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Anglican Aid Overview

In the 2017-18 financial year, Anglican Aid's average contribution to its partners was:

\$32,949.36

And we supported a total of

122 projects in...





ACROSS...



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PROJECT CATEGORIES

Anglican Aid supported projects in:



BIBLICAL LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT (28)



COMMUNITY CARE (23)



DEVELOPMENT (50)



EMERGENCY RELIEF AND WELFARE (12)



OVERSEAS MINISTRY (9)

Chairman's Report

Dear friends,

The gathering of almost 2000 Anglican leaders in Jerusalem for the *GAFCON* meeting in June 2018 was a wonderful reminder that we do not labour alone, but that we are one part of a world-wide church body.

The stories, however, that were shared at *GAFCON* of the material and spiritual poverty that persists in so much of the world also remind me of the urgency that we must bring to our work at Anglican Aid. We must continue to raise much-needed funds that bring emergency relief, as well as longer term development projects. We must also work with our partners to combat attitudes and beliefs about things such as disability and violence towards women and children – attitudes that perpetuate poverty and human misery. Training community leaders is a key part of this work.

We were sorry to farewell the Rev. Rob Stewart from the board during the year. I have appreciated Rob's thoughtful and conscientious contribution to Anglican Aid over the past six years. I am pleased to announce that Sally Bathgate has been appointed to fill the board vacancy. Sally has shown her heart for people in need through her advocacy for refugees in Australia and the Middle East.

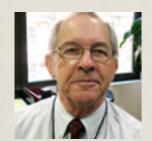
Anglican Aid is a Christian aid agency—we care for the poor, the sick and the vulnerable because we believe that all people are created in the image of God and are loved by him. Thank you for your financial and prayerful support over the past year. Through your generosity, you show the same love as the good Samaritan who Jesus commended. I pray that you will be encouraged as you read the stories in this report of so many lives transformed by God's mercy.





Bishop Peter Tasker CHAIRMAN

Board Members



BISHOP PETER TASKER

Archbishop of Sydney's Bishop for International Relations



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MRS SALLY BATHGATE

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From: 23 April 2018

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CEO's Report

Dear friends,

I think that one of the most commonly used words in the Anglican Aid office is 'partnership'. As an organisation, we do very little on our own - virtually all our work is done together with others. Partnership is at the heart of what we do.

We partner with you, our donors, to raise funds. We partner with organisations and churches in the developing world to implement aid and development projects. We partner with churches, schools and other community groups in Australia to spread awareness about the importance of caring for people in need.

Of course, this is a practical example of Paul's teaching in *Ephesians*. As Christians, we are not separate individuals working for our own ends, instead we are part of a body that each has its own part to play, and yet works together:

From him [Christ] the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work. **Ephesians 4:16**

FIELD VISITS

As usual, I have spent much of the year on the road, visiting partners and meeting with potential partners, in places including the Seychelles, Madagascar, Namibia, South Africa, Zimbabwe, Zambia, and Pakistan. Staff have also visited Jordan, India, Thailand and Vanuatu. For all the wonders of modern communications technology, it is so important that we see the work that Anglican Aid is funding at first hand.

As I travel, I am struck by the complex issues that make it so hard for communities to escape poverty – whether it is the particular climate or agricultural conditions of a region, tribal politics and history, or traditional beliefs and practices of a people group. We can be most effective in our work when we have a good understanding of the local conditions that affect our projects. Field visits are essential to this work.

GRACE ABOUNDING BOOKS

2017-18 saw Anglican Aid branch out into the world of book publishing, under the imprint 'Grace Abounding Books.' We published two books in November 2017 - Tea & Thread and The Chappo Collection.

We were thrilled to team up with authors Sally Bathgate and Katrina Flett Gulbrandsen to publish *Tea & Thread.* It is a beautiful book that records the stories of 17 women, all of whom were forced to flee their homes by conflict in the Middle East. Proceeds from the sale of *Tea & Thread* are going to refugee support projects in the Middle East. The book, by telling the stories of these refugee women in such a moving and personal way, has also done a great work in raising community awareness in Australia about the plight of refugee women.

We also published The Chappo Collection, a collection of stories by and about the inestimable John Chapman. John was convinced of the importance of rigorous training for church leaders, and invested much of his own time and energy teaching at Bible colleges and conferences. It is

fitting that proceeds from the sale of this book are funding places at theological colleges across Africa. I am so grateful to the generous seed funding from a number of donors which underwrote the costs of producing the book.

STAFFING

I continue to be thankful for the hardworking staff team at Anglican Aid. What a blessing it is to work with a group of people who share such a unity of purpose and sense of humour! In the past year, Faith Costin and Bronte Rivers left the Anglican Aid staff team. We welcomed Lika Phua to our donor relations team at the start of 2018, and Amy Touzell has joined us as Communications Officer. We have had a number of interns working with us through 2017-18: Alice Hung, Cameron Jansen, Marianne Gillespie and Bree Turkington. Alice and Cameron have continued with us in part time roles following the end of their internship. Rachel Sugrim worked with us over the summer, packing and sending out book orders.

GAFCON

Anglican Aid was pleased to support the GAFCON Jerusalem 2018 conference by administering donations to enable church leaders from many parts of the developing world to attend. It was a great privilege to participate in the meeting myself, along with Eddie Ozols and Aiden McCorkindale. So many of our partners, particularly from east Africa, were there, and it was wonderful to join together with them.



IMAGE: Ross Anderson and David Mansfield preparing to ride in the Cape Town Cycle Tour

campaign, which took place in March 2018, was another highlight of the year. As well as raising funds for clean water, the campaign has been a great way of connecting with new audiences. As part of Waterworks, we visited a number of churches and schools

across the diocese.

WATERWORKS FOR A THIRSTY WORLD

PARTNERSHIP WITH MSDAC

Our second Waterworks for a Thirsty World In 2016, Synod established the Ministry in Socially Disadvantaged Areas Committee (MSDAC) under the chairmanship of Bishop Peter Hayward. Anglican Aid attends meetings of the committee, which coordinates how the Sydney diocese works in areas of social disadvantage. Anglican Aid has a long history of supporting church ministry in these areas (since 1934), through the Community Care Program. Working in conjunction with MSDAC, we propose to increase the number of church ministries that help people in need in these areas

from 11 to 20 over the next three years. In May 2018, we launched a campaign to raise funds to enable this work to expand.

INDUSTRY ACCREDITATION

Our Overseas Relief and Aid Fund is a member of the Australian Council for International Development (ACFID) and is a signatory to ACFID's Code of Conduct. This code was substantially revised in 2016. This prompted a review of our policies and procedures regarding our overseas development projects to ensure we continue to meet our membership obligations. This was a substantial piece of work for our projects team and the Board.

We continue to be active members of CMA, and have just completed our first review of our CMA Standards Council accreditation.

We take these external memberships and accreditation seriously, as a reflection of our commitment to good governance.

Thank you for your participation in our work over the past year, for your concern for those who have so little. I pray that the Lord will bless you richly as you serve him.

Grace abounding,

The Rev. David Mansfield CEO



IMAGE: Helen and David Mansfield meet at Bunda Girls Secondary School with Headmistress, Deninsia Jerome (right).

Australian Partners

A number of our projects are supported by Australian partners, who raise funds and awareness for the following projects.

Bunda Girls Secondary School	Grace and Mercy Foundation
Mara Young Men's Vocational Training	Christ Church St Ives
Bunda Primary School (Shalom)	Grace and Mercy Foundation
Kanga Kids	
Heart of Mercy Elementary Christian School	
Tokidz	Mellux
Jitegemee Tailoring Centre (MU Mara)	Mother's Union Sydney
Rock Solid Education	St Swithun's, Pymble
Gorkha Rehabilitation and Community Empowerment (GRACE) Project	International Nepal Fellowship Australia
Umthombo weMpilo	Friends of Christ Church, Hillbrow
Chainat Disabilities	The Geoff Wilson Fund
Sustainable Livelihoods (Kitgum)	St David's Cathedral, Hobart
Eagle Vale Community Services	Eagle Vale Anglican Church
Eye Openers	Eye Openers International
Shamrock School	
Fisher's Net	Friends of Grace, Love, Truth
Women and Children's Development	Growing Hope Australia
Rebuilding SU Campsite	Scripture Union NSW
St Andrew's School Hyderabad	Friends of St Andrew's School, Hyderabad
Child Transformation (Parivarthana)	Transformation International (Parivarthana)
Projek Bali Kids	Friends of Bali
Zambia's Child	Blessed to Bless Inc.
Rough Edges	St John's, Darlinghurst
Lily of the Valley	Friends of Lily of the Valley
Faisalabad School for Peace	Work for Peace International
Nghe An Pure Water	Viet-Aust Bac Ai Association (VABAA)
Ninh Thuan Healthcare Station	Viet-Aust Bac Ai Association (VABAA)

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COUNTRY	PROJECT NAME	CATEGORY	FUND*	IAX DE
DEVELOPENT		dh		
ndia	Child Transformation (Parivarthana)	9	AA	√
ndonesia	Projek Bali Kids	9	ORAF	√
1yanmar	Women and Children's Development	9	AA	√
akistan	Miracle Ministries	9	AA	√
Rwanda	Egg a Day	9	ORAF	√
South Africa	Lily of the Valley	9	AA	✓
China	Take Flight	بغ	ORAF	√
ndia	Anugrah Disabilities	ė.	ORAF	✓
Nepal	Gorkha Rehabilitation and Community Empowerment (GRACE) Project	ڿ	ORAF	✓
South Africa	Timion Disability Counselling and Community Development	ė.	ORAF	\checkmark
anzania	Karagwe Disabilities	ė.	ORAF	√
Thailand	Chainat Disabilities	Ċ	AA	\checkmark
ndia	St Andrew's School Hyderabad		AA	√
ebanon	Good Shepherd School for Syrian Refugees		AA	\checkmark
Pakistan	Faisalabad School for Peace		AA	V
Sierra Leone	Kanga Kids		AA	\checkmark
outh Africa	Fisher's Net		AA	\checkmark
South Africa	Intsika Community Outreach		AA	V
anzania	Bunda Girls Secondary School		AA	\checkmark
- Tanzania	Bunda Primary School (Shalom)		AA	√
Jganda	AmFuture		AA	V
Zambia	Tokidz		AA	√
Zambia	Hope and Faith School		AA	√
Zambia	Zambia's Child		ORAF	V
Zimbabwe	Heart of Mercy Elementary Christian School		AA	√
Zimbabwe	Rock Solid Education		AA	V
Egypt	Refugee Assistance and Medical Program (RAMP)	Ô	ORAF	√
ndia	Eye Openers	Ô	AA	✓
akistan	Victoria Memorial Hospital, Multan	Ô	ORAF	▽
South Africa	Othandweni Respite Unit	Ô	AA	√
/ietnam	Ninh Thuan Healthcare Station	Ö	AA	▽
South Africa	REACH Restoration	Ö	ORAF	▼
iji	Taveuni Fishing Livelihoods	ál	AA	▼
Philippines	BERTH Community Development	ill ill	AA	▼
Tanzania		7	AA	▼
Tanzania	Mara Young Men's Vocational Training		ORAF	
	Buhemba Community Food Sustainability Project			
Tanzania	Mothers' Union Tailoring Project	<u> </u>	AA	√
Jganda	Sustainable Livelihoods (Kitgum)		ORAF	✓
imbabwe.	Honeyworld		ORAF	✓
anzania	Kemondo Capacity Building	(other)	AA	√
Jganda	UCU Riley and Humphries Scholarships	(other)	AA	√
/anuatu	Rebuilding SU Campsite	(other)	AA	√
Ethiopia	Support for Life (Heading North)	(other)	AA	√
thiopia	Child Survival Ethiopia Local Training Program		ORAF	V
anzania	Rorya Water and Sanitation		ORAF	√
Tanzania	Mugumu Safe House Clean Water		ORAF	\checkmark
/ietnam	Nghe An Pure Water		AA	\checkmark
ndia	Bangalore Women's Safe House	1	AA	√
South Africa	Umthombo weMpilo	1	ORAF	\checkmark
'anuatu	SAVE House (Women's Care Centre)	1	ORAF	√
IBLICAL LEADE	RSHIP DEVELOPMENT			
atin America	Sami Nagib	ହଳିକ	AA	\checkmark
RC	Aru Leadership Development	ୁଖିକ	AA	√
DC	Church Partnership	2 Î	AA	√
RC			AA	√
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RC	Church Partnership Bukavu Leadership Development		AA	\checkmark
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COUNTRY	PROJECT NAME	CATEGORY	FUND*	TAX DED.
BIBLICAL LEADER	SHIP DEVELOPMENT (CONTINUED)			
DRC	Church Partnership (Nord Kivu)	ଉଥିକ	AA	\checkmark
DRC	Church Partnership (Aru)	alia	AA	✓
DRC	Kindu Leadership Development (Berea Bible College)	ହଳିକ	AA	\checkmark
Ethiopia	Gambella Leadership Development (St Frumentius College)	କ୍ଷିତ	AA	√
Kenya	Katakwa Community Leadership Program (TEE)	ହାଁଳ	AA	\checkmark
South Africa	Johannesburg Bible College	alia	AA	√
South Africa	George Whitefield College Scholarships	ୁଖିତ	AA	\checkmark
South Africa	Hope for Africa (George Whitefield College)	କ୍ଷିତ	AA	√
Tanzania	Mara Leadership Development (Uganda Christian University)	କ୍ଷିତ	AA	\checkmark
Tanzania	Mara Community Leadership Program (TEE)	o lie	AA	✓
Tanzania	Rorya Leadership Development (Kowak Theological College)	ହାଳିକ	AA	\checkmark
Tanzania	Tarime Leadership Development (Uganda Christian University)	o li c	AA	√
Tanzania	Mara Leadership Development (Bunda Bible College)	ହାନିତ	AA	\checkmark
Tanzania	Morogoro Leadership Development (St John's University)	อทั้ง	AA	√
Uganda	Uganda Leadership Development (Uganda Christian University)	ଲ୍ଲୀନ	AA	\checkmark
South Sudan	Kajo Keji (SSU) Leadership Development (Kajo-Keji Christian College)	çi fi ç	AA	V
COMMUNITY CAR	E			
Australia	COACH	-	AA	√
Australia	Eagle Vale Community Services		AA	√
Australia	Healthy Families, Healthy Communities	-	AA	✓
Australia	Lawn Care and Love		AA	✓
Australia	Break the Cycle (Glenquarie)	-	AA	✓
Australia	Jesus Club Partnership		AA	✓
Australia	Riverwood Lunch & Leisure Program	-	AA	✓
Australia	Building Community and Leadership		AA	✓
Australia	One4Life	-	AA	√
Australia	Rough Edges		AA	✓
Australia	Hub of Hope	-	AA	√
Australia	All Saints Community Care	-	AA	√
Australia	Scarred Tree	-	AA	<u>√</u>
Australia	South Tamworth Indigenous Ministry		AA	▽
Australia			^^	<u>√</u>
Australia	Living Water Community Fellowship	-	AA	V
Australia	Ministry of Mercy to Asylum Seekers		AA	√
Australia	Caring for Asylum Seekers & Refugees	-	AA	✓
Australia	New Settlers		AA	✓
Australia	Common Ground	-	AA	√
Australia	Project KIN		AA	√
Australia	Dapto Street Crew	-	AA	\checkmark
Australia	Bookworms Reading Group		AA	√
Australia	Mt Druitt Children's Support	-	AA	✓
EMERGENCY RELI	EF AND WELFARE			
Australia	Tathra Bushfires Emergency	•	AA	✓
Iraq	Iraq Emergency IDP Relief	•	ORAF	▽
Kenya	Victims of Violence and Famine Appeal	•	AA	✓
Kenya	Kenya Flood Relief	•	ORAF	√
Nepal	Shamrock School	•	AA	✓
South Sudan	Victims of Violence and Famine Appeal	•	AA	▽
South Sudan	Adjumani Refugee Camp	•	AA	✓
Syria	Damascus Church Aid	•	AA	▽
Syria	Women in Need Syria (WINS)	•	AA	▽
Uganda	Tanzanian Earthquake - Bukoba	•	ORAF	▽
Vanuatu	Vanuatu - Ambae Evacuation	•	ORAF	√
Zambia	Emergency: Cholera Outbreak	•	ORAF	✓
OVERSEAS MINIST				
Egypt	Egyptian Theological Education (Moore Theological College)	+	OMF	
Egypt	Egyptian Theological Education (Noore Theological College) Egyptian Theological Education (Alexandria School of Theology)	+	OMF	
Latin America	Central America Bible Training	+	OMF	
	Seychelles UCU Bursary (Jonah Andriamalala)	+	OMF	
Madagascar Myanmar	Myanmar Mother's Union Training	+	OMF	
_		+	OMF	
Nigeria Tanzania	Nigeria Bible Training (St Francis of Assisi Theological College)	+	OMF	_
	Kagera (TAN) Bible Training (Kagera Christian Training College)	+		
Zimbabwe	Zimbabwe Theological Education (Moore Theological College)	T sin	OMF	
Mauritius	Mauritius Bible Training (Youthworks)	VIV	OMF	



Anglican Aid works towards achieving the following around the world:



BIBLE **TRAINING**



CHILDRENS RIGHTS



COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP **DEVELOPMENT**



DISABILITY



EDUCATION

ASSISTANCE



HEALTH HUMANITARIAN AND EMERGENCY



ASSISTANCE



INCOME GENERATION



WASH



WOMEN'S **EMPOWERMENT**

Waterworks Fundraisers



Our second annual Waterworks for a Thirsty World campaign ran in March 2018. Check out some of the creative ways that people fundraised for clean water and sanitation projects. We hope this will inspire you for Waterworks 2019!



IMAGE: Zambia's Child challenge supporters to give up their coffee for precious water

ZAMBIA'S CHILD WATER ONLY CHALLENGE

The wonderful team at Zambia's Child, who support Ipalo Christian Community School in Zambia's Copperbelt District, challenged their friends and supporters to give up drinking coffee, tea, wine, in fact everything other than water for a whole week. They raised \$15,000 for a new water tank and solar pump to irrigate the school's vegetable plot.



IMAGE: St Mark's Revesby enjoying high tea

WALKING A MILE IN THEIR SHOES

James, 12, and his sister, Coco, 7, decided that raising money for clean water wasn't enough. They wanted to raise awareness of the children in developing countries who walk every day to collect water for their families. They also wanted to experience it for themselves. So James and Coco decided to walk the 1.5 km from their house to the Kangaroo River to collect water in buckets, taking it home to boil, cool and drink. Six friends joined Coco and James on their walk, and together raised over \$2,000. They were featured in the South Coast Register for their amazing feat!



IMAGE: James & Coco prepare for their walk

TEA, ANYONE?

Members of St Mark's Anglican Church Revesby got together for a sumptuous high tea in May to raise funds for Waterworks. Everyone contributed a plate of delicious goodies, and the ticket price was donated to Waterworks.



IMAGE: Cameron, Nigel, Ron, Cathy & Kate prepare to leave Gunnamatta Bay

HACK THE HACKING

A brave group of friends and colleagues set out to 'hack the hacking' in May to raise funds for sanitation facilities for refugees in Jordan. Together, the group cycled almost 40km from Helensburgh to Cronulla, paddled up the Hacking River through shark-infested water to Audley weir, and then rode again from Audley to Helensburgh – a round trip of about 85km! Together, they raised more than \$6,000!

ST LUKE'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL

The St Luke's Grammar Junior School had a special event at their swimming carnival —the Swim, Serve, Cheer & Dip event.

Students were sponsored to swim, dip in the water, cheer or help others (serve) on the day. Students raised funds to educate communities in the Gambella region of Ethiopia about the link between unclean water and disease.

Community Engagement

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The Anglican Aid team, including our Global Ambassadors Angela Michael and Henry Olonga, had a busy year getting out and about to churches and other community groups to talk about the work that we do. We also have an active online community of more than 5,250 followers on Facebook and Instagram.

ENGAGING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE

One of our goals is to engage with children and young people to make them aware of the needs of vulnerable communities, and to encourage them to show compassion to all people. In 2017-18, we visited 16 schools and several youth groups. We also participated in the Australian Fellowship of Evangelical Students (AFES) national conference in Canberra. There we had the opportunity to speak with hundreds of university students from across Australia, Asia and the Pacific.



IMAGE: Henry speaks to students at PLC Armidale in September 2017



IMAGE: Angela speaks to the Western Sydney Regional Anglican Women's Dinner



IMAGE: Angela Michael speaks at the Year 13 Campus about the brick kiln slaves in Pakistan.



IMAGE: Board member and author, Sally Bathgate, speaks at the #withrefugees night at Christ Church Gladesville.



IMAGE: Emil Bourizk, visits Donald Robinson
Village to talk about the Good Shepherd School



IMAGE: Angela and Eddie meet with Paul Green MLC to discuss modern day slavery

ENGAGING WITH THE GOVERNMENT

Anglican Aid was invited to give evidence to the Joint Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade enquiry into the right to freedom of religion or belief, in the context of delivering aid and development projects. Global Ambassador, Angela Michael, had the opportunity to meet with NSW parliamentarian, Paul Green MLC, to discuss modern day slavery.

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New Projects and Partnerships

Here is a snapshot of some of the projects with whom Anglican Aid has recently partnered.

ASIA & THE PACIFIC

RUTH House in Indonesia supports women with unwanted pregnancies, resulting from rape, abuse, trafficking or pre-marital relationships. RUTH House aims to reduce the prevalence of abortion and to equip mothers to support themselves and their child, while also providing education, training and spiritual support.



IMAGE: New babies at RUTH House

The Faisalabad School for Peace promotes peace and harmony in Pakistan by creating a community where children of different religions come together to learn, play and grow. The school provides free education, including school supplies and meals to disadvantaged children who might otherwise fall victim to slavery.

AFRICA & THE MIDDLE EAST

Lost Children of Jonglei Scholarships

provides South Sudanese refugee children living in Kakuma Refugee Camp in Kenya the opportunity to attend high school.



IMAGE: Students at Bishop Gwynne College

These scholarships give hard-working and enthusiastic students the opportunity to complete school, equipping them with skills for life in a new country or return to South Sudan in the future.

South Sudan's Bishop Gwynne College specialises in equipping church leaders with theological knowledge and pastoral skills, so that they may help bring peace and stability to communities in conflict-torn South Sudan.

Hope and Faith Community School was founded by Rosemary Mumbi in 2003. Moved by the vision of James 1:27, Rosemary provides quality education to disadvantaged and vulnerable children in the New Ngombe compound slum area in Lusaka, Zambia. More than 700 children are enrolled from three years old to grade 12.



IMAGE: Hope and Faith Community School

Heading North helps Ethiopian churches to respond to a range of needs including agriculture, sanitation, environmental protection, income generation and leadership development. One of their current activities is peace and reconciliation training which aims to reduce the incidence of revenge killings in local villages.



IMAGE: Heading North peace and reconciliation training

AUSTRALIA

Mt Druitt Children's Worker - The parish of Mt Druitt includes a number of areas of social and economic disadvantage. The children's worker at St James' Anglican Church helps families to provide a positive, nurturing environment for their children. She runs an after-school kids club, provides food hampers to ensure that the children have nourishing meals and provides practical care to families in times of tragedy or crisis.

George Bishai is a lecturer at the Alexandria School of Theology (AST) in Egypt. In recent years, AST has recognised the need to have its teaching staff trained to PhD level, and George has come to Sydney to undertake his PhD in New Testament at Moore Theological College. George's studies will enable him to provide greater depth of insight and quality teaching for students at AST, better equipping them for ministry in the Middle East. •



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WATER AND EDUCATION

PROTECTING CHILDREN TOGETHER

TAILOR-MADE EMPOWERMENT

LEADER & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

FINDING A HOME IN EGYPT

263 million children aged 6-17 were not in school¹

Waterworks has funded projects in...

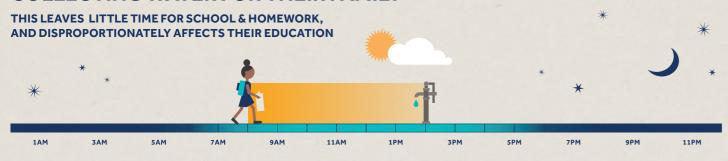


Without ready access to clean water and sanitation facilities educational goals cannot be achieved. Dirty, contaminated water often leaves children and families very sick with waterborne diseases, which affects school attendance. And if water isn't readily accessible, time and energy is directed away from study to water collection, most often affecting women and girl's education.

WATER COLLECTION IS WIDELY SEEN AS A TASK FOR GIRLS. SO A GIRL CAN SPEND UP TO

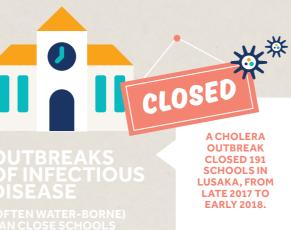
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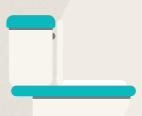
COLLECTING WATER FOR THEIR FAMILY











DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

The newly established Bible School of Kinshasa started teaching in 2017, but did not have proper toilets for staff and students. Waterworks funding enabled the college to build toilet facilities in early 2018.

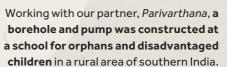


ZAMBIA

A water tank and solar

pump was installed at **Ipalo Christian Community** School in Zambia's Kasompe district, a rural area with high levels of poverty. The pump and tank irrigate the school gardens, where the school grows vegetables and raises chickens to feed the children. A healthy, balanced diet helps the children to concentrate better in class and improves their ability to learn.







ZIMBABWE

With our partner, Living Word Ministries, a borehole and pump was installed in the village of Domboshava, north of Harare. Nyasha, a teenager who lives in the village, says that she has much more time for school and homework now that she doesn't need to spend more than 2 hours a day collecting water for her family. She also reports that she is no longer at risk of rape and attacks by wild animals when collecting water at dawn and dusk.

Protecting Children Together

Anglican Aid and the Mara Diocese of the Anglican Church of Tanzania have been working closely together to share and build mutual knowledge and best practice in child protection. Children are vulnerable members of any society, whose safety, wellbeing and future are dependent upon the adults in their lives. For this reason it is important that school teachers and staff are trained in child protection principles, to ensure children are enabled to flourish as much as possible.

Anglican Aid has worked with the Mara Diocese of the Anglican Church of Tanzania for many years, supporting a range of development projects in this remote part of northern Tanzania. The diocese runs a number of schools, training facilities and other institutions for children. Church leaders there identified a gap in their child protection policies and practices. In November 2017, Australian Nicola Lock, who is an expert in child protection, visited the diocese in partnership with Anglican Aid.

Nicola teaches pastoral counselling at St Mark's National Theological Centre. She also serves on a number of professional practice bodies within the Anglican Church, including General Synod's Safe Ministry Commission.

Nicola spent two days with church leaders facilitating workshops on child protection practices and professional standards concepts for pastors in the diocese. Church leaders report that although they have a lot of work to do in this area, they see how important it is to protect the children in their care. There is a growing awareness in Tanzanian society about the importance of protecting children from physical, sexual and emotional abuse.



IMAGE (left to right): Agriculturist Tumaini Matutu, the Rev.Can. Gasper Kasanda and Lay Canon Arthur Mauya in a child protection workshop.

Nicola also visited Bunda Girls Secondary School (BGSS) to run a workshop for teachers on 'Understanding Teenagers'. This training helped teachers at BGSS to develop their understanding of the emotional life of teenagers, and how it affects relationships between teachers and students.

Supporting our partner organisations by sharing knowledge and experience is a key part of Anglican Aid's work, and ensures that the projects we support are as effective as possible.

DID YOU KNOW?





IMAGE: Girls in their Bible Knowledge Class at Bunda Girls Secondary School

BUNDA GIRLS SECONDARY SCHOOL (BGSS):

There are now over 320 girls enrolled at BGSS. Construction of ancillary buildings continues with a physics laboratory, kitchen and IT block currently under construction. In the last year dormitories, toilets, classroom blocks and onsite housing were completed. These facilities support BGSS's commitment to provide gifted girls with a high quality secondary education. Without BGSS, many of these girls would not have the opportunity to complete schooling past primary school, and would face an early marriage.

SHALOM PRIMARY SCHOOL OPENS!

The Shalom Pre- and Primary School had its first intake of students on 8th January 2018. Students aged 5 to 10 have been busy learning for the first half of the year. A building program is also underway at Shalom, which will enable more students to enrol. A new classroom block was due for completion in early July. The opening of the Pre- and Primary School fills a gap between the Shalom Kindergarten and BGSS.



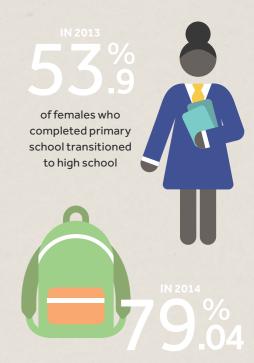
IMAGE: Shalom Primary School students on the bus to school.

In 2015, the literarcy rates for females 15-24 years was 84.64%. For females 65 years and older, the rate was just 29.71%.

In fact, in 2016, it was recorded that the number of Tanzanians aged 15 years and older who were illiterate, was:

6,425,458

TANZANIA



of the total population aged 7-13 years were enrolled in primary education

Tailor-Made **Empowerment**

An exciting partnership between Mothers' Union Sydney and the Mothers' Union of the Diocese of Mara is helping to equip women in Tanzania to find empowering and meaningful employment - meaning women can support themselves and contribute economically to their community.

TANZANIA

Mothers' Union members in Sydney are busy supporting their Tanzanian sisters by raising funds for the Jitegemee Tailoring Centre, an initiative of the Mothers' Union Mara. The tailoring centre equips women with sewing and embroidery skills so they can earn an income to support themselves, their families and their community.

Many women in Mara suffer from practices and attitudes that make it difficult for them to earn an income; often women are not allowed to own land or go to school; early marriages are common too, with girls as young as 14 married off without any education or skills behind them. This is a particular problem for women who are widowed or find themselves in an abusive marriage – without a male to provide for them, they and their children are left destitute.



IMAGE: Jitegemee Tailoring Centre before the new machines arrived



IMAGE: Jitegemee students at work

The Jitegemee Tailoring Centre is combatting this by training women in Mara to start micro sewing businesses. As well as learning sewing, embroidery and business skills, each woman receives a sewing machine at the end of the course to take home and use in her new business. The centre aims to train 60 women each year, and the Mothers' Union in Sydney, in partnership with Anglican Aid, has committed to fund the purchase of those machines for the students who will graduate in April 2019. It is so encouraging to see Christian women from very different parts of the world working together in partnership.

Women are often subjected to oppressive gender values and gender based violence and this can often mean that they are:





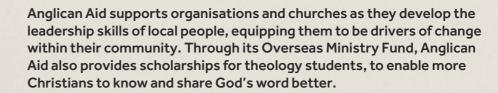
OWN LAND, OR

ATTEND SCHOOL

These pressures often mean that women are driven into prostitution or drug trafficking to earn a livelihood



Leadership Development





SOUTH SUDAN

SEYCHELLES

Community leaders trained at Kajo-keji **Christian College**

In last year's annual report, we reported on the evacuation of the Kajo-keji district of South Sudan to refugee camps located around Moyo, northern Uganda. Anglican Aid provides ongoing support to the Episcopal Church of South Sudan (ECSS) as they care for the South Sudanese refugee community in the camps, by distributing emergency provisions and providing essential services such as medical care and education. It also provides desperately needed pastoral care for people who continue to live with the trauma of last vear's violence.



LEFT to RIGHT: Sallah, Joel, Emmanuel and Modi celebrating their graduation!

Amongst the hopelessness of ongoing conflict there are bright points. Kajo-keji Christian College is one of those bright spots. Run by ECSS, the small college teaches theology, teaching and business



IMAGE: Jonah and his wife Yolande from the Anglican Diocese of Seychelles.

administration, so that graduates can pastor their communities and deal with the practicalities of serving people living in such difficult circumstances. The college recently sent an update on graduating students, and those just starting a new

Joel Lokoju Wani graduated from the college in May 2018. He has a passion for children's and youth work, and his research project was on the abuse of women in his culture. Joel is now working in seven different churches in the refugee camps.

The Rev. Sallah Timoteo Taban is another

The Rev. Kaku Reida has just started her studies at the college. She is studying a diploma of theology and is using her studies to develop her work with Kajo-keji women.

Advancing gospel work in the Seychelles

The Seychelles, an archipelago in the Indian Ocean, has a reputation as a beautiful holiday destination. For the islands' residents, life is not always so picturesque. Tourism has brought development and prosperity – but only for a few, and poverty is widespread.

Jonah Victoria Andriamalala is a leader in the Anglican Diocese of Seychelles. He was officially commissioned as a lay minister in 2017 and has served at St Paul's Cathedral in the capital, Victoria. He has completed some subjects at Moore Theological College via distance education. Anglican Aid is now providing a scholarships for Jonah, to enable him to undertake a Master of Divinity at Uganda Christian University. This will lead to his ordination as a full time worker in the church — the first ordained minister in the Diocese of Seychelles since 2006.

Once he graduates and returns to the Seychelles, Jonah will be responsible for training lay people in the gospel message and shepherding the church. Jonah says, 'I will be always grateful to Anglican Aid, to UCU, to our Diocese of Seychelles, and above all to our Lord Jesus Christ who is

recent graduate. Known as "Saba Saba", Sallah draws on his experiences as a soldier in the time of Idi Amin as he pastors his community. making us always victorious.'

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Finding a Home in Egypt

With millions of people forced from their homes by conflict, the refugee crisis can seem insurmountable. Anglican Aid's partner, Refuge Egypt, treats each refugee who seeks their help with dignity and love, and is tackling the refugee crisis one person at a time.



EGYPT

Many refugees from North Africa and the Middle East end up in Egypt. Refuge Egypt cares for refugees by helping them find work, to access education and training. It runs preschools for refugee children as well as two health clinics, one in Cairo and in Alexandria. The clinics screen for HIV/ AIDS and tuberculosis, run health education programs and connect refugees to other health services. The clinic in Alexandria specialises in providing ante- and post-natal care for pregnant women and their babies.

Fairoz was one such mother in need who was treated by the health clinic. Pregnant with twins, and suffering from medical complications, she was under extraordinary stress. The team treated her condition and cared for her through the pregnancy.



IMAGE: A mother and child receive help from Refuge Egypt in Cairo

Today, Fairoz is a happy mother of two healthy babies. She says that without the care she received from the Refuge Egypt team, she wouldn't have made it alone. Fairoz has even named her daughter after Doctor Nany who treated her!

Saifeldin is a 26 year old Sudanese refugee who came to Egypt to earn money to bring his family out of Sudan. When he arrived, he faced a harsh reality — the language barrier and a lack of skills made it extremely difficult for him to find work. Through Refuge Egypt's domestic employment office in Cairo, Saifeldin completed a cleaner's course, enabling him to find work at a local company. In four months he had earned enough money to bring his family from Sudan, and his hard work had earned him an excellent recommendation from his hoss

CURRENTLY THERE ARE MORE THAN 233,345 REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS OF 58 DIFFERENT NATIONALITIES IN EGYPT.1

While they are integrated into Egyptian society and reside in urbanised areas, as opposed to tents...



...they face struggles and have significant health problems:









DISCOVERING NEW ABILITIES

PROJEK BALIKIDS

EMERGENCIES IN THE PACIFIC

A WORLD OF BIBLE TRAINING

Stories from

Discovering New Abilities



Disability is a significant issue in the developing world, where poverty and low levels of education are barriers to families and individuals accessing services to help themselves. Here are some of our partners that work to help expand the skills, strength and independence of people living with a disability. They work alongside family members and the community to create an inclusive and empowering environment, where lives can be changed.

THAILAND

INDIA CHINA

SOUTH AFRICA

Chainat Disabilities

In Thailand, Buddhist beliefs and cultural traditions often lead to the shaming and rejection of people with disabilities, as disability is seen as punishment for sins in a past life. These beliefs encourage people to accept their situation, rather than seeking help to improve their circumstances. Poor attitudes to disability are exacerbated by a lack of education about the causes and treatment of disability.

Chainat Disabilities (CCD), located in central Thailand, improves the quality of life of children with disabilities by providing medical care, physical therapy and education. They also run programs to change community attitudes to disability. Their long-term goal is to reduce the number of Thai children with a disability who are abandoned to institutions or the streets.

NAAN'S STORY:

Naan is 20 years old and has cerebral palsy. By teaching him cooking skills, the team at CCD have given him confidence to live independently and to care for himself.

"After my mother died suddenly in September 2016, I had no-one at home to cook for me. As a result I lost lots of weight very quickly and felt very low. The staff at CCD bought me cooking equipment and showed me how to cook for myself. They taught me to cook omelette at the Centre, and now I can do it at home too.

I can also fry pork and boil water for noodles. As a result, I feel so much more confidence and my self esteem is better. I can look after myself at home and my dad doesn't need to worry about me any more."



IMAGE: Naan making an omelette.

Anugrah 🔀



Anugrah Disabilities, based at Herbertpur Christian Hospital in India, works with the poorest of the poor in Uttarakhand state—children and adults with a disability. Anugrah means 'grace' and the program cares for these vulnerable individuals and their families by providing diagnostic and therapeutic services, as well as helping people with a disability to join family and community life to the fullest extent possible.

AMOS'S STORY:

Amos is a 12-year-old boy with juvenile spinal atrophy, meaning he is confined to a wheelchair, and has very poor posture and trunk control. When he was first brought to Anugrah three years ago his family had given up any hope of him receiving an education. With support from the team at Anugrah, Amos has shown what he is capable of: he can now read and write basic English, as well as Hindi, and for the first time is beginning to learn mathematics. He passed his most recent exam with good marks.

Amos says that what he enjoys most is going to school and spending time with the new friends he has made there.



IMAGE: Amos studying hard.

Take Flight



It is estimated that 98% of children in Chinese orphanages have a disability. Most of these children have been abandoned anonymously. Many parents, not aware of the therapy and treatments that are available for their children, and feeling helpless, feel that abandonment is their only option.

As well as caring for children with a disability who have been orphaned or abandoned, Anglican Aid's partner in China, Take Flight, also runs a family support centre, where they work with parents who are at risk of abandoning their child. Therapists work with the children and their parents at the centre, and social workers connect them to medical and social support services.

JDR'S MUM'S STORY:

"I did not have any hope that things could change, when we went to see the Family Support Centre. I didn't think much could be done and I was ready to give up. There was no one in our life who made us feel good about our son and about life with him. To hear people at *Take Flight* say that they liked our son and that they thought he could grow and learn things changed everything. It gave us confidence to keep trying and to ignore all the other people in our life who told us it was not worth the effort. I am so happy and so relieved to see that my son can learn things and that he does know who I am and that we have a good relationship now. I am so grateful for the *Take Flight* team for changing our lives completely." •



IMAGE: A Take Flight therapist works with one of the children.

Timion



The idea that disability is a punishment or the result of witchcraft is still commonplace in South Africa, which causes caregivers and families to be isolated from the rest of the community. Single women often end up alone in this situation, as it is common for partners/ husbands to abandon the mother when he finds out the child has a disability.

Timion (which means 'precious child') combats isolation and hopelessness through peer support groups, meeting regularly to support each other emotionally and spiritually. Timion also provides therapy for the children and equipment, such as special chairs,

which enable them to join in family and community life.

EUMELDA'S STORY:

Eumelda is the mother of 12-year-old Rhuwayne Olivier, who has cerebral palsy. She says that since joining her Timion group, 'my life has changed dramatically. I used to think that I was all by myself...I have become such close friends with the other women in the cell group, we love and support each other as sisters.' Eumelda has found strength in realising that she can be a source of help to other people, something she had never seen before.

So many of the women in Timion's program report that, emotionally and spiritually, their lives have transformed from hopelessness to joyfulness and hope for the future.



IMAGE: Eumelda with her son Rhuwayne Olivier

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Projek Bali Kids

The Widhya Asih Bali Foundation is a Christian organisation that cares for more than 320 orphans and vulnerable children in six homes located across Bali. The homes focus on providing the children with nourishing food, helping them to access school education and providing vocational training.

BALI

Gede Rizal Gunawan is one such child who has grown up through Widhya Asih's program. He was able to receive a primary education, and completed vocational high school, where he studied tourism, as he thought it would give him the best shot for a better life.

Now 21 years old, instead of tourism, he is working for Widhya Asih in their vegetable farming project. Widhya Asih is running two farms at two different homes, one in the north in Singaraja, and the other in central Bali, in Bedugul. At least 10% of Widhya Asih's annual budget, or around 800 million Indonesian Rupiah goes towards purchasing food each year, and unstable food prices are an ongoing issue for the project.

Gede was equipped with basic farming skills during his time at the children's home, and he has passionately set himself to using these skills to serve a new generation, hoping to not only reduce costs, but also to teach and impart his knowledge to the next generation.

The first two harvests were disappointing — one due to a volcano eruption and the other some hungry caterpillars. This has not deterred Gede, who says he is learning from each mistake and challenge. Gede is determined that the vegetable farms will make a big impact in the lives of the kids and the sustainability of Widhya Asih.



IMAGE: Gede at work on the vegetable farm.

YOU KNOW? INDONESIA AT LARGE IS AROUND 87% MUSLIM, 7% PROTESTANT, 3% ROMAN CATHOLIC AND 1.5% HINDU. But Bali is predominately Hindu and the surrounding provinces of Papua, West Papua, East Nusa Tenggara and North Sulawesi are predominately Christian, meaning Bali has North a very unique religious demography. Sulawesi West **MUSLIM** HINDU East Nusa **CHRISTIAN** Tenggara

Emergencies in the Pacific

Anglican Aid is supporting partners in the Pacific respond to natural disasters, such as the Anglican Church of Melanesia, as they provide aid to people affected by the volcanic eruption at Ambae, Vanuatu. Anglican Aid is also working with members of the Methodist Church of Taveuni, helping to rebuild their livelihoods after Cyclone Winston.

VANUATU

FIJI

Evacuation in Vanuatu

In April 2018, Vanuatu's government declared a state of emergency for the island of Ambae due to significantly increased volcanic activity. The volcano has produced ash clouds, coupled with acid rain, sulphur gas, volcanic stones and sand expulsions. The volcano has turned water supplies into muddy slurries and blanketed the landscape in ash, destroying both infrastructure and ruining food crops.

The government decided that voluntary evacuation of the island to nearby islands, such as Santo, was the safest option for the island's inhabitants. This evacuation is expected to be a long-term, if not permanent, re-location of Ambae's residents. These residents are experiencing anxiety, facing an uncertain future in a new location, and unsure if they will ever return to their homes.





Anglican Aid's partner, the Anglican Church of Melanesia (ACoM), runs a number of schools on Ambae, and in mid-May began the process of relocating them to Santo Island. This involved shipping office equipment, school stationery items, desks and chairs to Santo.

Anglican Aid provided emergency assistance to ACoM, in particular helping to meet the costs of relocating St Patrick's College to Santo East, where the school is being incorporated into an existing school. Female students who have come from Ambae are currently sleeping in the dining hall and two classrooms, and need to pack up their belongings each morning. The boys are being housed at a nearby stadium.

Fishing livelihoods in Fiji

Anglican Aid has an ongoing partnership with the Methodist Church on Taveuni, Fiji's third largest island. The island was devastated by Cyclone Winston in February 2016.

In the aftermath of the cyclone, which destroyed the island's fishing fleet, many fishermen left the island or decided not to restart their fishing businesses. This left many young people, who had previously worked on the fishing boats, unemployed.

Some funds from Anglican Aid's emergency appeal have been used to purchase two fishing boats, located in the villages of Dala and Waitavala. These boats are being used by the young fishermen, who dive during the day and use them for line fishing at night. The young people involved also receive training in maintaining the boats and maritime safety.

To date, 30 youths have benefitted from using the boats to generate an income for themselves and their families. Participants pay a small fee from the proceeds of their catch. These funds are used to maintain the boats and in the longer term, to purchase more boats, and enable more young people to participate.

A World of Bible Training

Anglican Aid is supporting a number of local partners around the world who are equipping community members, parishioners, church leaders and ministers to know and teach God's word better, that the gospel may continue to go to all the nations.



MYANMAR

SOUTH AMERICA

Mothers' Union Training

Myanmar has a small Christian population – estimated at about 4% of the total population in a country where Buddhism is the state religion. Myanmar's Christians are often poor, lack adequate healthcare and education, and face persecution.

There has been a long tradition of Australian women teaching the Bible to women in Myanmar, to build up and encourage the church there. The work was started by Norma Dumbrell in the 1990s. Today, Anglican Aid works with Beverley Ovens and Christine Brain, who continue that ministry.

Beverley and Christine travelled to Myanmar in January at the invitation of Archbishop Stephen Than Myint Oo, to teach the Bible to Christian women in Yangon and Mytikyina. More than 170 women attended the conference at *St George's Anglican Church* in Yangon. Beverley reports that the women were young with an average age of 30! Another 185 women participated in the conference in Mytikyina. The conferences were a time of fellowship, encouragement and learning.

Beverley, who travels to Myanmar on a regular basis, reports that although conditions are improving with new roads and new homes being built, many Christians still live in poverty. Beverley says, 'Although the women are poor their generosity is out of this world; what they have they share with everyone around them.



IMAGE: MOCLAM students at work.

MOCLAM

MOCLAM offers theological education by distance in Spanish in 13 countries throughout Latin America and Spain. Pastors, church leaders, and university staff workers are among those who use the MOCLAM resources to prepare themselves for ministry in diverse settings. For nine years, MOCLAM has been involved in training Anglican clergy in two secure countries in the region. Pastors gather several times a year for a one-week intensive where they study one or two MOCLAM subjects under the guidance of a local leader. Many of the clergy are coming to the end of their MOCLAM studies and are encouraging a new generation of leaders to start. As a result, MOCLAM is now developing additional resources for local teachers to use in the second generation classes'.



IMAGE: Bible Training Conference at St George's Anglican Church in Yangon.



CARING FOR THE COMMUNITY

TATHRA BUSHFIRE

HELPING REFUGEES START A NEW LIFE

Stories from

Caring for the Community

Anglican Aid's Community Care program helps churches in disadvantaged areas run projects for people in need. Behind those projects are some amazing people who make it all happen. People who, because of their passion and their love for others, are making a big difference in their local communities. We'd love you to meet some of them.



GLEBE

EAGLE VALE

TAMWORTH

Sharon Minniecon

SCARRED TREE, GLEBE

Sharon Minniecon is an Indigenous Christian from the heritage of Ugar Islander, (Stephen Island from the Torres Strait Islands). Born in Ayr, Queensland, Sharon comes from a family of thirteen siblings and has five generations of Christians in her family heritage. Sharon has been in Christian ministry for the past 40 years.

Sharon is the Indigenous Ministry Coordinator at Scarred Tree Indigenous Ministry at St John's Glebe. Her role is to improve the involvement of Indigenous people in church life at St John's and to help Indigenous people integrate their rich heritage and culture into their walk with Jesus.

Scarred Tree is known for its leadership of NAIDOC celebrations and observing special Indigenous days. •



IMAGE: Sharon Minniecon from Scarred Tree



IMAGE: Steven running a self-defence class

Steven Thurgar

EAGLE VALE ANGLICAN CHURCH (EVAC) OUTREACH MINISTRY

Steven Thurgar heads up the outreach program at Eagle Vale Anglican Church, meeting the physical, social and spiritual needs of the local community in a variety of ways. Steven organises a range of activities, including fitness and self-defence classes, a mobile food pantry (in partnership with Anglicare), ESL classes and a playgroup.

The fitness and self-defence classes, which run at both Eagle Vale and Claymore, have been a great way to build bridges with the community and connect with people who wouldn't always feel comfortable in a traditional church setting.

George Ferguson

ST PETER'S, SOUTH TAMWORTH

For a number of years, George worked as the Aboriginal Liaison Officer at *Tamworth* Base Hospital. Last year, he left that role to take up an Indigenous Ministry Traineeship at St Peter's, South Tamworth. South Tamworth is an area where unemployment is widespread, along with drug and alcohol abuse.

George's role focusses on reaching out to the local Indigenous community, providing practical support, such as helping to serve breakfast to children at a local school, and pastoral care for Indigenous families. He is also involved in running the *Coledale* Frontyard Church which offers a nonthreatening environment in which people can connect with God and each other. •



IMAGE: George runs an Indigenous workshop

Tathra Bushfire



Bushfire swept through the NSW south coast town of Tathra in March, 2018. Almost 140 dwellings were either damaged or destroyed in a town with a population of approximately 1,600.

TATHRA

Anglican Aid contributed to the emergency response effort via Anglicare NSW South, NSW West and ACT, which is an official aid agency under the NSW Disaster Recovery Plan. In the days immediately following the disaster, Anglicare deployed a team of clergy and lay people with disaster recovery training to provide pastoral care and material aid to those people impacted by the fires.

Anglican Aid's emergency funding is particularly helping the ongoing recovery work in Tathra, which centres around helping victims to rebuild their lives and providing trauma counselling.

The bushfire that swept through Tathra meant at least*...



IMAGE: With permissions from Cheryl Ann, SeaSpray Images









Helping Refugees Start a New Life



The hardships faced by many Syrians didn't cease when they escaped from the war, finding a home in a new community comes with its own stresses and challenges. Anglican Aid has been privileged to facilitate the acceptance of two Syrian refugee family groups into Australia. This is the story of one of those families.

GLADESVILLE

Before the war started, Rami describes Syria as a peaceful, beautiful country. He and his wife, Waed, enjoyed eight months of marriage before the fighting broke out.

When the war did start, their world changed dramatically. Every day they said "goodbye" to each other not knowing if they would come home from work that evening. Buildings in their area—churches, mosques, and their own apartment building were struck by rockets.

One day on his way to work, Rami was stopped by a car, kidnapped by rebel soldiers and held in a basement. They wanted to force him to join them, but agreed to accept a ransom payment for his freedom instead. Waed scrambled to get the money together, and Rami was released after two days. After this, they were determined to leave Syria, to protect their newborn son and safeguard their future. They travelled to Jordan, where Rami's sister lives.

Jordan, however, came with its own set of problems. Syrian refugees are not allowed to work and the cost of living is very high. Without work and with much of their savings already expended, Rami and Waed were forced to work illegally, but this was a dangerous and short-term solution.

Running out of options, Rami and Waed eventually turned to the UN and local churches for help. They were close to being accepted into Canada, but an administrative



IMAGE: Rami, Waed and Stephanos at home in Sydney.

error meant that their application was rejected. When they returned to the Christian agency assisting refugees, they were informed that Christchurch Gladesville had sent in a proposal to host a refugee family. They met an Australian missionary who recommended this church to them.

Within months of submitting their application, they were packing their bags and on their way to Australia. Rami found work within weeks and their son is flourishing in his new environment. Christchurch has supported them since their arrival in August 2017, and Rami, Waed and their son are a treasured part of the church family there.

Rami says that the people of Christchurch have made them feel so welcome from the moment they landed at Sydney Airport, and have demonstrated that they are followers of Jesus by the love they have shown to Rami, Waed and their son. Waed says, 'They have given us a chance to live again —they have given us a new life.'

Rami puts a challenge out to other churches, saying, 'There are lots of refugees in Syria. We need to open our hearts and try to help them if we can.' •

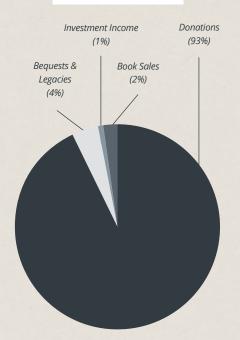
Financial Summary

The aggregate income for all the funds administered by Anglican Aid for the financial year ending 30 June 2018 was \$4,599,693 (2017: \$4,712,382), the vast majority of this income (93%) came from donations from many individuals, Anglican Aid continues to accept no government funding.

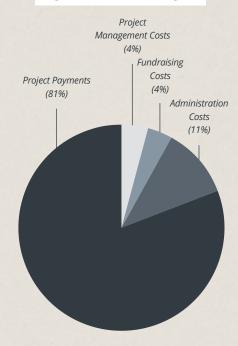
Project payments exceeded \$4,102,000 (2017: \$3,705,527), the higher level of payments to project partners in 2017/18FY was largely a result of donations received in May and June 2017. From our total income, 87.1% was available to send to projects and partners and to cover direct project management costs, meaning that 12.9% of our income was used to cover fundraising and administration costs across all three Funds of Anglican Aid.

Anglican Aid retains financial reserves to ensure commitments that extend over a number of years can be met and maintained.

TOTAL INCOME



TOTAL EXPENDITURE



* The amounts presented here are a percentage of total income and expenditure and have been sourced from our audited financial reports.

How We Work

The Archbishop of Sydney's Anglican Aid is the relief and aid agency of the Sydney Anglican Diocese. Its aims are to further the work of the gospel of Christ by proclaiming Christ's love through activities that relieve poverty, sickness, suffering and helplessness. Anglican Aid is the trustee of two funds.

The Overseas Relief and Aid Fund (ORAF) supports longer term development projects which meet the Overseas Aid Gift Deduction Scheme criteria. These projects assist in empowering and building the capacity of local communities to create sustainable change. ORAF is a registered charity with the ACNC and is a signatory member of the Australian Council for

International Development (ACFID).

The Overseas Ministry Fund supports ministries in the developing world by providing financial support for evangelistic activities and is not tax deductible.

Anglican Aid is a charity registered with the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC), and is accredited by the Christian Management Australia's Standards Council.

As a Public Benevolent Institution (PBI) Anglican Aid supports activities in Australia and overseas. All donations to Anglican Aid are tax deductible.

In Australia, Anglican Aid's Community Care projects support local churches to provide activities which meet the needs of their communities in addressing social disadvantage. Internationally, Anglican Aid often works with low-capacity partners, supporting small projects that the local community has identified as necessary and urgent. All the partners that Anglican Aid works with are Christian churches or organisations, which are known to us personally. This reduces the overhead costs of establishing local delivery agencies as churches exist in most geographic areas of the work we support.

Financial

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Statement of comprehensive income and expenses for the year ended 30 June 2018

	2018	2017
Revenue	.	•
Donations	3,285,103	3,491,486
Bequests and Legacies	70,145	91,399
Investment Income	16,389	15,341
Sales of Books	59,448	-
Other Income	2,087	4,180
Total Revenue	3,433,172	3,602,406
Expenditure		
Grants paid	(3,121,427)	(2,627,424)
Project Management Costs	(132,253)	(150,830)
Fundraising Costs	(164,973)	(107,063)
Accountability and Administration	(448,338)	(321,523)
Total Expenditure	(3,866,991)	(3,206,840)
Result from Ordinary Activities	(433,819)	395,566
Other Comprhensive Income	4,657	-
Excess (shortfall) of Revenue Over Expenditure	(429,162)	395,566

Statement of financial position as at 30 June 2018

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	2018	2017
Current Assets	\$	\$
Cash and Cash equivalents	1,138,918	1,684,126
Receivables	73,087	33,370
Client Management Software	32,256	
Total Current Assets	1,244,261	1,717,496
Total Assets	1,244,261	1,717,496
Current Liabilities		
Trade and Other Payables	31,104	77,303
Provision for Annual Leave	40,609	38,483
Supporters Loan	100,000	100,000
Total Current Liabilities	171,713	215,786
Total Liabilities	171,713	215,786
Net Assets	1,072,548	1,501,710
Total Distributable		
Funds and Reserves	1,072,548	1,106,144

OVERSEAS MINISTRY FUND

Statement of comprehensive income and expenses for the year ended 30 June 2018

	2018	2017
Revenue	\$	\$
Revenue		
Donations	333,162	193,860
Investment Income	3,396	618
Sale of Books	35,520	-
Other Income	-	249
Total Revenue	372,078	194,727
Expenditure		
Grants Paid	(239,955)	(131,234)
Project Management Costs	(8,054)	(8,911)
Fundraising Costs	(4,217)	(4,283)
Accountability and	(18,670)	(24,503)
Administration		
Total Expenditure	(270,896)	(168,931)
Result from Ordinary Activities	101,182	25,796
Excess (shortfall) of Revenue	101,182	51,398
Over Expenditure		

Statement of financial position as at 30 June 2018

	2018	2017
Current Assets	\$	\$
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Cash and cash equivalents	309,098	203,206
Receivables	27,034	6,316
Total Current Assets	336,132	209,522
Total Assets	336,132	209,522
Current Liabilities		
Trade and other payables	34,145	8,717
Total Current Liabilities	34,145	8,717
Total Liabilities	34,145	8,717
Net Assets	301,987	200,805
Distributable Funds and Reserves		
Funds Available for Future Use	301,887	200,705
Settlement Sum	100	100
Total Distributable		
Funds and Reserves	301,987	200,805

Independent Auditor's Report



To the Synod of the Anglican Church Diocese of Sydney

We have audited the **Financial Report**, of the Archbishop of Systney's Anglicen Aid, The Archbishop of Sydney's Oversees Relief and Aid Fund and The Archbishop of Sydney's Oversees Ministry Fund (the Funds).

In our opinion, the accompanying Financial III.
Report of the Funds is in accordance with Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNO) Act 2012, including: giving a true and fair view of the Funds' financial position as at 30 June 2018, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year ended on that date; and

Accounting Standards - Reduced Division 60 of the Australian

The Financial Report comprises:

Statements of financial position as at 30 June 2018.

- comprehensive income. Statements of changes in equity, and Statements of cash flows for the year then ended.
- Notes including a summary of significant accounting policies.
- The statement by committee members of the Funds

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report

- to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Financial Report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; and
- ii. to issue an Auditor's Report that includes our opinion.

Resonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it e Misstatements can arise from fisual or error. They are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this Financial Report.

As part of an audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Financial Report, whether due to finaud or error, design and perform sudit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional censisions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the Audit in order to design audit geocedures that are appropriate in the dinormatances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the registered Funds' internal control.
- estimates and related disclosures made by the Association's committee members. Conclude on the appropriateness of the Association's committee members' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the sudit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the registered Funds' ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our Auditor's Report to the related disclosures in the Financial Report or, if such disclosures are inselequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our Auditor's Report However, future events or conditions may cause the registered Funds to seese to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Financial Report, including the disclosures, and whether the Financial Report represents the underlying transactions and eve in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

Sydney

21 August 2018

Relevant professional qualification or body: Registered Company Auditor Fellow, Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand

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MEMBERS' DECLARATION

alternative but to do so.

The Association's committee members are responsible for:

Preparing the Financial Report that gives a true and fair view in ac

In the opinion of the Members of the Archbishop of Sydney's Overseas Relief and Aid Fund:

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report section of our report.

We are independent of the Funds in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the ACNC Act 2012 and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants the Codel that are relevant to our audit of the Financial Report in Australia. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the

usi reporting which is provided in addition to the Financial Report and the Auditor's Report. The ociation's committee members are responsible for the Other Information. Our opinion on the Financial Report does not cover the Other Information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the Financial Report, our responsibility is to read the Other Information doing so, we consider whether the Other Information is materially inconsistent with the Financial Rep-or our knowledge obtained in the sudif, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. We are required to report if we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this Other Information, and based on the work we have performed on the Other Information that we obtained prior to the date of this Auditor's Report we have nothing to report.

Responsibilities of the Association's committee members for the Financial Report

ing Standards - Reduced Disclosures Requirements and the ACNC Implementing necessary internal control to enable the preparation of a Financial Report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or e

Assessing the Funds' sbifty to continue as a going concern. This includes disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the Funds or to cease operations, or have no realistic

- (a) the financial statements and notes that are set out on pages 3 to 16 are in accordance with the Australian Charities and Not For Profit Commission Act 2012,
 - (i) giving a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position as at 30 June 2018 and of its performance, for the financial year ended on that date: and
 - (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Regime and the Australian Charities and Not For Profit Commission Regulations 2013; and

(b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the entity will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Members:

Member

Dated at Sydney, this 21st day of August 2018

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Statement of comprehensive income and expenses for the year ended 30 June 2018

Revenue	2018 \$	2017 \$
Donations	641,113	663,868
Bequests and Legacies	115,606	220,434
Investment Income	35,953	30,947
Other Income	1,771	-
Total Revenue	794,443	915,249
Expenditure		
International aid and development pro-	grams expenditure:	
Grants Paid	(741,923)	(946,869)
Project Management Costs	(81,251)	(71,911)
Fundraising costs:		
Public	(23,900)	(31,405)
Accountability and Administration	(66,689)	(106,566)
Total Expenditure	(913,763)	(1,156,751)
Result from Ordinary Activities	(119,320)	(241,502)
Other Comprhensive Income	94,253	45,074
Excess (shortfall) of Revenue Over Expenditure	(25,067)	(196,428)

During the Financial Year, The Archbishop of Sydney's Overseas Relief and Aid Fund had no transactions in the revenue for International Political or Religious Proselytisation Programs, non-monetary expenditure, expenditure for International, Political or Religious Proselytisation Programs and domestic programs expenditure catagories

Statement of financial position as at 30 June 2018

	2017	2016
Current Assets	\$	\$
Garrenerissees		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	1,408,520	1,456,983
Trade and Other Receivables	17,706	75,845
Available for Sale Assets	303,503	209,698
Total Current Assets	1,729,729	1,742,526
Total Assets	1,729,729	1,742,526
Current Liabilities		
Trade and Other Payables	30,190	17,919
Total Current Liabilities	30,190	17,919
Total Liabilities	30,190	17,919
Net Assets	1,699,539	1,724,607
Distributable Funds and Reserves		
Funds Available for Future Use	1,219,750	1,231,751
Reserves	479,689	492,756
Settlement Sum	100	100
Total Distributable Funds and		
Reserves	1,699,539	1,724,607

At the end of the Financial Year, The Archbishop of Sydney's Overseas Relief and Aid Fund had no balances in inventories, had no other financial assets under Current Assets, no current tax liabilities, provisions, borrowings or other financial liabilities under Current Liabilities catagories nor any items under Non Current Assets or Non Current Liabilities

Statement of changes in distributable funds and reserves for the year ended 30 June 2018

	Funds Available for Distribution \$	Reserves \$	Settlement Sum \$	Total \$
As at 30 June 2016	1,467,780	453,155	100	1,921,035
Net Transfer from Bequest Reserve	5,473	(5,473)	-	-
Net Transfer (to) Emergency Relief Reserve	- ·	-	-	-
Result from Continuing Operations for the year	(241,502)	-	-	(241,502)
Other Comprehensive Income for the year:				
Fair Value Reserve	-	45,074	-	45,074
Foreign Exchange Translation Reserve	-	-	-	- 1
As at 30 June 2017	1,231,751	492,756	100	1,724,607
Net Transfer (to) from Bequest Reserve	107,319	(107,319)	-	-
Net Transfer (to) from Emergency Relief Reserve	-	-	-	-
Result from Continuing Operations for the year	(119,320)	-	-	(119,320)
Other comprehensive income for the year:				
Fair Value Reserve	-	93,804	<u>-</u>	93,804
Foreign Exchange Reserve	-	448	-	448
As at June 2018	1,219,750	479,689	100	1,699,539

Cash Movements for Designated Purposes for the year ended 30 June 2018

2017 Designated Funds Balance	Designated Purpose Receipts during the year	Overhead Cost Contribution	Transfers from General Funds	Project Payments	2018 Designated Funds Balance
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
408,400	496, 425	(60,941)	277,665	(741,923)	379,626

The Financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements set out in the ACFID Code of Conduct. For further information on the Code, please refer to the ACFID Code of Conduct guidance available at www.acfid.asn.au

A copy of the full financial reports for 2017/2018 for the three Funds are available on the Australian Charities and Not for Profit website: www.acnc.gov.au in the 'Find a Charity Section'. Anglican Aid's ABN is 28525237517, ORAF is 59792865372 and OMF is 94609182072