

# Anglicans making a difference: 2018 End of Financial Year Appeal

***“Since you excel in everything - in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in complete earnestness and in the love we have kindled in you - see that you also excel in this grace of giving.”***  
**- 2 Corinthians 8:7**



In this year’s End of Financial Year (EOFY) Appeal, we remember the legacy of caring for the poor that goes back 2,000 years to the very origins of the Church.

The New Testament tells of what could be termed the first international aid project. In his second letter to the Corinthians, Paul tells an incredible story of generosity offered by the Macedonian church to the struggling poor church in Jerusalem. While Macedonian Christians were themselves wracked by poverty, they gave in a generous and sacrificial way to help the Jerusalem church.

This was known as “the collection”, and it is referenced in various parts of Paul’s letters and in Acts.

Many people, such as Mercy in Kenya, have found help, solace and purpose through the work of our partners in different countries.

Over the last 30 years, Anglican Overseas Aid has carried on this biblical call to compassion by working with many Anglican partners in their communities around the world.

You have also helped us respond to various dire humanitarian emergencies such as in Syria today.

We invite you to continue to be a part of the history of Anglicans making a difference by donating to our End of Financial Year Appeal. You can do so by:

- Filling out the form below and returning it to: 2018 End of Financial Year Appeal, Anglican Overseas Aid, PO Box 389, Abbotsford, VIC 3067.
- Donating securely online at <http://.anglicanoverseasaid.org.au>.
- Calling us for free from anywhere in Australia on 1800 249 880.

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Your donation will be directed to a general fund that allows us to support our projects and emergency work around the world. This appeal will close on 31 July 2018. Please consider a regular monthly donation to support this important work – call us on 1800 249 880 to organise a regular automatic deduction from your credit card or bank account. Anglican Overseas Aid respects your privacy in accordance with the Australian Privacy Principles.