

Know of someone in need? Contact the Missions Team

Faith Church invites all parishioners to take part in mission outreach. **If you identify an individual or nonprofit that needs our help, let us know** by filling out the grant proposal under “Faith in Action” on the church website, faithec.org.

You can also suggest a mission by emailing faithec@faithec.org or attending a Missions Team meeting.

Most important, when the Missions Team designates a collection to benefit missions, especially at Christmas and Easter, please respond generously.

Mission grants provide funds, in-kind contributions and volunteers for local, national and international needs. **We focus on doing the most good with the resources we receive and are especially concerned with hunger and homelessness in our community.**

Our grants support the recipients directly; we don't fund operating expenses. We do require each recipient to account for the funds and let us know how they helped.

The Missions Team thoughtfully and prayerfully considers all proposals at least monthly and more often when needed. Last year, Faith donated nearly \$50,000 to its missions.



Missions Ministry at Faith

Since our founding in 1992 and our consecration as a parish church in 2003, Faith Episcopal Church has committed to follow Christ's call to reach out to people in need. Led by the Missions Team, our parishioners have donated more than \$500,000 to disadvantaged individuals and to nonprofits that support underserved populations in El Dorado County and beyond.

Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me. (Matthew 25:40)



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Cover photo: Grace tends her farm in Kenya. With a grant from Spirit in Action, which Faith supports, she expanded the farm and can now feed her family all year and earn money selling her surplus

FAITH EPISCOPAL CHURCH Missions Ministry



Your support of Faith's Missions Team



helps people
in need —
at home and
around the
world

Blanca, a Honduran mother of four, clutches packs of essentials we provided through her church

We fund a school in South Sudan, feed the hungry in Honduras, shelter local families, repair homes for seniors, advocate for abused youths and much more

Share with the Lord's people who are in need," Romans 12 entreats us. At Faith Episcopal Church, we are doing the Lord's work.

Our Missions Ministry – opening our hearts to the world community and giving to others in need – is a keystone of our faith. We bestow generously and know our offerings are making a difference, not only in the lives of the people we serve but in our own spiritual lives as well.

The Missions Team directs the giving at Faith, but we welcome anyone to submit a grant for aid. The congregation's participation

ensures our gifts are personal. We share the joy when a girl graduates from high school in the poorest country on earth. We see the gratitude when our El Dorado County neighbors receive diapers for their babies or shelter they desperately need. We savor thankful letters from a struggling church in a third-world village. We celebrate the success of people we've helped to thrive.

Paul in 1 Timothy commands us "to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share." Through our missions, Faith Church is living Paul's words.

FACES OF FAITH'S MISSIONS



Aidan and his mom read at library storytime, a literacy component of First Five in El Dorado County



Bill enjoys a free daily hot meal at Upper Room in Placerville. The agency offers a multitude of services for people in need



Elizabeth leans into a hug from her proud mom as she graduates from high school, rare for girls in South Sudan



Local high schoolers sculpt bowls for the annual Empty Bowls fundraiser to help food-insecure residents of El Dorado County