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## Have you ever had a dream for your life?

It might've been a big dream, like getting a good job or a comfortable home, or maybe it was something smaller in scale, like seeing your favourite artist in concert or eating at a special restaurant?

Perhaps you've already realised these dreams, or you might still be working on some of them. Or maybe you now have dreams for other people close to you - your friends, your partner, your children or grandchildren?

Questions like these were occupying my mind a little while ago as I was making my way through Genesis, and came to the passage that reads:

**“God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them...”**

(Genesis 1:27)

Lately this verse has captured my attention again.

So too has the question that follows - what does it mean to be made in God's image?

I've long believed there are important implications of us being made in the image of a creator and relational God.

**But as I've been reflecting on this question more recently, the words 'capacity' and 'possibility' have been particularly resonating with me.**

When God created us in his image, he created us with inherent capacity inside us, and almost infinite possibilities in front of us.

Our capacity to dream about a possible future for our lives, and our capacity to work towards seeing that dream realised, are incredibly powerful in our minds and hearts.

This is easy to see here in Australia. As you look around, the opportunities we have to educate ourselves, earn an income, move freely, find housing and belong in a community are almost endless. And these activities are often the basis of our dreams being realised.

But this isn't as true for the nearly 15,000 people who WorldShare serves, through our partners, around the world each year.

**We know that, like us, every one of these people are created in God's image, filled with capacity and dreams for their lives and their loved ones. But the challenges and hardships of poverty stand in the way, as barriers to them realising these dreams.**

It's almost impossible to realise your dreams when you're sick all the time from dirty drinking water, or when you can't afford to go to school, or when illness and poor care has stolen your ability to hear and communicate.

Part of WorldShare's mission is to equip and empower people in these vulnerable communities; to help remove some of these barriers so they can realise their capacity and possibilities, so they can break the cycle of poverty and flourish.

And we do this because Jesus did so first. We read in John 10 that Jesus came so that we may have life - life to the full.

And throughout the gospels we see him releasing the potential in people - from healing people and giving them a new vision for their life in John 5 (Healing by the pool), to challenging dogmatic beliefs in Mark 2 (Jesus forgives and heals a paralysed man), right through to completely inverting the values of the day in Matthew 5 (the sermon on the mount).

**Jesus knew intimately what it meant that each of us was created in God's image, and he was committed to helping people see this truth for themselves.**

And today this is the work of our ministry partners overseas, work that reflects Jesus' love and bears the image of God - work that you are taking part in, and making possible, through your prayers and support.

So, as you make your way through this edition of Hope Magazine; as you read the stories of Allen, Sophea, Disha, Mary\* and Leo, and you witness the impact that clean water, access to education, crisis support, specialist health care and sharing the gospel is having on their lives and thousands of people like them, I hope you find encouragement in knowing that your support is helping them to realise their God-given capacities and possibilities for their lives.

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Dr Glyn Henman,  
CEO, WorldShare



\*Some names and photos have been changed to protect those we serve.

# A dream reborn

How the challenges of poverty, the care of a community and the power of opportunity, saw a young girl reimagine and ultimately realise her dream of helping others.

**As a young child, Allen dreamed of one day becoming a doctor.**

And even from an early age it appeared that she had the potential to make this dream a reality. She was smart, determined, hardworking and had a heart for helping people in their time of need.

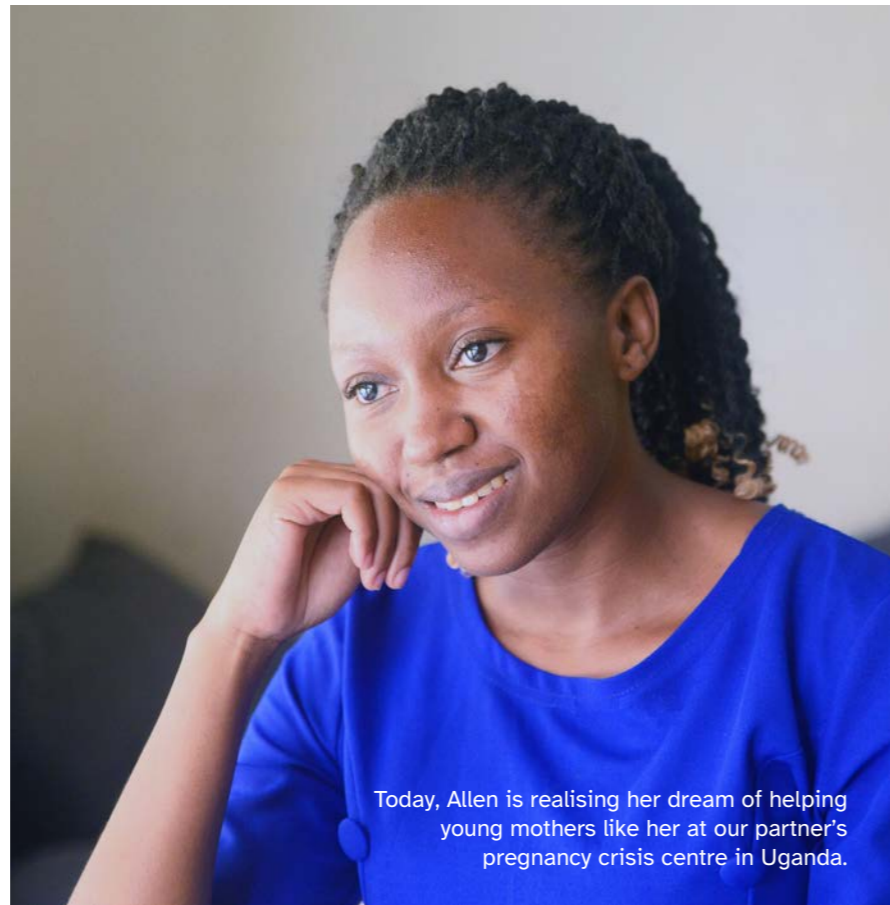
But her life situation was about to take her on a detour – one that would test her resolve, but that would ultimately lead her back to (a slightly different way of) realising her dream of helping others.

## A DREAM DEFERRED

Growing up in rural Uganda, in a family that continually struggled to meet their basic needs, a teenage Allen found herself pushed into a relationship with an older man who promised to financially support her and take care of her.

But it wasn't long into this relationship, when Allen fell pregnant unexpectedly, that, instead of caring for her, the man cast her out from his home.

Suddenly she was pregnant, alone and living on the streets. Her hopes for any kind of future, let alone the one she dreamed of, crumbling before her eyes.



Today, Allen is realising her dream of helping young mothers like her at our partner's pregnancy crisis centre in Uganda.

## CAST OUT, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN

But by the grace of God, Allen was brought to the pregnancy crisis centre run by our ministry partner in Uganda.

The centre offers temporary shelter, pre- and post-natal care and counselling for young girls with unplanned pregnancies. These girls are often victims of sexual abuse and are subsequently abandoned by their families to avoid shame.

Our partner reflects Jesus' love for these outcast young mothers and abused girls by providing them with the care and love they need, right when no-one else will.

At the centre, Allen discovered not just shelter but a community that valued her, reflected Jesus' love for her and believed in her potential. As a result, in addition to physical care and emotional support, our partner offered Allen the chance to learn new vocational skills while she

awaited the arrival of her child.

After giving birth, Allen reconciled with her family (with assistance from our partner's counsellor) and resettled back home, where she spent a year caring for her baby and helping support the family by working on their farm.

But throughout all these challenges and hardships, her determination to return to school and finish her education never wavered.

Driven by this ambition, Allen found a job in the city, saved diligently, and went back to school (while also caring for her child) and successfully completed her Senior 4 education (the equivalent of finishing year 10 here in Australia).

## A DREAM REBORN

Shortly thereafter, Allen's perseverance paid off when a spot in our sponsorship program opened up. This opportunity was the key to unlocking her long-held aspirations to help and to heal.

Thanks to the financial support from her sponsorship\*, she was able to enrol in a School of Nursing and Midwifery, and from there she flourished – excelling both academically, socially and in extracurricular activities like football and chess.

In June this year she passed her final exams, and a few weeks later, in a grace-filled turn of events, she was invited back to the very place that had once been her sanctuary – our partner's pregnancy

crisis centre – where she is currently a midwife in training while she awaits her graduation in November.

It's incredible to see how God has used Allen's hardships to bless her community as she comes to this role with her not just medical knowledge, but a deep understanding of the challenges faced by the women she'll serve.

Allen's story is more than a personal triumph; is a powerful reminder of the transformative power of compassion and opportunity. From a young woman in crisis to a soon-to-be midwife – coming full circle and now caring for others who are facing the very challenges she has seen through – Allen is a wonderful testament of how God is at work, through our partners and your support, to see people's potential being realised.

## Pray with us!

Praise God for all the children in our programs and pray for their parents as they strive to provide safe, loving and nourishing environments for their children despite the incredible challenges they face.

\*This is our young mothers sponsorship to provide girls from the pregnancy crisis centre opportunities to complete their education or undertake further study or vocational skill training.

## MUMS & BUBS

The first few years of a child's life are not only precious, they're also pivotal for ensuring that children have a chance at a healthy, happy, and hopeful life.

The dangers of childbirth, malnutrition, trauma, illnesses and violence at an early age can impact children for the rest of their lives.

Which is why WorldShare's partners run programs for young children and their parents across the globe. And, **thanks to your generous support**, last year:

638

young children enjoyed improved nutrition and greater access to food.

356

kids were treated for early childhood malnutrition and stunting in Indonesia.

87

outcast young mothers were taken in by our partner's pregnancy crisis centre and provided essential medical care.

76

pre-school aged children in India were provided early childhood education, nutritious meals and care.

# Holding hope in her hands

How clean water and clean hands cleared a path for Sophea to get back into the classroom.



With clean water and better hygiene, hope for a better future is now in Sophea's hands.

**It's almost impossible to live the life God intended when you're sick all the time.**

A few years ago, this was just one of many challenges that were holding a young Sophea\* back from being able to realise her potential.

But today, in a small village in Cambodia, Sophea's life has been completely transformed by two things many of us take for granted – clean water and basic hygiene. Her story is a testament to the power of simple interventions and the ripple effect they can have on a child's life, education, and future.

**A CHALLENGING START – WHEN POOR HEALTH STANDS IN YOUR WAY**

Sophea lives with her elderly grandmother in a modest house. Her parents are forced to work far away in Phnom Penh as construction and garment factory workers in order to provide for the family. As the only child, Sophea has faced numerous challenges, but none as pervasive as the lack of access to clean water.

In the past, Sophea and her grandmother relied on unsafe sources like rainwater or unboiled well water for their daily needs. The consequences

were severe: frequent bouts of illness, particularly diarrhea, which not only affected Sophea's health but also her education. Missing school became a regular occurrence, and the family's limited resources were often spent on medicine rather than other essential needs.

**CLEAN WATER, CLEAN HANDS, AND A CLEARED PATH BACK TO THE CLASSROOM**

In July 2021, Sophea's life began to change for the better when she was selected for our ministry partner's school development program.

The program provided Sophea and her family with:

**Hygiene Materials:**

Toothbrushes, toothpaste, nail clippers, and soap became readily available, allowing Sophea to practice better personal hygiene.

**Water Filters:** Perhaps the most significant change came in the form of water filters for both home and school, ensuring access to clean, safe drinking water at all times.

**Educational Support:** Study materials were provided, along with food packages for the family, addressing both educational and nutritional needs.

**Mentorship and Education:**

Regular home and school visits by the program team reinforced the importance of hygiene, proper nutrition, and education.

But the program provided more than just material support; it offered hope and a path to a healthier future.

**HEALTH, HOPE, AND HAPPINESS - SOPHEA'S TRANSFORMATION**

The transformation in Sophea's life has been remarkable. She now understands and applies good hygiene practices in her daily life. Regular hand washing, nail trimming, bathing, and teeth brushing have become part of her routine. Most importantly, she always has access to clean, safe water.

The impact extends beyond just health. Sophea now attends school regularly, no longer hindered by frequent illnesses. Her family spends less time and money on boiling water and purchasing medicine, freeing up resources for other needs.

Sophea's own words best capture the significance of this change:

*"I am so happy because now my family has a water filter at home, so I always have clean or safe water to drink any time. My health is so good compared with [before joining the program]. Now I do not get sick all the time and I can attend school every day!"*

It's amazing to see the impact that something as basic as clean water can have to transform lives and see children, families and communities flourish.

**Pray with us!**

Praise God that simple interventions like water filters and hygiene packs can have such a powerful impact on vulnerable families' health and their ability to hope for a better future.

**Give a gift of health**

If you want to give a vulnerable family the gift of health, you can check out our brand-new **HARVEST OF HOPE** gifts that provide hygiene kits and clean water for vulnerable families.



Scan here to discover gifts



## HEALTH, HYGIENE & HOPE

Health is one of the most basic necessities for living a full life like God intended. But sadly, millions of people (like Sophea) regularly suffer preventable illnesses as a result of dirty drinking water or poor hygiene.

Which is why WorldShare's partners run clean water, hygiene and health programs throughout India, Africa, southeast Asia and the south pacific. And, **thanks to your generous support**, last year:

**4,089**

people took part in health awareness and training programs.

**2,854**

people were provided with improved access to medical services.

**651**

families in Southeast Asia took part in sanitation and hygiene awareness raising activities and received personal hygiene packs.

**57**

families (like Sophea's) in rural Cambodia were provided with water filters to provide clean drinking water.

# A mother's decision, a daughter's dream.

Bravery, determination and a community of believers are helping Disha and her mother realise their dreams for a better life.

Disha's determination to embrace the opportunity she's been given has seen her excel in the classroom.



**The moment Disha's\* mother first looked into her daughter's eyes; she knew something had to change.**

A few years earlier, she'd been told that she wasn't able to have children, but as she lay there, holding her miracle child, she knew she had to take her away from the situation waiting for them at home, a household that was becoming increasingly unstable and unsafe.

Driven by the hope of a better future for her daughter, Disha's mother spent the next year preparing for what lay ahead, scraping together a small amount of savings and gathering her courage. And shortly after Disha's first birthday, her mother scooped

her up and took a final, faithful, step out their front door into the unknown.

### A NEW FAMILY OF FAITH

By the grace of God, a local church community became their lifeline.

Disha's mum had discovered the church a few months earlier, while walking the streets nearby their home, lost in thought about the situation she was in.

The people there had welcomed her, comforted her and supported her through the trials she'd been facing.

And now that she had stepped out on her own, they rallied around her once again. With

their support, the small family secured a home, Disha's mother found work as a maid, and they began building a new life together.

### THE NEXT CHALLENGE

Over the years that followed, while her mother worked tirelessly at her job, they were still only scraping by.

And so, as Disha approached school age, her mother began to face the heart-wrenching reality that, despite her best efforts so far to secure a better life for her daughter, she couldn't afford to send Disha to school.

But once again, hope came from their family of faith. A fellow church member told them

about our local ministry partner in Bangalore that runs a school and offers scholarships through WorldShare's child sponsorship program.

### EMBRACING THE OPPORTUNITY

Disha shares her mother's courage and determination and so when she was accepted into school through sponsorship she stepped into the opportunity and never looked back.

Now 13-years-old and in the eighth grade, Disha has flourished. Grateful for the support she's received, she has embraced her education with both hands, consistently ranking

in the top of her class with her grades regularly exceeding 90%.

And Disha's growth extends beyond academics. She discovered a passion for singing and has become a valued member of the school choir. A love for reading has expanded her horizons, while participation in traditional Indian games like kho-kho and kabaddi has helped her develop physically and socially.

### OPPORTUNITY COMES FULL CIRCLE

The close bond between Disha and her mother has always been the foundation for their shared dreams. Disha deeply

appreciates the sacrifices her mother has made, and the opportunities that have been opened to her, which is why her current dreams for the future come back to her mother.

*"I want to make the most of the opportunities I've been given. I plan to work hard, get a good job and give my mum a chance to live the life she deserves."*

As Disha continues to excel academically, nurture her talents, and pursue her dreams, she stands as a living example of the impact that your support, through child sponsorship, can have on individuals, families, and entire communities.

## SUPPORT & CONNECTION THROUGH SPONSORSHIP

Child sponsorship is a powerful way to support vulnerable children like Disha and provide them with an opportunity to realise their full potential through education, health care and family support.

But sponsorship can provide even more than that, it's also an opportunity to share your lives – and God's love - with these children, through exchanging letters and prayers.

WorldShare currently has sponsorship programs in Uganda, India and Cambodia (with more countries coming soon) and

thanks to your generous support, last year:

**964**

children were provided opportunities to flourish through education, health care and family support; as well as a chance to experience Jesus's love and connection with Christians here in Australia through exchanging letters and prayers.

If you want to find out more about child sponsorship head to [www.worldshare.org.au/sponsor](http://www.worldshare.org.au/sponsor).



Scan here to find out more.



A shared hope for the future - Disha and her mother on the day she was accepted into the sponsorship program.

### Pray with us!

Praise God for the bravery of Disha's mum and pray for all the parents in these vulnerable communities that are working tirelessly and making sacrifices to give their children a chance for a better future.

# Serving in silence

One woman's journey from suffering, through silence, to spreading the gospel to deaf communities in the DRC.



## ***Mary's\* early years were filled with the typical joys and sounds of childhood.***

Until one night when she suddenly began having a high fever and violent convulsions. In a desperate attempt to save their daughter's life, Mary's parents rushed her to a local clinic.

However, what should have been a lifesaving intervention became the catalyst for a profound change in Mary's life. A misadministered injection led to severe complications, causing Mary to fall into a coma. For six long months, she lay in the intensive care unit of the General Hospital, 150 kilometres from home, as her parents prayed for her recovery.

When Mary finally awoke, the world had fallen silent. The meningitis that had nearly taken her life had also stolen her ability to hear and speak. At just four years old, Mary found herself navigating a world without sound.

## **A NEW LANGUAGE, A NEW HOPE**

Despite the challenges, Mary's family refused to let her condition define her future. In 2008, they moved to Goma to enrol her at our ministry partner's Centre for the Deaf.

In the DR Congo, deaf people face heavy stigma and are risk of missing out on basic necessities like healthcare and education.

The Centre for the Deaf provides the only specialist services for the deaf in the entire North Kivu region (of around 9 million people), and includes a primary and secondary school, a vocational training program, a health clinic, and churches, all of which communicate in sign language.

At the Centre, Mary discovered a new language – sign language – which opened up a world of communication and connection she had been missing. She thrived in her studies, eventually obtaining

her primary school certificate and advancing to secondary education.

## **A CALLING**

As Mary grew, so did her faith. She became an active member of her church, participating in the choir (via sign language) and youth ministry. However, she noticed a gap – many deaf individuals did not have the same access to God's word as their hearing counterparts. This realisation ignited a passion within Mary, a calling to bridge this divide.

Mary's dedication led her to a Bible College in Kampala, in nearby Uganda. For three years, she immersed herself in theological studies, graduating in 2023 with a degree that equipped her to serve her community in profound new ways.

## **A VOICE FOR THE VOICELESS**

Today, at 20 years old, Mary stands as a beacon of hope and inspiration. She serves God within the deaf church at the Centre for the Deaf in Goma, using her experience and education to bring the word of God to those who might otherwise never hear it.

***"Thanks to the word of God, I feel transformed and ready to face the challenges of life," Mary signs with a radiant smile. "At church, God uses me in collaboration with our pastor and I believe that in my future, I will be even more useful."***

Mary's aspirations extend beyond her local community. ***"For me,"*** she expresses,

***"it's crucial to undertake evangelistic missions in both nearby and distant places, to save people and bring them to Christ."***

Mary's journey from a child plunged into silence to a young woman amplifying God's message is a testament to the power of faith, education, and opportunity.

# SHARING THE GOSPEL

For over 80 years WorldShare's ministry partners have been finding unique and radical ways to show and share Jesus' love with vulnerable communities across the world.

Through our programs we're seeing the gospel make incredible inroads in Cambodia, rural Uganda, southeast Asia and the DR Congo (particularly in the deaf community thanks to evangelists like Mary).

And ***thanks to your generous support***, last year:

**1,146**

people heard the gospel through outreach activities.

**272**

people made professions of faith as a result of evangelism programs.

**236**

chaplains and gospel workers were trained and supported.

## **Pray with us!**

Praise God for the good news of Jesus Christ and the opportunity for salvation and hope it offers. Pray for our ministry partners and individuals like Mary as they bravely share the gospel in their communities.

\*Some names and photos have been changed to protect those we serve.

# Stepping out in faith

**How a young student's commitment to give before he was able has seen lives transformed, including his own.**

In our previous issue of Hope Magazine, we were excited to launch our brand-new **Transformation Project**. The Project is a monthly giving program designed to transform lives, restore hope, and share Jesus' love (you can find more details at the end of this story). But we were even more excited when, shortly thereafter, we had our first supporter join the project!

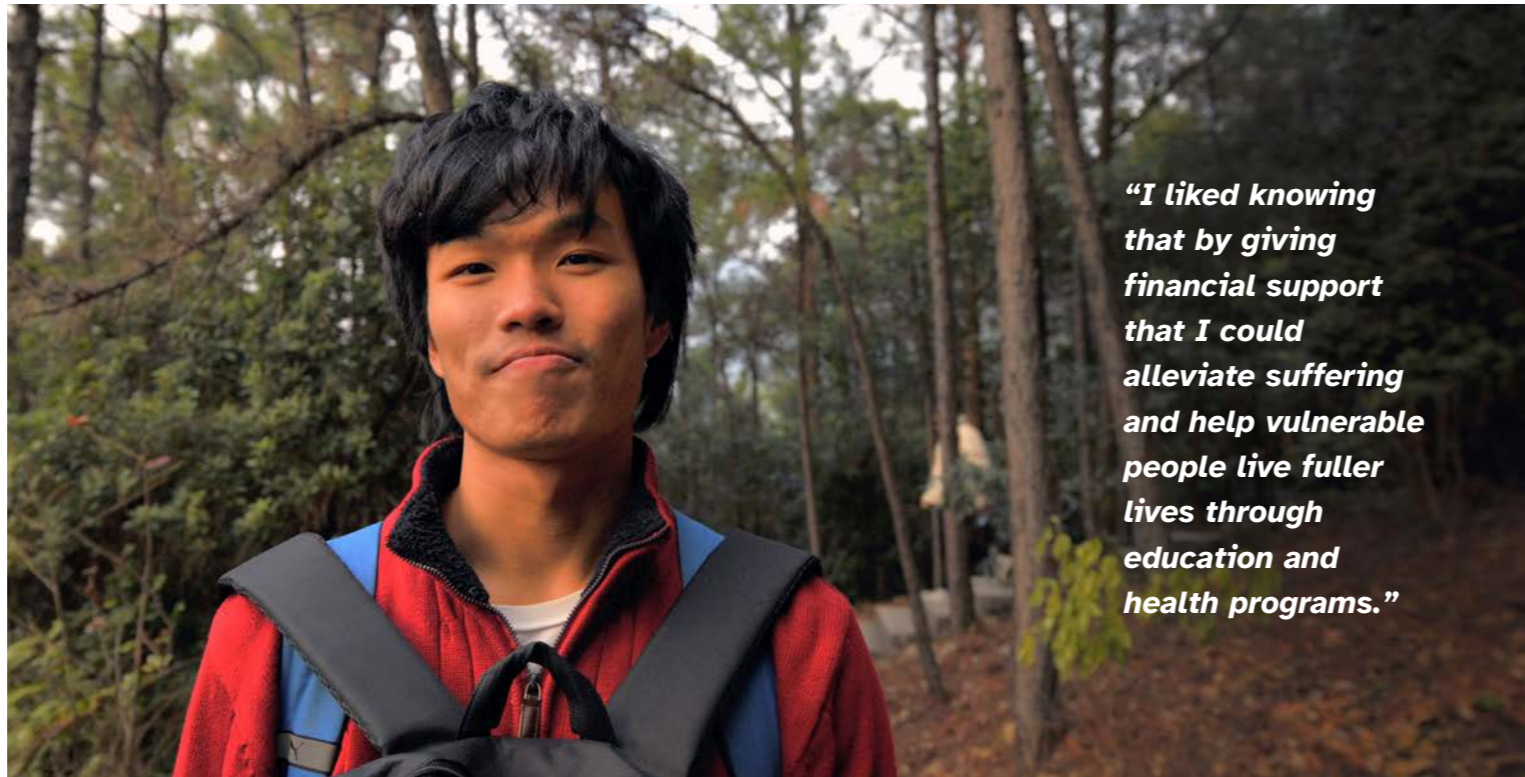
Leo is a university student, who clearly has a heart for the vulnerable, and who has a great story of stepping out in faith to commit to regularly giving to the work of WorldShare.

We recently gave him a call between classes to say 'thanks', and to find out what made him want to commit to our work in this way.

*WorldShare: Hi Leo, how's your day going?*

*Leo: It's going great. I'm currently studying chemical engineering at UNSW and this week is lab open week, where PhD students take us through their research. I just finished hearing from a group that's working to cure cancer with nanoparticles. So that was pretty exciting.*

*WS: Wow, that does sound exciting.*



*when I can and some of them have an incredible vitality and life force.*

*So, I was already thinking about how I could support people in need, so they could have a fuller*

***"I liked knowing that by giving financial support that I could alleviate suffering and help vulnerable people live fuller lives through education and health programs."***

*life, and then when you visited our church, I realised that I also wanted to extend that to vulnerable people overseas, beyond Australia.*

*I liked knowing that by giving financial support that I could alleviate suffering and help vulnerable people live fuller lives through education and health programs.*

*WS: That's amazing. Do you feel like your faith plays a part in your heart for the vulnerable?*

*Leo: Yes, definitely. Reading the bible and some of my Christian friends have influenced me in this way. But to be honest*

*I think churches should be preaching on this more. Sometimes I think they can get a bit too caught up in the theoretical and not spend enough time focussing on putting his love into action.*

*I think you guys at WorldShare are doing an amazing job bringing about action.*

*WS: Well, thank you Leo. Like you, we obviously would love to see more churches and Christians sharing God's love for the vulnerable in this way, so thank you for your encouragement and thanks for your support.*

*Is there anything else you wanted to mention before I let you go to your next class?*

*Leo: Yes, actually. I wanted to share a sort of testimony.*

*So, at the time when you came to our church, I wasn't prepared to donate anything, because I don't have a job and what money I have is just enough to support myself.*

*So, I was thinking that once I get a good job, I'll donate then. But then Dan [WorldShare's Church Representative] shared a story about how God often provides in unexpected ways if we freely give to others.*

*So, I decided that God was speaking to me through that story, and I decided to sign up to the Transformation Project, without knowing how I could afford it.*

*Anyway, I've been looking for a job, I've probably sent over 40 resumes since then, but*

*I haven't had any replies. So, I was starting to have doubts about God providing, but then out of nowhere one of my professors approached me and told me about a research project that pays participants \$6,000 and he was keen to have me in it. It took a few weeks to work out, but I just found out that I've been accepted into it.*

*WS: That's incredible, what a great story, praise God. Thanks for sharing, Leo.*

The **Transformation Project** is a monthly giving program that is transforming lives by providing the world's most vulnerable people with opportunities to get an education, receive health care and hear the gospel.

Joining us in this project is one of the most powerful and effective ways that you can transform lives, restore hope, and share Jesus' love!

You can join the project (or find out more) by heading to [www.worldshare.org.au/transformation](http://www.worldshare.org.au/transformation) or giving us a call at **1300 009 109**.



Scan here to find out more.



*“Therefore, if you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, any comfort from his love...then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind.”*

– Philippians 2:1-2

## Let's church together

**We believe that sharing Jesus' love for the vulnerable is an essential part of following Christ's example and striving to be more like him.**

Throughout the Gospels we see Jesus' love for the vulnerable and outcast and then in Acts we see the early church following his example in doing the same.

So, as you come together at church each week to worship, learn and be in community with one another, we'd love to join you; to encourage you and share ways you can show Jesus' love today.

Our CEO, Dr Glyn Henman, has over 30 years ministry experience and he loves sharing stories of Jesus' love with church communities like yours.

We can be as involved as you'd like - from giving sermons, to short presentations up front, right through to just having a display and presence up the back after the service - and between our church ministry team we'll be available to join you on almost any Sunday (or mid-week bible study) of the year.

So, if you're interested or would like to know more, please get in touch at [worldshare@worldshare.org.au](mailto:worldshare@worldshare.org.au) or give us a call at 1300 009 109, we'd love to join you

## Visit the field

**Upcoming pastor and supporter insight trips**

There is nothing as powerful as seeing the work of our partners with your own eyes. Visiting the field on one of our insight trips means you can feel the ground and smell the air, you can see the challenges our partners face and the incredible impact they're making on the faces of people in their community.

**WHEN:** We'll be running a Supporters Insight Trip to one of our Asian partners in 2025 and a Pastors Insight Trip in 2025 so if you're interested to join or find out more, please get in touch at [worldshare@worldshare.org.au](mailto:worldshare@worldshare.org.au) or give us a call at **1300 009 109**.



# Opportunities to transform

Right now, our partners have a number of exciting projects that are ready to launch but still need to secure funding to go ahead.

Each of these projects is an incredible opportunity to transform people's lives and communities overseas. We've included a quick overview of three of the most urgent needs below and so if you are interested in funding any of these projects, or would like to know more, please get in touch.

### Provide clean drinking water for an entire school Cambodia

For kids in Cambodia, a lack of clean drinking water is a significant barrier to them living a full life. In particular (as we saw in Sophea's story on page 6), it impacts their ability to get an education.

In fact, at the schools that we partner with in rural Cambodia children regularly miss class due to preventable illnesses, as a result of unsafe drinking water and poor hygiene.

Our ministry partner in Cambodia is addressing these challenges by installing large-scale water filtration tanks in their schools, so that students, teachers and the surrounding community, can enjoy clean drinking water, better health and make it to class more often.

We've seen great success with this initiative at three schools so far, and we're currently looking to expand this into more of the schools (and their communities) we serve.

FUNDING REQUIRED **\$10,240**

### Building ventilated toilet blocks at a Vocational Training Centre for the deaf in the DR Congo

Deaf people in the DR Congo face heavy stigma, which often prevents them from accessing basic healthcare, education, and opportunities for employment.

Our ministry partner provides the only specialist services for the deaf community in a region of around 9 million people. This includes a primary and secondary school, a vocational training program, a health clinic, and churches, all of which communicate in sign language.

Their vocational training centre is particularly transformative as it equips and empowers deaf people with the skills they need to earn an income, gain their independence, and integrate into the 'hearing' community.

Right now, the centre critically needs new ventilated toilet blocks (including 10 toilets) to ensure that students have adequate sanitation while attending the centre.

FUNDING REQUIRED **\$41,600**

### Expand our Healthy Families program in Indonesia

Our ministry partner in Indonesia recently launched a program in southwest Sumba in response to the region's incredibly high rates of child malnutrition and stunting.

The program started small but has shown great promise in providing improved agriculture and sustainable food sources, improved health practices and nutrition awareness to prevent illness, micro-finance and business training to move families from subsistence living to reliable income generation, and improved family communication and parenting skills (with a focus on children's rights and preventing family violence).

Right now, with your support, we have a great opportunity to expand this Healthy Families program in the region to increase these incredible impacts and share them with more of the community.

FUNDING REQUIRED **\$95,488**



# Get involved!

## PRAY



Sign up for our monthly prayer and praise newsletter with daily prayer points from our partners in the field.

Sign up by emailing us at [worldshare@worldshare.org.au](mailto:worldshare@worldshare.org.au).

## GIFT



Give your friends and family a gift that shows your love for them and share's Jesus' love for the outcast and forgotten through our Harvest of Hope gift catalogue.

[gifts.worldshare.org.au](https://gifts.worldshare.org.au)



## JOIN



Join in our Transformation Project by signing up to give on a monthly basis.

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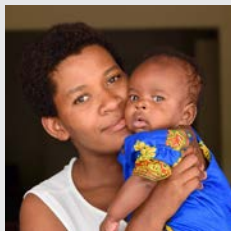


Transform a vulnerable child's life through child sponsorship.

[worldshare.org.au/donate/sponsor-a-child](https://worldshare.org.au/donate/sponsor-a-child)



## LEAVE A LEGACY



Leaving a gift in your Will is one of the most powerful ways to see lives transformed through Jesus' love for generations to come.

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