



# FAITH IN ACTION TOOLKIT

ENGAGING FAITH COMMUNITIES TO END  
GLOBAL HUNGER WITH WFP USA

*Champa and King are having their WFP supported school lunch at Naxiengdee school in Laos where families are impacted by high living costs. Photo: WFP/Vilakhone Sipaseuth/Laos/2024*

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*In Mali, vegetables being prepared for a meal. Photo: WFP/Arete/Arlette Bashizi/Mali/2022*



# WELCOME

Welcome to the Faith in Action Toolkit! As part of World Food Program USA's mission to end global hunger, this resource aims to empower faith communities with the tools, inspiration, and practical strategies to join the fight against global hunger.

Here, you'll find educational materials, ways to get involved with our work and ideas to energize your fundraising efforts.

## ABOUT WFP USA

World Food Program USA supports the mission of the World Food Programme (WFP) by mobilizing American policymakers, businesses and individuals to advance the global movement to end hunger.

## OUR FAITH-BASED PARTNERS

Faith-based organizations are an integral part of our institutional partnerships. Guided by our mission and the visionary leadership of our partners, we work confidently with communities to break the cycle of hunger, malnutrition, and poverty. We work hard to help families and communities achieve stability and long-term food security. Please contact us at 202-627-3939 or email [foundations@wfpusa.org](mailto:foundations@wfpusa.org).

MORE ON OUR MISSION

MEET OUR PARTNERS



Photo: WFP/Vilakhone Sipaseuth/Laos/2024



Photo: WFP/Giulio d'Adamo/Tajikistan/2023



Photo: WFP/Anastasiia Honcharuk/Ukraine/2023

# WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

## FAITH-BASED COMMUNITIES PLAY AN ESSENTIAL ROLE IN THE MOVEMENT TO END HUNGER.

Each step of our toolkit invites faith leaders, youth, and advocates to learn about global hunger, connect with others, and mobilize communities.



**EDUCATE.**



**ENGAGE.**



**FUNDRAISE.**

By sharing resources and nurturing a spirit of compassion, faith communities can raise awareness of the global hunger crisis and deliver lifesaving food to those in need around the world.

*In Namibia, this school-centered project focuses on healthy diets and efficient practices to deliver affordable food within integrated food systems approach. Photo: WFP/Erxi Wang/Namibia/2024*

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HE IS NOT A BELIEVER  
WHOSE STOMACH IS  
FILLED WHILE HIS  
NEIGHBOR GOES  
HUNGRY.”

– PROPHET MUHAMMAD (PBUH)



# EDUCATE

Discover our mission and where we work by exploring these resources, featuring videos and interactive quizzes that will both inform and inspire you to join our global efforts.

## WHERE DO WE WORK?

Discover the regions and countries where World Food Program USA is making a meaningful impact in the fight against global hunger.

[VIEW WHERE WE WORK](#)

## QUIZZES

Test your knowledge and discover new insights about global hunger and the World Food Programme with our interactive quizzes. Challenge yourself and share what you learn with your community!

### WHO IS WFP QUIZ

*How much do you know about the World Food Programme?*

### WHAT IS GLOBAL HUNGER QUIZ

*How much do you know about hunger around the world?*

### PLAY THE FREERICE GAME

*Play the trivia game. When you play World Food Programme's Freerice game, you're helping end world hunger.*

## WFP USA VIDEOS

Explore the links below. Discover inspiring videos, field updates and stories that show how your support helps transform lives. Connect, learn, and share. Every view brings us closer to ending global hunger together.

[YOU MAKE A DIFFERENCE](#)

[FOOD IS A HUMAN RIGHT WE MUST PROTECT](#)

# ENGAGE

Whether it's keeping up to date on global events or joining our efforts by taking action, there are ways for everyone to support a world without hunger.

## WRITE TO CONGRESS

Severe funding shortfalls have forced WFP to scale back or completely halt operations in some of the worst crisis zones. Write to your members of Congress and ask them to support funding for global food aid programs.

[SEND A MESSAGE](#)

## GET UPDATES ON GLOBAL HUNGER

Sign up for the latest news and stories from the frontlines of hunger around the world.

[SIGN UP FOR UPDATES](#)

## FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Connect with @WFPUSA on social media to stay updated, share your passion, and help amplify the movement to end global hunger — every engagement brings us closer to a world without hunger.



Photo: WFP/Alaa Noman/Yemen/2023



Photo: WFP/Samantha Reinders/Nepal/2023



Photo: WFP/Eulalia Berlanga/South Sudan/2024

# Advocate

## ZERO HUNGER GENERATION

The Zero Hunger Generation (ZHG) is World Food Program USA's youth movement to end world hunger. ZHG is a powerful initiative to empower college students and young professionals to take action on the global hunger crisis.

[LEARN MORE ABOUT ZHG AT WFP USA](#)

## FAITH, FOOD & JUSTICE GUIDE

Utilize and tailor the guide to align with your message.

[DOWNLOAD HERE](#)

## ADVOCATE TO END HUNGER

Every year, World Food Program USA advocates for strong U.S. government funding for global food aid programs. Learn more about advocacy with WFP USA and how you can make a difference

[LEARN MORE ABOUT ADVOCACY AT WFP USA](#)

*In Ecuador, Martha is a teacher at the Carlos Montúfar School, and participates in the school meals program. She travels two hours each morning to teach her 157 students. Photo: WFP/Gonzalo Ruiz/Ecuador/2024*

“  
FOR I WAS  
HUNGRY AND YOU  
GAVE ME FOOD...”

– MATTHEW 25:35



# FUNDRAISE

Throughout the year, many communities around the world observe special seasons of generosity and reflection - whether through the practice of Tzedakah, acts of charity at Eid, Zakat al-Fitr during Ramadan, the practice of tithing, or the spirit of giving during holidays such as Diwali, Christmas, and Vesak. These seasons are rooted in traditions of giving, reflection and compassion.

Just as communities around the world pause during special seasons, WFP USA also takes moments like World Humanitarian Day and Giving Tuesday to reflect on the vital work of humanitarians and the generosity that drives our shared efforts to end hunger and support those in need around the world.

Regardless of faith or tradition, channeling your community's goodwill during these sacred moments can make a powerful impact. By supporting hunger relief efforts together, you help ensure vulnerable families receive life-saving food. **Your generosity brings hope and nourishment to those in need worldwide.**

## Opportunities

Turn your compassion into action with a variety of meaningful ways to fundraise and make a difference. Use the ShareTheMeal app, start a fundraiser or become an institutional partners for greater impact, through ongoing support and collaboration.

### SHARETHEMEAL

ShareTheMeal is the award-winning app of the United Nations World Food Programme that enables users to send food with just a tap on their smartphone.

[DOWNLOAD THE APP](#)

### START A FUNDRAISER

Create a fundraiser on behalf of World Food Program USA that you can share anywhere online, such as social media, email or on your blog/website.

[START A FUNDRAISER](#)

### BECOME AN INSTITUTIONAL PARTNER

Our institutional partners feed thousands of people worldwide and help communities get back on their feet after an emergency.

[BECOME A PARTNER](#)

# RESOURCES

WFP USA NEWS

WFP USA IMPACT REPORTS

UNDERSTANDING  
HUNGER

12 THINGS YOU DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT THE WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME

*Palwasha is six years old and a first grade student in the Posht-e-Road district of Farah, Afghanistan. She receives a daily snack from WFP. Photo: WFP/Mohammad Hasib Hazinyar/Afghanistan/2024*

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

This toolkit helps you  
turn compassion into  
action, powered by faith.

