



*Bread and Water for Africa*<sup>®</sup>

*Providing a Brighter Future for Africa's Children*

**ANNUAL REPORT 2021**



## THE MISSION

The mission of Bread and Water for Africa® is to promote positive change in Africa by supporting and strengthening grassroots initiatives for community self-sufficiency in health and education.

## MESSAGE FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

To the supporters of Bread and Water for Africa®,

At Bread and Water for Africa® our primary mission is to enable impoverished Africans to reach their full potential and have a good quality of life. To further this mission, in the past year, we have provided loving homes for orphaned and abandoned children and ensured they receive an education and the healthcare they need to lead happy, healthy lives.

In FY 2021, we provided clean water for thousands in rural, remote villages, shipped hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of medicines, medical supplies and equipment to hospitals and clinics, supported agricultural training for hundreds of women farmers and fed hundreds of schoolchildren in the slums of Nairobi, and much more.

To put it simply, none of this would be possible without our generous supporters and nonprofit partners here in the U.S. Without them, we would not be able to fund the good works of our partners who rely on us on their way to self-sufficiency.

This has been a challenging year for us and our African partners who are determined to carry on with their programs despite the global COVID-19 pandemic, particularly when it comes to keeping children fed in countries where rampant inflation is causing the prices of basic food supplies to increase on practically a daily basis.

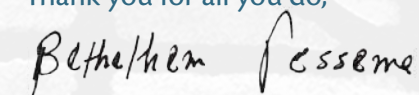
To that end, this past year we increased funding for our COVID-19 impact support to include training youth and young adults in Sierra Leone in best agricultural practices, providing them tools and supplies and teaching them how to start their own small businesses selling their crops. Also, with funding from COVID-19 impact support grants, we completed several clean water development projects in Malawi, Tanzania, Ethiopia and Sierra Leone, as well as provided support for a children's home in Sierra Leone to produce more rice on its 220-acre farm as part of our food sustainability project.

We hope and pray that soon this will all just be a distant memory and remain confident that we will all come out stronger at the end of this long dark tunnel.

Unfortunately, this fall, it is with my utmost heartfelt and personal sadness that I share that our cherished founder, who was known by our partners as "Papa" Gene, passed away just a month following the death of his wife of more than 60 years, Adeline (known as "Addy"), and who herself was a strong supporter of Bread and Water for Africa®.

On behalf of those tens of thousands whose lives have been improved and who cannot speak for themselves, as well as our Board of Directors and our inspirational international spokesperson Phyllis Keino, the founder of the Lewa Children's Home, I say THANK YOU for making a difference in the lives of so many.

Thank you for all you do,



Bethelhem Tessema  
Executive Director  
Bread and Water for Africa®

## TRIBUTE TO GENE AND ADDY



## TRIBUTE TO GENE AND ADDY (CONT'D)

Eugene "Gene" Lad Krizek, founder of Bread and Water for Africa®, passed away on October 5, 2021, a month to the day after his wife, Adeline "Addy" Rose Krizek, who was by his side for more than 60 years, died on September 5, 2021.

Together, working hand in hand, Gene and Addy are responsible for making the bettering the lives of hundreds of thousands of children, as well as young mothers struggling to keep their infants and toddlers fed and healthy. They made certain that the most impoverished living in sub-Saharan African countries

have access to free health care services at clinics and hospitals operated by our partners.

Bread and Water for Africa® Executive Director Bethelhem Tessema noted that as she shared the sad news that Gene, 93, and Addy, 88, had passed "comments poured in from our partners expressing their grief and sympathy" for the man they called "Papa" and Addy as "a friend and a mother to many of Africa's children."

Among them:



**From Zimbabwe, Margaret Makambira, founder and director of the Shinga Development Trust and the Lerato Children's Village,** expressed her heartfelt condolences saying, "It is with deep regret that we learnt about the passing away of these two great icons. We will always cherish the memory of his works which will go a long way to benefit many future generations."



**From Zambia, Angela Miyanda, founder and director of the Kabwata Children's Home,** recalled the day in May, 1998, she first met Gene at the offices of Christian Relief Services during a visit to the U.S. saying, "That was the beginning of our long friendship which materialized into the long-term help of the children of Zambia. We will always remember, and your love is embedded in our lives forever. Your good works have gone ahead of you. Sleep well and we forever remain indebted to you. Go well and meet again your loving wife, Addy. Farewell..."



**From Sierra Leone, Rev. Francis Mambu, founder and director of Faith Healing Development Organization, said that today,** "Even though we are mourning the passing of Gene Krizek, we are also celebrating him for his steadfastness and love towards humanity. The way that Pa Krizek diligently carried out his service to humanity up to the day of his demise demonstrated that he was a man on a mission. He has completed his work assigned to him by God while it was day for him and has gone to inherit his crown from the Lord. He has left us to continue the work of compassion and concern. We should continue to maintain his legacy and further build on his footprints in the sands of time."



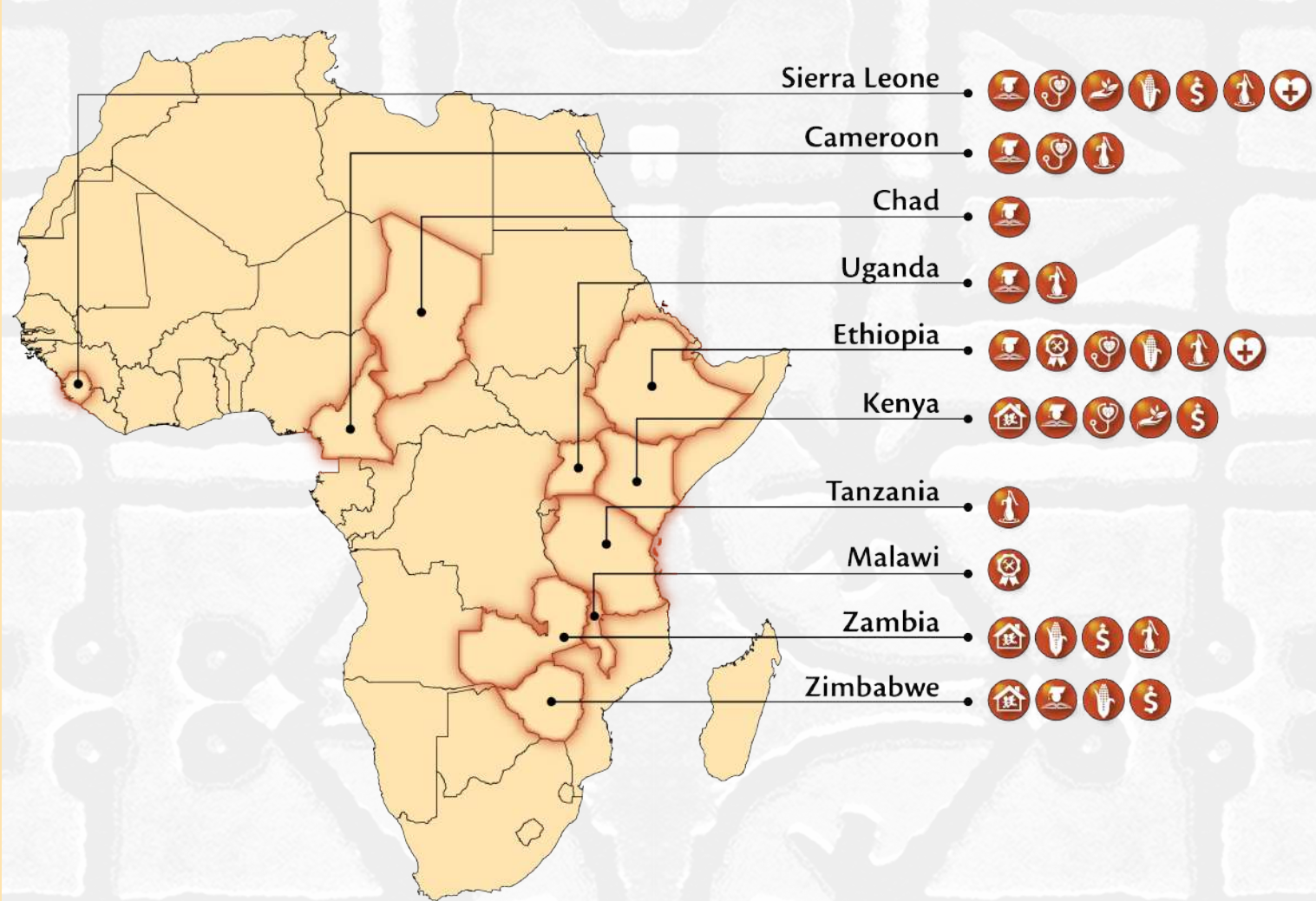
**From Cameroon, Esther Ndichafah, founder and director of Hope Services, told us,** "He was indeed my father, Father of the Orphans, the Poor, the Prisoners, the Displaced, the Hopeless. That is Papa Eugene Krizek. He put on the shoes of God, he walked with and worked for God. Papa Krizek has left a legacy. He is not gone. He still lives because his work and memories will speak and act for generations to come."



**THANK YOU  
FOR  
EVERYTHING!**



## WHERE WE HAVE BEEN WORKING










-  **Agriculture**
-  **Health Care**
-  **Education**
-  **Food Self-Sufficiency**
-  **Water Wells**
-  **Orphan Care**
-  **Basic Relief**
-  **Income Generation**
-  **Vocational Training**
-  **School Feeding**

## WHERE WE HAVE BEEN WORKING

### WHO WE ARE

Since our inception more than 25 years ago, Bread and Water for Africa® has been committed to promoting positive changes in Africa. Through the generosity of our supporters and in partnership with local grassroots organizations, Bread and Water for Africa® supports and strengthens impoverished communities and promotes self-sufficiency through improvements in health, education, clean water development, agricultural best practices, and sustainable energy.

### OUR PROGRAMS

-  Train men and women in sustainable farming methods to provide food for their families and surplus to sell at local markets and provide seeds and basic farming tools.
-  Provide basic relief support for unexpected disasters and crises such as the Cyclone Ida disaster in Zimbabwe in 2019 and the COVID-19 pandemic impact support since 2020.
-  Provide the initial funding to our program partners to create income generating projects to help sustain their programs' future funding needs.
-  Provide loving homes for orphaned and abandoned children, including the basic necessities of food, clean water, health care, and an education so they can build a better life as they enter adulthood.
-  Offer quality education at preschool, primary and high school levels, as well as vocational training to give children and young adults the best opportunities for self-sufficiency.
-  Provide essential medicines, medical supplies and equipment to save lives and support the operations of clinics and hospitals in remote villages.
-  Dig water wells and support clean water development projects to provide life's most vital resource.



**ORPHAN CARE**



**IMPACT STORY**

**Challenge**

In sub-Saharan African countries including Kenya, Sierra Leone, Zambia and Zimbabwe where Bread and Water for Africa® supports children's homes and orphanages providing loving homes for hundreds of orphaned, abandoned and destitute children, there are countless others who are fending for themselves, and oftentimes their younger siblings, not knowing when they get their next meal or where they will be laying their head to sleep at night.

**Our Solution**

Since 1997, Bread and Water for Africa® grassroots partners have been devoted to providing Africa's children and youth from infants to adulthood with loving and nurturing homes where all their basic needs are met, and education, health care and counseling and life skills development so they are prepared to thrive from the day they set out on their own.

**Highlight**

**192** orphaned and abandoned children lived, cared, and supported by the Lewa Children's Home in Kenya, Kabwata Orphanage and Transit Center in Zambia and Lerato Children's Village in Zimbabwe where their basic needs are met including food, shelter, an education, healthcare and counseling in a loving home environment.



**Lerato Children's Village: Empowering Melissa and Others to Reach Their Full Potential**

Bread and Water for Africa® longtime partner Shinga Development Trust in Zimbabwe, which operates the Lerato Children's Village, was founded with the lofty goal of meeting the basic needs of orphaned and vulnerable children by providing them with a home where they are fed and sheltered, given healthcare and the opportunity for an education – and most importantly, loved.

Founder and director Margaret Makambira treats all those she takes in as "her" children, and to many, she becomes the only "mother" they have known in their short lives.

Among them is 13-year-old Melissa – who is NOT a witch – although that false accusation by her extended family relatives after both her parents died is how she ended up at the Lerato Children's Village.



Young Melissa has had much tragedy in her short life following the death first of her father, and then her mother. At just 10 years old, she was an orphan who was left in the care of her grandmother, then an aunt and a grandfather.

"Her grandfather and aunt started to accuse her of witchcraft and refused to give her food," reported Margaret. "She survived by begging."

"When Melissa first arrived at Lerato, she was withdrawn and did not like to socialize with any of the other children," Margaret told us, but she received counseling to help her adjust to her new living environment. "The counseling sessions were quite helpful as she now relates well with the other children."

**ORPHAN CARE**



**GALLERY**



**"The year 2020-2021 was an opener for our project in Zambia. The COVID 19 came unexpected and taught us to be prepared for all situations. As a result of the situations, a successful plan has been achieved for the substance of the program on a long-term program. In all areas of the wellbeing of the children, the project has managed to stand firm with the support of BWA. We thank you for helping the project in the time of COVID."**

*-Mrs. Angela Miyanda Founder and Executive Director Kabwata Orphanage and Transit Centre, Zambia*



**EDUCATION**



**IMPACT STORY**

**Challenge**

At Bread and Water for Africa® we believe that education is the key to the success in the future. However, for millions of children in sub-Saharan Africa, going to school remains just a hope and dream as most do not have that opportunity because their parents, if they have them, simply cannot afford the “luxury” of paying school fees for their children.

**Our Solution**

We at Bread and Water for Africa® know that education is more than just an investment in the future of Africa – it IS the future. Over the decades we have collaborated with our local partners working in Chad, Cameroon, Ethiopia, Zambia Kenya, Sierra Leone and Zimbabwe to provide primary and second school educations to thousands of children and youth giving them a fair chance at a better life.

**Highlight**

**1,840** orphaned and destitute primary and secondary school students from Chad, Sierra Leone, Kenya, and Zimbabwe received quality education through school fees sponsorship support program, uniforms, school supplies and recently built classrooms.

**Supporters of Bread and Water for Africa® School Fees Assistance Program Described as ‘Guardian Angels’ by Zimbabwean Student**

For children living in sub-Saharan African countries such as Cameroon, Chad, Ethiopia, Kenya, Sierra Leone, Zambia, Zimbabwe and elsewhere, nothing is more important for them to build a successful life than receiving an education – a fact they know well!

Thanks to the supporters of Bread and Water for Africa® and our partner there, Shinga Development Trust, we are making the dream of getting an education a reality every year for more than 100 orphaned and abandoned children and youth living at the Lerato Children’s Village and in remote villages.



As Shinga founder and director Margaret Makambira states so eloquently, “Education is a basic need for each child, and orphans and vulnerable children should not be excluded.”

Among those orphaned and vulnerable children who are attending Dora Secondary School in Mutare right now is Lorcadia Goto who describes the supporters of Bread and Water for Africa® as her “guardian angels” and expressed her sincere gratitude.

“I have been suffering a lot in the past years when both my parents died,” she told us. “I was staying with my grandparents, and they could not afford to send me to school or provide me with a school uniform and stationery. I want to express my gratitude to you – because of you I am now going to school every day and my school performance is improving in that regard. It is really a wonderful thing that you are doing, because of what you are doing I am now able to have a second chance in life.”

**EDUCATION**



**GALLERY**



**The impact of this [education] program is tremendous, and we will fully understand in a few years to come when these children are spread across the society living their dreams and hopefully, multiplying the impact.**

*Mrs. Esther H. Ndichafah and Executive Director Hope Services, Cameroon*



**The education program has been received with great excitement and appreciation from the local people since it has helped a lot of Orphans and Vulnerable Children to attain basic education which will enable them to be self-reliant in the future and being able to take care of their families.**

*-Mrs. Margaret Makambira, Founder and Executive Director Shinga Development Trust, Zimbabwe*



**CLEAN WATER**



**IMPACT STORY**

**Challenge**

For millions living in rural, remote villages in sub-Saharan African countries having access to safe water for drinking, cooking, bathing and washing is the exception not the rule as most must risk their lives collecting water from unsafe, unprotected sources, frequently contaminated by parasites and waterborne diseases such as cholera and Typhoid fever.

**Our Solution**

Nothing is more important for African children and their families than having a reliable source of clean water to meet their immediate needs daily. In the past year, working with our partners in Ethiopia, Malawi, Tanzania and Uganda serving more than 150,000 individuals.

**Highlight**

**42** clean water projects were completed and over **150,000** individuals benefited in Ethiopia, Tanzania, Uganda, and Sierra Leone.

**Borewell Constructed in Malawi Described as Answer to Century-Old Prayers**

Grace Nkhoma lives in the small village of Chiputu in the Mchinji District in Malawi which until very recently did not have access to safe, clean water. But that was before Bread and Water for Africa® and our partner in the country, Our AIM Foundation, teamed up to construct a borewell, a vertical drilled well bored into an underground aquifer, in the village.

It has literally transformed her life, as well as the lives of some 3,250 others living in the surrounding community, reported local manager Ishmael Kadango. Grace told us that before the borewell was constructed she had to travel a long distance, about 5 kilometers (3.1 miles) one way to fetch water for herself and her family and wait in long lines.



"It was difficult to travel to during rainy season as there is bush along the road and it is scary," she said. "So, this borewell has answered our-century old prayers. May God bless Our AIM Foundation and Bread and Water for Africa® people for the marvelous job they are doing." Chitowe Mbewe, chief of Chiputu Village, stated: "On behalf of Chiputu village inhabitants, I would like to thank Our AIM Foundation and Bread and Water for Africa® for coming to our aid with the water project.

"My people are very happy for this development. This borewell will help reduce number of people who became ill due to taking unclean water and instill health in my people.

"We are overjoyed for this borewell and please help others too. May God bless and enrich you!"

**CLEAN WATER**



**GALLERY**



**"The rehabilitation of water wells and availability of clean water in the five villages of Kashasha and Ijumbi wards in Muleba district through Bread and water for Africa, has brought a transformative change in health, water, sanitation and hygiene and livelihoods. Children and women now have access to safe drinking water"**

*-Mr. Richard K. Bataringaya Founder and Executive Director Action for Ngoni Basin Reforestation, Tanzania*



**HEALTH CARE**



**IMPACT STORY**

**Challenge**

Tragically, many lives are lost each year throughout sub-Saharan Africa due to easily preventable and treatable illnesses due to a lack of basic medicines and access to affordable healthcare services.

**Our Solution**

We understand that medical care is vital to the health of children, their mothers and others living in rural regions who rely on small clinics for their healthcare. That's why each year we ship hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of medicines, medical supplies and equipment to clinics and hospitals operated by our partners in countries including Cameroon, Ethiopia, Malawi and Sierra Leone.

**Highlight**

**75,000+**

*individuals received medical care, counseling and health education at 32 hospitals, health centers and clinics in Sierra Leone, Ethiopia, Cameroon and Malawi.*

**Rokel Clinic: Treats and Heals Severely Burned Young Boy**

We at Bread and Water for Africa® fear what would have happened to 7-year-old Usif when he was severely burned over 70 percent of his small body without the nearby Rokel Clinic where he received free treatment for his injuries.

Rev. Francis Mambu, executive director of our longtime partner Faith Healing Development Organization (FHDO) in Sierra Leone, told us the boy was brought to the clinic by his mother, an impoverished widow raising her children on her own.

"The burn extended to the chest, lower abdomen and his right and left thighs," reported Rev. Mambu. Initially, due to the severity of Usif's burns, it was recommended that he be taken to a local hospital for care.

"However, the mother pleaded with the health care staff at the clinic that she had no money to pay for the treatment if she took him to the hospital," said Rev. Mambu.



So, the staff at the Rokel Clinic was sympathetic to her and her son's plight and agreed to provide treatment for Usif, and we are pleased to report from Rev. Mambu that within about three weeks of being cared for at the clinic "the boy was completely healed."

And we shudder to think about what would have happened to little Usif if the Rokel Clinic was not there to treat him, and potentially saving his life.

"His mother was full of joy as she left the clinic with her son," said Rev. Mambu. "She thanked the Almighty God for saving her son's life, and also the supporters of Bread and Water for Africa® for sponsoring the Rokel Clinic."

**HEALTH CARE**



**GALLERY**





**AGRICULTURE**



**IMPACT STORY**

**Challenge**

Although much of the land in sub-Saharan African countries is lush and fertile, many often go hungry because they do not have the basic knowledge and resources they need to get the most out of their small tracts of land during the growing season. The problem has become increasingly worse in recent years as climate change is causing more droughts resulting in decreasing harvests while heavy torrential rainfall causes severe flooding washing away crops before they can be harvested.

**Our Solution**

Our partners who operate sustainable agricultural programs know firsthand that ensuring food security for those living in rural villages and communities they serve is an ongoing battle that can only be won when small holder farmers, primarily women, are able to develop their own reliable food supplies. With the help of our supporters, and the work of our local partners, we have been able to educate farmers in the most rural areas of sub-Saharan Africa about the most appropriate up-to-date farming practices and how to run a successful agribusiness.

**Highlight**

**23,000+**

individuals directly and indirectly benefited from food self-sustainability development programs in Zambia and Sierra Leone.

**Food Self-Sustainability Program Helps Young Farmer to Become Self-Sufficient**

At Bread and Water for Africa®, we don't just want to give a man (or woman) a bag of rice to eat for a week or two and then go hungry again, we want them to learn the best way to grow it, and how to market and sell it, in order to build a life of self-sufficiency for themselves and their families.



Such is the case through our food self-sustainability program with our partner the Rural Youth Development Organization-Sierra Leone. During the start of the COVID-19 pandemic, program director Joseph Kobba reached out to us requesting grant funding for vegetable and crops production training for 75 impoverished women and youth to help them establish income-generating projects by training them in entrepreneurial and business management skills, as well as providing them with modest grants to help them achieve their dream.

"Food security in rural communities is a means of saving lives, improving nutrition, investing in women and youth, and laying a foundation for development and prosperity," reported Joseph.

Alusine, who was orphaned following the death of his parents due to the country's Ebola outbreak in 2014, was contacted by RYDO-SL staff in their efforts to register vulnerable youths for the Bread and Water for Africa® COVID-19 support program.

"I am now a proud farmer because I can now grow rice on a large scale that can feed my brothers and sisters," says Alusine. "Farming is very expensive work, but the support I received from Bread and Water for Africa® has helped me to take a big step forward."

**AGRICULTURE**



**GALLERY**



**"I am grateful to BWA because I am now able cultivate large cassava farm to feed my family and sell the surplus in the Bumpé market so that food can be available at all times"**

*-Francis Ngegba  
Beneficiary from food self-sustainability training program Sierra Leone*



**"My harvest was so impressive that had led me to cultivate more land this year, this is what I called empowerment as this opportunity had made me to be economically self-sufficient."**

*-Joseph Kamanda  
Beneficiary from food self-sustainability training program Sierra Leone*



**BASIC RELIEF**



**IMPACT STORY**

**Challenge**

In sub-Saharan Africa, too often the necessities of life – such as food – are in very short supply for impoverished and destitute families, especially children, such as the tens of thousands who call the slum of Kibera in Nairobi their home.

**Our Solution**

Thanks to the supporters of Bread and Water for Africa® we can provide relief support to individuals and families in the communities where we work to ease suffering, especially for children, their mothers and the elderly.

**Highlight**

**200** children attending the Seed School in the Nairobi slum of Kibera were served two meals each weekday, and **100** students from Dora East and Dora West were provided with food supplies for six months in Zimbabwe.

**Feeding Program in Kibera is a Gateway to the Aspiring Scientist**

Setric was born in the Nairobi slum of Kibera in 2008, and dire poverty is all she has ever known in her 12 years of life.

But, despite all the challenges and roadblocks placed in her path due to the circumstances far beyond her control, the young girl on the verge of adulthood has hope for a brighter future because of the Seed School located in the slum which is enabling her to get an education, and Bread and Water for Africa® which is ensuring that she receives a healthy, filling meal twice a day every school day.



“A lover of science and creative arts,” is how Patrick Odongo, director of the Seed Foundation which operates the school, describes the bright young lady. “Setric has shown a lot of passion in her studies, and she hopes to be a nurse to take care of the sick who will rely greatly on her help.”

Setric had hoped to graduate from the Seed School this year but had to hit the pause button on her education due to the COVID-19 pandemic. She has not given up her dream of becoming a nurse safe and secure in the knowledge that one day this will pass.

“We were optimistic that the pandemic ends soon and things normalize for children like Setric to be able to continue their education,” says Patrick.

“The members of the community who are located within the villages where the Seed Foundation operates our programs, such as the Seed School in Kibera, have been very much appreciative of the kind work we are undertaking,” says Patrick. “We thank the supporters of Bread and Water for Africa® for your support of our feeding program for the entire year.”

**BASIC RELIEF**



**GALLERY**



**“Shinga Development Trust is very grateful and proud of the partnership over the years and would like to thank all Americans for supporting the organisation and our zeal to assist the less privileged in Zimbabwe.”**

*-Margaret Makambira, Founder and Executive Director Shinga Development Trust, Zimbabwe*





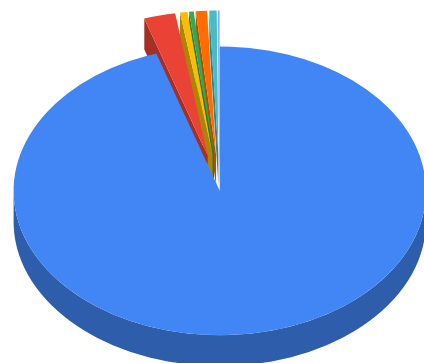
# FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Statements of Activity-year ended June 30, 2021. The financial results depicted here are derived from the Bread and Water for Africa® June 30, 2021, audited financial statements, which contain an unmodified audit opinion. Our complete audited financial statements can be obtained at [www.africanrelief.org](http://www.africanrelief.org); or by calling 1-888-371-6622 and requesting a copy.

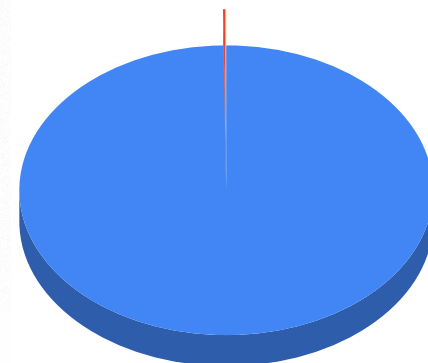
## Statement of Activities For the Year Ended June 30, 2021

	Without Donor Restrictions	2021 With Donor Restrictions	Total
<b>REVENUE AND SUPPORT</b>			
● Noncash contributions from affiliate	\$16,208,557	\$-	\$16,208,557
● Cash contributions from affiliate	418,500	-	418,500
● Other cash contributions	51,943	47,787	99,730
● Workplace campaign contributions	-	62,724	62,724
● Investment income, net	148,873	-	148,873
● Wills and bequests	96,850	-	96,850
● Other income	22,507	-	22,507
Net assets released from restrictions			
Satisfaction of time restrictions	72,633	(72,633)	-
Satisfaction of purpose restrictions	41,890	(41,890)	-
<b>TOTAL REVENUE AND SUPPORT</b>	<b>17,061,753</b>	<b>(4,012)</b>	<b>17,057,741</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
Program Services:			
● International Programs	16,755,427	-	16,755,427
Total Program Services	16,755,427	-	16,755,427
Supporting Services			
● Management and general	29,563	-	29,563
● Development and fundraising	6,563	-	6,563
Total Supporting Services	36,126	-	36,126
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>16,791,553</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16,791,553</b>
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	270,200	(4,012)	266,188
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	422,618	383,726	806,344
<b>NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ 692,818</b>	<b>\$ 379,714</b>	<b>\$ 1,072,532</b>

### Revenue and Support



### Expenses



**99.78% of Total Expenses go towards Program Services!**

## Board of Directors

James J. O'Brien, Esq., Chairman  
Clyde B. (CB) Richardson, Treasurer  
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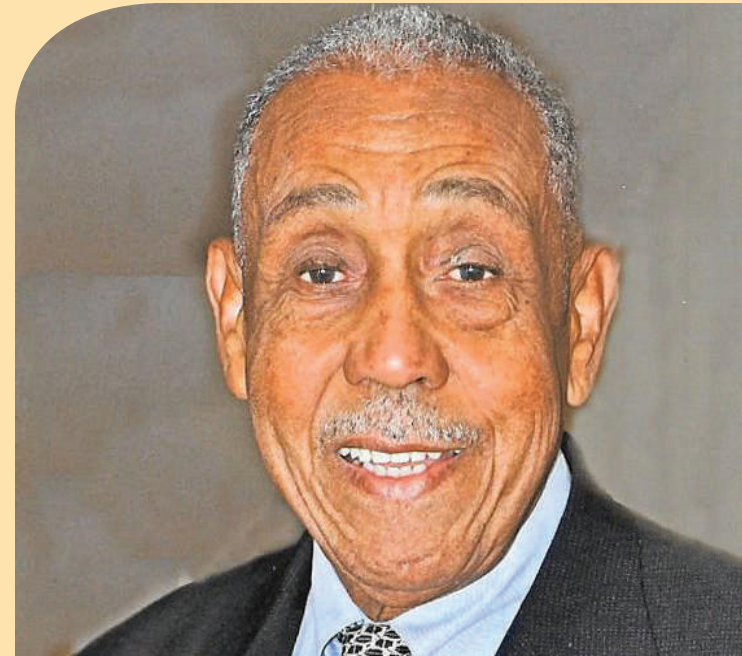
## Corporate Officers (Non-Voting)

Hon. Paul E. Krizek, Esq. Vice President/  
General Counsel  
Bieu Do, Chief Financial Officer  
Nhi Ho Cao, Secretary

## Executive Staff

Bethelhem H. Tessema, Executive Director  
Dave Frank, Fulfillment Manager

## HONORING C.B. RICHARDSON



It is with great sadness we report the passing of Clyde "C.B." Richardson on November 6, 2021, a member of the Christian Relief Services Board of Directors (the parent organization of Bread and Water for Africa®) for more than 32 years who served as Treasurer for most of those years. Remarkably board records indicate he was not in attendance for just three of the annual quarterly meetings during all that time!

Bryan Krizek, President and CEO of Christian Relief Services, the son of Christian Relief Services founder Gene Krizek and his wife Addy commented on C.B.'s passing saying, "C.B., as he is known by all who knew him, was my father's and mother's longest and dearest friend for my entire life, and before. My dad, Gene Krizek, founder of Christian Relief

Services, and mother, Addy, who served beside them on the Christian Relief Services Board of Directors for many years, all worked together with a single purpose – to make the world a better place for the less fortunate whether it was on the reservations in Indian Country, rural, remote villages in countries in sub-Saharan Africa, or in distressed communities throughout Appalachia.

"At 88 years old, he did not see his 'work' ending any time soon.

"Our prayers are with his beloved wife, Loretta, and everyone who was fortunate enough to meet and know C.B. as well as those untold thousands around the world who benefited from his kind and loving heart for all." All of us here at Bread and Water for Africa® including our community partners across sub-Saharan Africa mourn the passing of C.B. Richardson and unite in honoring the exemplary life of a great selfless loving leader and friend of Africa's children.

We fully appreciate the fact that C.B. inspiring leadership and pursuit of excellence have created Bread and Water for Africa® with an enviable reputation for accountability, transparency and trusted to serve the most venerable people in the United States and sub-Saharan Africa.

As we reflect upon the high standards he espoused, we are reminded of the many benefits we attribute to him every day as a formidable leader of our organization for over 30 years.

May he rest in well-deserved peace!



# WE COULD NOT DO IT WITHOUT YOU!

Thank you to all those who continue to believe in our mission and support Bread and Water for Africa® and our partners!

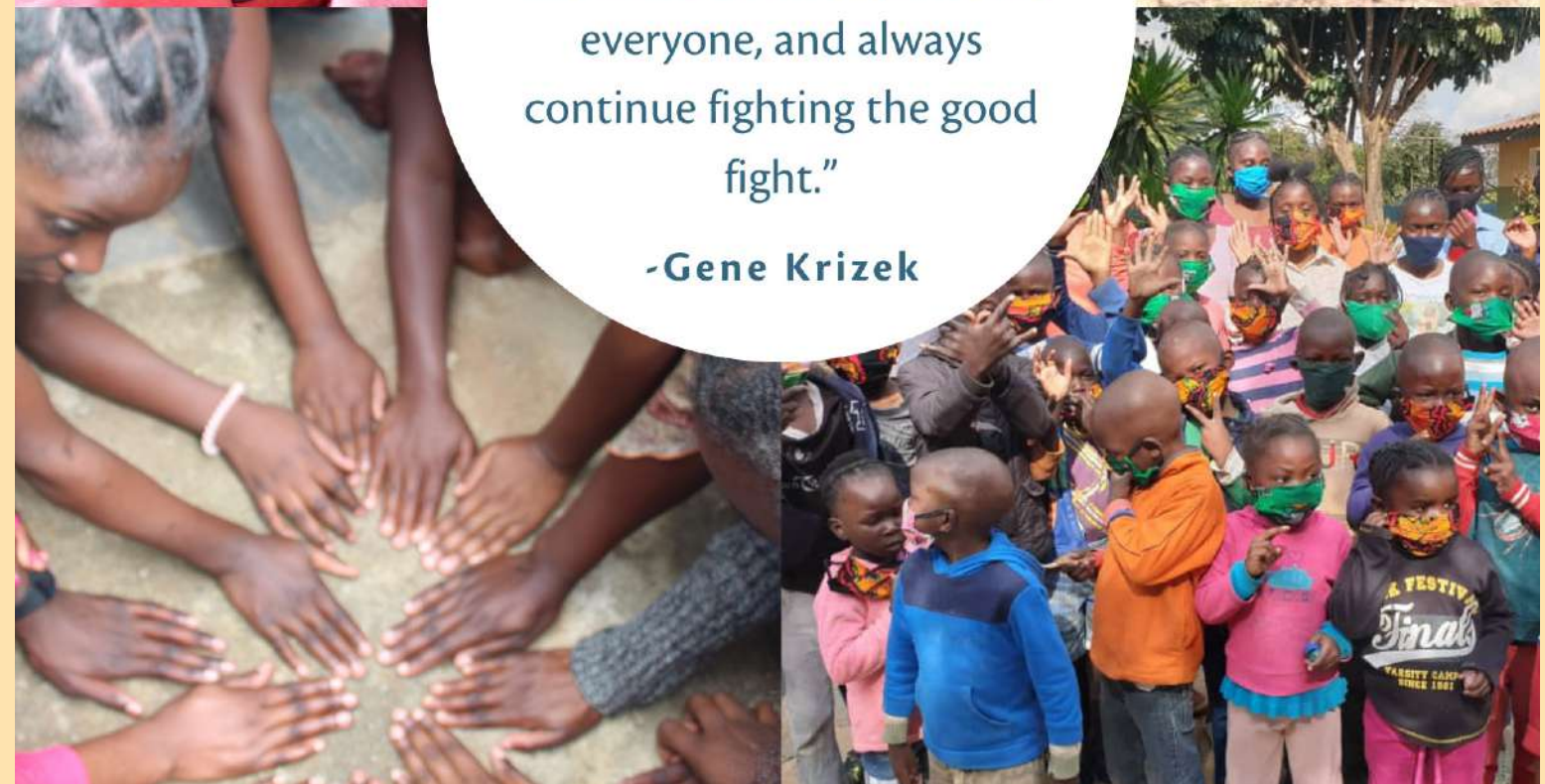
We especially thank all Federal and Military personnel who have contributed to our organization through the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC) and state, local, United Way, and corporate campaigns across the country.

We would also like to express our gratitude to:

- Arms Around Africa for the support of health care, education, and agriculture programs in Sierra Leone.
- Bread and Water for Africa's Board of Directors.
- Bread and Water for Africa's community partners across sub-Saharan Africa.
- Bread and Water for Africa a project of Christian Relief Services donors.
- Catholic Medical Mission Board for support of health care programs.
- CRSC Residential Inc. for supporting Bread and Water for Africa® funding need.
- Eugene and Addy Krizek (Late) Bread and Water for Africa® founders.
- Jeanine Reeves years of support to different BWA's programs.
- Jim Foote Foundation Inc. for the support of Kibera Feeding Program.
- Joseph E. Grush for sponsoring water well projects in Uganda.
- J. Ward MacArthur for years of support to different BWA's programs.
- Joni&friends for health care program support.
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