



JOIN US!



DEAR CHURCH LEADER,

We recognize your faithful efforts in service to your congregation and to the local community around your church. We know you give so much of yourself to meet the spiritual and physical needs in the community around you. We also know the pressure to be all things to all people both here and abroad. That's why we're hoping you'll join us on a very special day in partnership with other churches all across the country!

The world is hungry, but the emptiness goes far beyond the table. The need is physical and spiritual. People are ravenous for opportunity, starved for resources, and stripped of value. These injustices keep us up at night.

IT'S NOT OK.

And yet hope remains.

At Food for the Hungry we seek to end ALL forms of human poverty by going into the hard places and closely walking with the world's most vulnerable people. For over four decades, we have partnered with churches, leaders, and families to usher justice, and renew communities so God's purpose is revealed in each person we serve. We courageously seek out the overlooked and advocate for the underserved.

Hundreds of churches are actively helping Food for the Hungry end poverty in the hard places, now you can join the effort by conducting a special collection from your church family!

Here are some questions you may have:

WHO IS FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY?

- Christ-centered non-profit humanitarian organization seeking to end all forms of human poverty and eliminate physical and spiritual hungers
- Works in over 20 countries in Africa, Latin America, and Asia
- Goes into the hard places and closely walks with the world's most vulnerable people to build transformational relationships, usher justice, and renew communities
- We courageously seek out the overlooked and advocate for the underserved.
- Through community-owned transformation we empower children, families and communities to invest in their own development.

HOW DOES FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY HELP TO END POVERTY?

- Food for the Hungry focuses on children because they're the most vulnerable in any society. When a community is equipped to care for them, everyone is served and poverty is eliminated.
- They focus on four main sectors, which are all applied with the principles of a biblical worldview. They are:
 - Health: Hygiene, nutrition, maternal and newborn care, and disease prevention and treatment
 - Education: Early childhood development, early grade success, ongoing educational opportunities, character building
 - Livelihoods: Agriculture and livestock production, soil and water conservation, market linkages, and microfinance
 - Emergency Response/Disaster Risk Reduction: Community-managed risk assessment and disaster management planning.

WHAT THE MONEY WILL GO TOWARDS?

Your generous donations will enable Food for the Hungry to serve vulnerable people in a variety of ways including:

- Clean water
- Sustainable food sources
- Education for children
- Preparing villages to mobilize for disasters
- Improving income for families through skills training

WHAT MAKES FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY DIFFERENT THAN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS?

- We have a specific approach to entering, partnering with and graduating a community, so that they become self-sustaining and no longer rely on the support of others.
- We take a holistic approach with physical/spiritual integration and the application of Biblical worldview
- We harness and mobilize the involvement of churches like us to serve the vulnerable.
- We use evidence-based behavior change and focus on measuring results, learning from them in order to improve impact.

Give your church the opportunity to live out the direct call of God from Micah 6:8: “What does the Lord require of you? To do justice, love mercy and walk humbly with God.”

We hope you'll join us in furthering the message of hope through feeding the physical and spiritual needs of the world's most vulnerable communities.

Sincerely,
Food for the Hungry Church Engagement Staff

STILL HAVE QUESTIONS?

You can direct them to our Church Engagement Team at C2C@fh.org or by calling 480.998.3100 and ask for a Church Engagement Representative.