Homers for the Homeless.

First Bank employees and volunteers in Granite City donated \$420 to the Community Care Center in Granite City

Members of the Realtor Association of Southwestern Illinois donated hundreds of canned goods to the Community Interfaith Food Pantry in Belleville and dozens of toys to the Griffin Center in East St. Louis.

