

EMERGENCY RESPONSE NEEDED



July 29, 2022

Dear <partner_informal>,

This is a crisis that *cannot wait*. That’s why I’m reaching out to you today for an emergency response.

Right now, families living in poverty can’t get enough food.

Officials have sounded the alarm. The World Food Programme says, “Millions of people across the world are at risk of being driven into starvation unless action is taken now to respond together and at a scale.”

The war in Ukraine has caused a devastating food shortage. Without enough food to eat, vulnerable children will go hungry. We are responding to this urgent need, **but we can’t do it without your help. Will you give \$45 to feed a hungry child for 3 months?**

The U.S. isn’t the only country facing inflation right now. Our staff in Africa and the Caribbean are finding it increasingly difficult to help children and families in remote areas. Inflation is driving up the cost of food and other crucial supplies all over the world.

When a child doesn’t have enough to eat, they are robbed of their childhood and their future. They become too weak to run and play with their friends, and without enough nutrients they stop growing. We need to respond now, before it’s too late for children like Andrew.

In a classroom in Uganda, nine-year-old Andrew sits at his desk. He’s trying to listen to his teacher, but all he can think about is his rumbling stomach.

For weeks, Andrew’s family has barely scraped together one

over, please



We need your help to respond to this urgent need.

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Yes! I want to feed a hungry child like Andrew!

I’ve enclosed my gift of:

- ☐ \$45 to feed a hungry child for 3 months
- ☐ \$90 to feed a hungry child for 6 months
- ☐ \$135 to feed a hungry child for 9 months
- ☐ \$_____ to feed as many hungry children as I can

Donation Options:

- ☐ Scan the code to give online →
- ☐ Check enclosed
- ☐ Charge my credit card (see reverse side)



Mail your gift by August 31st to have your gift MATCHED!

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meal a day. Math used to be his favorite class, but now he can't pay attention.

As Andrew sits there, he makes a decision. Tomorrow, he won't be coming to school. He will work and try to earn enough so he can have a meal. Andrew has always dreamed of going to university and becoming a teacher, but he has no choice.

School can wait. He can't ignore how hungry he feels.

You can make sure children don't go hungry in this coming crisis. Please send your gift of \$45 by August 31st so children like Andrew can have life-saving meals for 3 months.

We have an incredible opportunity to help even more vulnerable children. A generous partner has provided a MATCH. Right now, every dollar is critical. You can make that dollar go even further and DOUBLE your impact by giving today.

As Andrew walks home from school, he stumbles along the path. He is feeling weak and scared. Will he ever go back to school? What if he can't eat tomorrow?

No child should go hungry or leave school to work for food. YOU can make sure children like Andrew get meals every day.

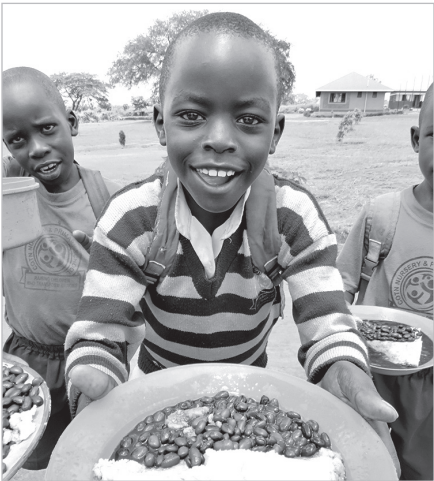
Will you give warm, nutritious meals to a child in need today?

For the Children,



Chris Clark
Founder and CEO

P.S. **Send your gift of \$45 by August 31st to have your gift MATCHED!** It's not too late to save children from this hunger crisis. You can change a child's life starting today.



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