





...AGAINST THE ASSAULT OF LAUGHTER, NOTHING CAN STAND

MARK TWAIN

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OneHopeChildren **BACKGROUND**



“Our job is to love others without stopping to inquire whether or not they are worthy. That is not our business and, in fact, it is nobody's business. What we are asked to do is to love, and this love itself will render both ourselves and our neighbors worthy.”

– Thomas Merton

OneHopeChildren, Foundation is a 501 (c) 3 officially incorporated in 2008 and granted tax exempt status on September 13, 2010. All donations to the foundation are tax deductible

Vision

- **Service:** Constructive forthrightness in all that we do, with a high standard of dedication and professionalism.
- **Excellence:** Commitment to stewardship by following best practices.
- **Integrity:** Pursue and achieve goals by standing up for what is morally right, staying honest, and fulfilling commitments and promises.
- **Growth:** Optimize goals through innovative strategies and shared missions.
- **Teamwork:** Collaborate to achieve excellence through shared goals and shared responsibilities.

Mission

- To give each child a chance of having at least a basic education.
- To identify and accommodate the hopes and dreams of children through research and innovative programs.
- To create and inspire HOPE through meaningful programming.
- To provide every child with the opportunity for quality healthcare.
- To collaborate with the local communities in providing a loving and nurturing environment for every child.
- To partner with the local and state governments, business, educational, medical and religious institutions for the welfare of children.
- To help children and young adults acquire the self-confidence, determination and skills to match the dynamic challenges in the global work, academic, and management landscapes.

OUR GOAL

- Establish a sustainable source for funding scholarships
- To inspire hope
- To build a positive mind set
- To build a sustainable health management system
- Establish citadel of learning





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OUR HISTORY

Fr Felix was born towards the end of the Nigerian Civil War which, for more than half a century, deeply impacted the political and economic paths of the Nigerian nation state. Felix writes “I was too young to remember the last stages of this war, but I do recall the aftermath. These early childhood experiences were the impetus for my present anti-poverty campaign.

When I was about three, I repeatedly asked my father why he had to leave early every morning to return very late each evening to the village where we had moved because of the Nigerian civil war. My father went back to work at the coal mines in 1972, when the mines reopened after the civil war. Each day, he commuted about 24km (14 miles) via public transportation from our village to the coal mines in the creek-valley city of Enugu known as the COAL CITY, the capital city of the state. He had worked in the mines for more than 25 years prior to the civil war, and spent the two years during the war toiling in the farms at home to provide for his family, his unmarried niece, and the family of the sick nephew. A few years after he went back to working in the mines, my father was diagnosed with pneumoconiosis (black lung) disease, most likely as a result of his exposure to the harmful elements in the coal dust.

My father was the only catholic –Christian in our entire village of Amachalla. I guess he must have been influenced by his contact with the early Christian missionaries who were allies of the British mining engineers. One thing I admired most about my father was his genuine Christian spirit. A man of great integrity, he was deeply committed to fairness, justice and peace. My father exuded calm, self-confidence and brought understated elegance to everything he did with others. Even those who did not welcome his religious persuasion or his Christian lifestyle had to admit that his motives and actions were sincere. He was never fearful about speaking his mind and telling the truth. His sincerity and frankness endeared him to many, including a visiting team of Cistercian monks who eventually located their monastery in my hometown, Awhum, in 1974. The Cistercian monks not only became friendly with my father, their community became close to my entire family. Those relationships influenced in part my entrance to the priesthood. However, the bigger influence was my cousin, late Msgr. Anthony Aso whose love for the church and his priesthood remains unmatched by anyone I have ever known.

I spent more time with my father during his illness than my siblings did. Although he was inactive most of my childhood, he made sure we often had our morning and night prayers together, particularly the Rosary. He also made certain that I attended morning masses every day at the monastery, and that I paid the needed attention to my schoolwork. With him being sick and bedridden, the burden of raising six children became the sole responsibility of my mother, who had been a full-time, stay-at-home mom when my father worked in the mines. As my father received only a very meager pension salary, things were tough for our family.

OUR HISTORY

At the age of 10 ten, while in my fourth grade (Primary Four), my father died of complications from the black lung disease, and my family's situation became more precarious, with six children to feed, to clothe and provide tuition and other expenses to keep the family together.

Although my mother did not finish primary school, she was as brilliant as my father, and both of them deeply valued education and wanted all of their six children to get a good education. While their hope was, at best, dimly sustained, it never died. My mother was forced to undertake a multitude of menial jobs and businesses to meet our family's increasing financial obligations of food, shelter, housekeeping and schools fees. Often, despite great sacrifice, my mother didn't have the means to pay my tuition after paying that of my three siblings. As a consequence, I had to stay at home at the beginning of every school year so that my mother could recoup and work for a few weeks to pay my own tuition fees.

While these experiences were not pleasant, I recounted them repeatedly during my formative years in the seminary, and drew solace through an unfaltering reflection on my mother's sustained and incredible hope. I believe it was this hope that prodded her “despite all evidence to the contrary” that her painful struggle –the cost of working more than two jobs at minimal wages to keep her children in schools –promised her and all of us a brighter future.

Reflecting on my parents' hope in the midst of overwhelming difficulties –the abiding hope they kept in their hearts that somehow, someday, their pain and their sacrifices would pay off –set the stage for the initial idea of what came to be known as **OneHopeChildren, Inc**



OneHopeChildren **BOARD MEMBERS & TEAM**



“Carve your name on hearts, not tombstones. A legacy is etched into the minds of others and the stories they share about you.”

— Shannon Alder

MEET OUR TEAM



Gail De Vito
RN, CSJP/A



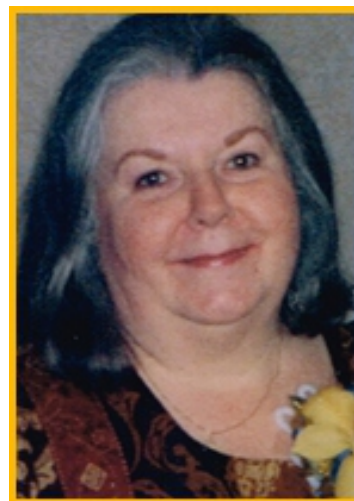
Rev. Fr. Felix Ugwuozor
Founder and President



Diane Strasz



Joanne De Paul



Late. Noreen Feehan



OUR VOLUNTEERS



ADVISORY BOARD, NIGERIA

1. Very Rev. Fr. Paschalis Agu
2. Very Rev Fr. Leonard Ilechukwu
3. Dr. (Barr) Sam Ugwuozor
4. Barr Tony Okolo
5. Barr Carol Okolo
6. Chief Lilian U Nze
7. Mr. Emmanuel Ogbaji
8. Damian Mbah

VOLUNTEERS

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2. Mr. Clinton Eze
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OneHopeChildren **EDUCATION SCHEME**



"If you train hard, you'll not only be hard, you'll be hard to beat." –
Herschel Walker

EDUCATION SCHEME

Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.

Nelson Mandela

The number of children in Nigeria who are of school age but are not in school has risen to 10.5 million, the highest rate in the world according to United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF) 2022 data.

Still, greater number of these children are those whose parents are deceased and those from low-income and poor families. Among these orphaned children, and those of low-income families, only one in 10 children is in school compared to ten in 10 among the high-income families.

While gender gap may still be real, the challenge remains ensuring equal educational opportunities for both girls and boys irrespective of their social status. A greater challenge is to enroll more children into schools where they can learn the basic English, Mathematics, Reading and the ability to think creatively and critically.

Our believe is that education is great engine of personal development. It's through education that once hitherto a son of a poor coal miner can become a professor of education; that a son of a peasant famer can become a Medical Doctor.

It's through OneHopeChildren's education scheme that a girl who lost both parents in her teen age can become a Medical Radiographer; that a boy who lost his father in the middle school would become a Dental Technologist; that a girl whose both parents are deceased during her primary school can become a graduate of Mass Communication and several other children and young adults with no parents and guardians are in Primary, Middle and High schools, and universities. It's our believe that through education, they will have a glimmer of hope for better future. Thanks to those who support our education scheme

Our hope in the coming year is to expand our education scheme and increase our scholarship pool from 112 to 224.

The following are a few of our numerous beneficiaries from the scholarship and empowerment scheme.



OneHopeChildren Scholarship



Serena
Aneke



Ozioma Igwe



Chinecherem
Okorie



Divine Imo



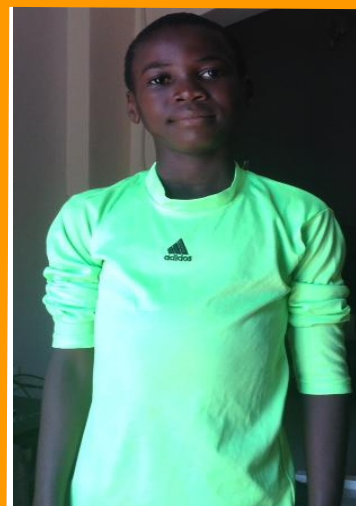
Samuel Ani



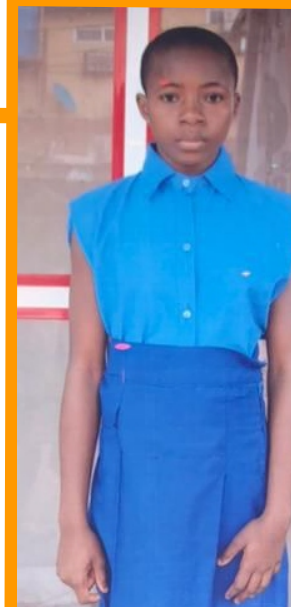
Onyebuchi
Daniel



Praise Okoh



Ifeanyi Ogbaji

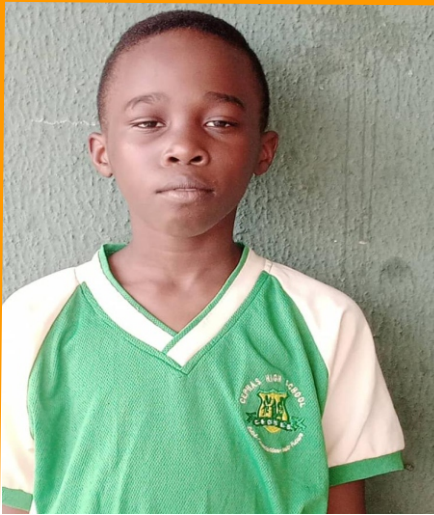


Ebubechukwu
Ogwuegbu



Maureen
Eke

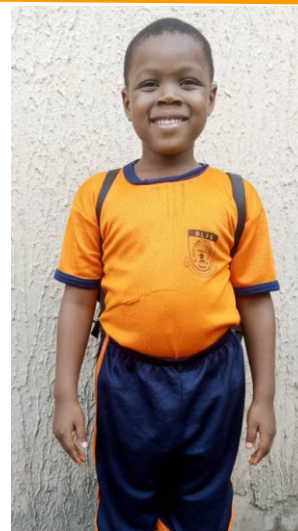




Aso David



Ekwueme
David



Praise Eze



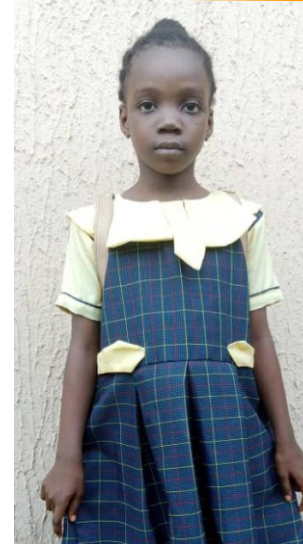
Ugwuome
Anthony



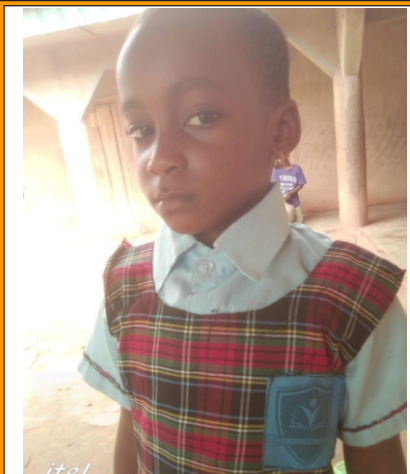
Sunday Divine



Somtochukwu
Amaechi



Eze Success



Ugwu Purity

A BRIEF DESCRIPTION ON THE 4TH ANNUAL AWHUM EDUCATIONAL COLLOQUIUM.

One Hope Children Foundation in Partnership with Awhum community centre organised the 4th Annual Awhum Educational Colloquium. Awhum Educational Colloquium is an annual academic summit organised in Awhum community and its geared towards the reduction of the Educational deficit that exist in the community secondary school .

The program since it's inception has managed to improve the quality of education in the community secondary school through its donation of academic relief materials, provision of scholarships to excellent students and average students who can't afford school fees.

One hope Children Foundation renewed the communities hope with this program by ;

- 1) Awarding 6 students scholarship for the whole academic session
- 2) Organising a debate tournament to raise the students consciousness on social issues.
- 3) Featuring the second public screening of SOMA; A 5 mins short film about the Education and child marriage of a 13 years old girl in Nigeria. This was followed by a lecture on opportunities and what to make of them.
- 4) Career Seminars where professional career coaches engaged with the students and helped them with goal setting.

Community development is in no small part the work of an Individual but rather the collective effort of all.

The Injustices enforced in Awhum community in form of inaccessible quality education is a threat to global justice. This is why we accept all effort to help provide accessible quality Education to every child in Awhum community.





ONE HOPE
CHILDREN
FOUNDATION



OneHopeChildren SCHOOL YOUTH AWARENESS CAMPAIGN



OneHopeChildren, inc in its efforts to affect Nigerian youths positively organizes twice in a year awareness campaigns on how to maintain sanctity and holiness of life, the dangers of drugs use and abuse, sexually transmitted diseases, Covid 19 and other related virus awareness, dangers of cultism and related gangsterisms, dignity of honest labor, how to improve self-esteem, how to build and maintain positive relationship etc.

It is the goal of OneHopeChildren to guide and direct the youth to the best practices in environmental sustainability and staying ahead of the curve in ICT, science and technology to meet up with international standards of today's living.





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MEDICAL INTERVENTION SCHEME



“Like education, healthcare also needs to be given importance”
– Shiv Nadar

OUR HEALTHCARE SCHEME

Besides education, OneHopeChildren faces the challenges to ensure that more children have easy access to basic healthcare and nutritional services.

According to World Health Organization (WHO) latest data, 77% of healthcare expenses is out of pocket. This implies that Nigerians, specifically children and parents from low income, orphaned and displaced children have extremely no access to basic healthcare.

To address this gap, Onehopechildren organizes a yearly free medical outreach to benefit a significant population of elderly and children in remote communities of Awhum, Okpatu, Ukana, Abor, Ogwuagor etc.

Here are some our achievements and pictures thanks to our donors.

These include our

- Medical intervention on Baby Sylvia whose shunt surgery for hydrocephalus we paid for.
- Our annual medical missions with doctors, nurses and medical students
- Donation of wheel chairs and medical supplies, drugs and equipment to children and adults who are in need of them.

Thanks to our donors!

Our goal in the coming year in addition to continuing our yearly medical outreach is to

1. Pursue a children's medical and research center
2. Seek funding for Adaora

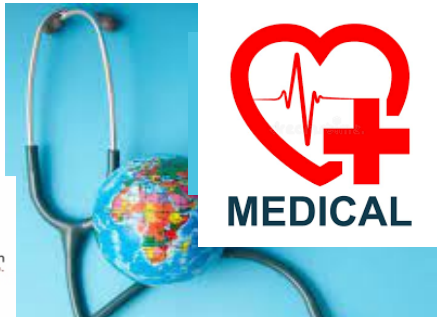


Sylvia



OneHopeChildren Free Medical Mission/Outreach

Drug section extension



Outreach

A cross-section of people waiting for their turns to see a doctor



A closer attention to the woman with Lipoma



A woman with Keloid-like growth is examined by the medical team



A woman with Keloid-like growth is examined by the medical team



Nurses check blood pressure and sugar levels





Wheelchair
Donation





Specimen Model For The Proposed
OneHopeChildren
Children's Medical And Research Center

Here is the story of Adaora, a young lady whose dreams are stunted by cancer.

My name is Florence Obute Adaora, second child and first daughter, born on March 2nd, 2000 in Lagos Nigeria without any Trace of disability or illness.

All through my educational pursuit from Holy Family school in Lagos into Police Secondary school, Akure, there existed no medical challenge at any point and that explained why I was outstanding in academics, creativity and sports which earned me the position of a Head girl in my primary school. My musical knowledge and commitment in the church earned me the position of the general choir master in police secondary school, Akure as well as the sports prefect where I won medals for the school in sporting competitions. An intelligent student with great dreams and aspirations, I worked hard in ensuring a good academic standard for my career. This was shown in me as I represented the school in inter state debate competitions and won. The end of my secondary school was a joyful one as my WAEC result came out in flying colours of four A's, three B's and two C's.

As healthy as I was after my secondary School, I gained admission into the university of Nigeria Nsukka, where I continued working hard academically, spiritually and socially. As a dedicated member of the Catholic student Choir, I attained the position of the welfare. Also, I became a member of the federation theatre, a drama and dance group where I displayed my talent of acting and dancing.

Behold, the most striking and unbelievable surprise of my life came when I was diagnosed of bone marrow cancer in 2020 at the Lagos State University teaching hospital LASUTH, after I had undergone a surgery and was hospitalized. Thereafter, I was transferred to the University of Nigeria teaching hospital, Enugu UNTH, where I began a chemotherapy session. Finally, the intelligent, loving, caring, sociable Florence with great vision and aspirations in life is medically down and unfit to fulfil her career.



BEFORE



AFTER

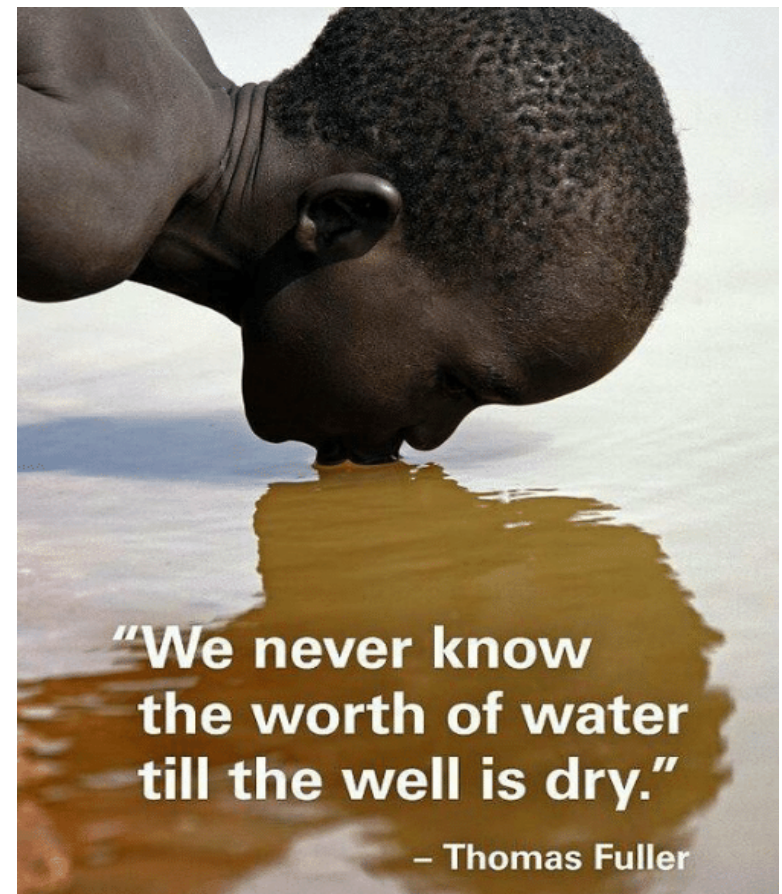


"There is no exercise better for the heart than reaching down and lifting people up." What is more than saving a life. Nothing is too small to lift beautiful Adaora back to her feet. You have not lived today until you have done something for someone who can never repay you."

SAVE ADAORA WITH YOUR LOVE, PRAYERS AND DONATION.

Make DONATIONS payable to **@OneHopeChildren**

OneHopeChildren WATER, SANITATION, AND HYGIENE SCHEME **(WASH)**



NEED ASSESSMENT FOR A WATER TRUCK



THE CHALLENGE

Poor access to clean water and sanitation in most communities in Nigeria remains a major contributing factor to high mortality rates among children under five in most of our communities. The use of contaminated drinking water and poor sanitary conditions result in increased vulnerability to water-borne diseases, including typhoid, cholera, malaria diarrhea which leads to deaths of more than 70,000 children under five annually.

Seventy-three per cent of the diarrhoeal and enteric disease burden is associated with poor access to adequate water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH), and is disproportionately borne by poorer children. Frequent episodes of WASH related ill-health in children, contribute to absenteeism in school, lack of focus in studies, and malnutrition.

Only 26.5 per cent of the population use improved drinking water sources and sanitation facilities. Also, 23.5 per cent of the population defecate in the open. Clean water, sanitation, and good hygiene practices are essential need for the survival and development of children.

OneHopeChildren has collaborated with the **Strasz Family in Michigan, USA; Water for the Global Community, United State; The Rotary Club of Wyckoff/Midland Park, New Jersey, USA** to provide clean water to children and remote communities in South Eastern Nigeria.

Achieving a reasonable development Goal in at least 5 years requires extraordinary efforts. OneHopeChildren will be required to triple its fund raising or at least allocate 2.5 percent of fund to WASH. The ambition is highest for remote villages where the gap for improved services is 64.1 per cent. Government support is weak, and significant foreign contribution is needed to address the issues at stake.

WHAT WE HAVE DONE For WASH

OneHopeChildren has collaborated with **Strasz family from Michigan, United states** to provide water borehole to Amachalla community

OneHopeChildren has collaborated with **Brian Murray- Water for the Global Community and Rotary Club of Wyckoff/ Midland Park, New Jersey, USA** to provide water borehole, overhead tank and power generator to **Awhum in Udi Local Government area and Obukpa in Nsukka Local Government area both in Enugu state, Nigeria.**

STRENGTHENING OUR WASH PROGRAM

Our goal is to sustain **OneHopeChildren's WASH** scheme. We collaborate with local schools and leaders to implement an approach of integrated and sustainable management of water. Also to ensure a continuity in delivery of clean water and services related to water, sanitation and hygiene in the remotest part of our communities. This year through next year 2022-2023, we seek for partnerships with individuals, companies, churches etc

1. To provide a new water borehole for the 20 communities of Nkanu/ Awgu zone.
2. To purchase Water trucks to distribute water to the villages and communities that are further- 6-7 kilometers away from the central borehole

Below is a sample of our water trucks in the making





Thanks to
Strasz Family ,Michigan,USA.
AMACHALLA WATER PROJECT
2011

THANK YOU!





AWHUM WATER PROJECT
UDI, NIGERIA
**WATER FOR
GLOBAL
COMMUNITY**
IN PARTNERSHIP WITH
RC. WYCKOFF MIDLAND
PARK, USA.

NOVEMBER 2019



Thanks to Brian Murray -
Water For Global Community in
Partnership with
Rotary Club. WYCKOFF
MIDLAND PARK, USA, 2018-2019
AWHUM, UDI LGA, WATER PROJECT



**WHAT HAVE WE
DONE SO FAR?**



OBUKPA WATER PROJECT NSUKKA, NIGERIA

WATER FOR GLOBAL COMMUNITY

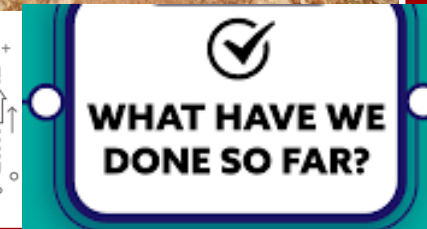
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2020-2021

THANK YOU!

OBUKPA, NSUKKA LGA, WATER PROJECT 2021



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AGRICULTURE-FARM SCHEME



Healthy, sustainable and inclusive food systems are critical to achieving our goals. We believe, first, that agricultural development will help us sustain our primary mission to create a better world for the African children through education, healthcare and WASH.

Besides being the most powerful tools to end poverty, it can boost shared prosperity and feed thousands, and it has both social and economic justifications: it can create jobs, create wealth, reduces poverty with special attention to widows and widowers and it can create enterprise for the adults and youths of the community, and empower people.

OneHopeChildren has 2 hectares- almost 5 acres of land for an ultra-modern integrated farm. So far, we have implemented the following projects in our Agriculture- farm scheme

1. Piggery
2. Fishery
3. Grass cutter
4. Snail
5. Crops In the coming year.

our target is to raise \$161, 000 for chicken- Poultry production.



Poultry Farm Financial Breakdown

LAND	purchased
Building	\$92,500
Cages	\$28,500
Feeding Trough	\$12,500
Drinkers	\$12, 500
Wheel Barrows	\$5000
Working capital	\$10,000
Total	\$161,000



**Proposed
Ultra- modern
Poultry
Farm**





In 2021 global hunger index(GHI), Nigeria ranks 103 out of 116 countries with sufficient data to calculate 2021 GHI. With such score of approximately 28.3, Nigeria has a level of hunger that is serious. More than half of the country lives below the poverty line. This is probably exacerbated by lack of access to safe water, sanitation, high inflation in soaring food commodity prices, and other issues bordering on inter-tribal and/or inter-religious conflicts.

Onehopechildren(OHC) has never lost sight of this problem in its integrated program to create a better world for the African children. As always, OHC stands up in motion to feed and to provide hunger palliatives - as possible as it can for many displaced families, elderly, children and women in need.

During the heat of Covid -19 that pulverized the economy of many nations including Nigeria, OHC partnered with its donors to provide raw food, dairy products, beverages etc to very poor households, displaced families and children. Sure, following the above 2021 Global Hunger Index (GHI) calculations, the evil of hunger persists even in the post Covid -19 era.

The sad reality is that hunger is growing everyday in Nigeria. Beyond 40 percent of Nigerians (Over 86 million) still live on less than \$2 a day. However, our goal is to continue to seek funding and partnership to reduce this sad condition. Recently, OneHopeChildren partnered with **GB Foods** to provide poverty and hunger palliatives -raw foods and condiments to needy families. We thank the donors who support our food security projects and we thank especially GB Foods for their hunger intervention program with OneHopeChildren. In the next coming years OHC wishes to partner with more individuals and groups in its fight against hunger and poverty in Nigeria.



OneHopeChildren, donating food items to the needy



OneHopeChildren **FREE TAEKWONDO TRAINING**

“What you lack in talent can be made up with
desire, hustle, and giving 110 percent all the time.” –
Don Zimmer



TAEKWONDO: (MARSHAL ARTS) AIMED TOWARD PHYSICAL FITNESS & SELF-DEFENSE FOR GIRLS AND BOYS

Recently, OneHopeChildren foundation inaugurated a Taekwondo-marshall arts training for young girls and boys drawn from schools in Enugu East, West, North and South.

The Taekwondo project is aimed largely to empower and save our young girls and boys from abuses and make them less vulnerable to all forms of abuse. Simply the objectives are

- 1. To teach children to learn to discern abuses
- 2. To teach children to learn to deflect abuses
- 3. To teach children to learn to defend against abuses

In the recently concluded first phase of our Taekwondo training that lasted for four months, we had 45 children. Mr. Denis Ani, a grand master in marshal arts was hired to teach the children the theories and skills of marshal arts. Thanks to our generous funders. In our upcoming second phase, we hope to expand the number to at least 100 children.







Samuel Anih



Ifeanyi Ogbaji



Chinecherem
Okorie



Ozioma Igwe



Somtochukwu
Amaechi



Ebube
Ogwuegbu



Eke Chinaza
Maureen



Serena
Aneke



Praise
Okoh



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School Teachers Biannual Training Workshops



OneHopeChildren, Inc as an advocate of qualitative education, not only guide and train children and youth but teachers drawn from schools in various local government in Enugu state of Nigeria OneHopeChildren's biannual quality teacher training provides teachers the opportunity to meet astute professional in different fields of education to expand their knowledge on

1. Education policy analysis
2. Education policy accountability
3. Education policy advocacy .

At these biannual quality teacher training workshop, teachers learn how to

1. improve on data analytical skills,
2. data compilation generation survey,
3. data visualization and
4. data analysis among other things.

The logical consequences of these workshops and training are learning impacts on the children.



OneHopeChildren **SPORTS ACADEMY**



One man can be a crucial ingredient on a team, but one man cannot make a team.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

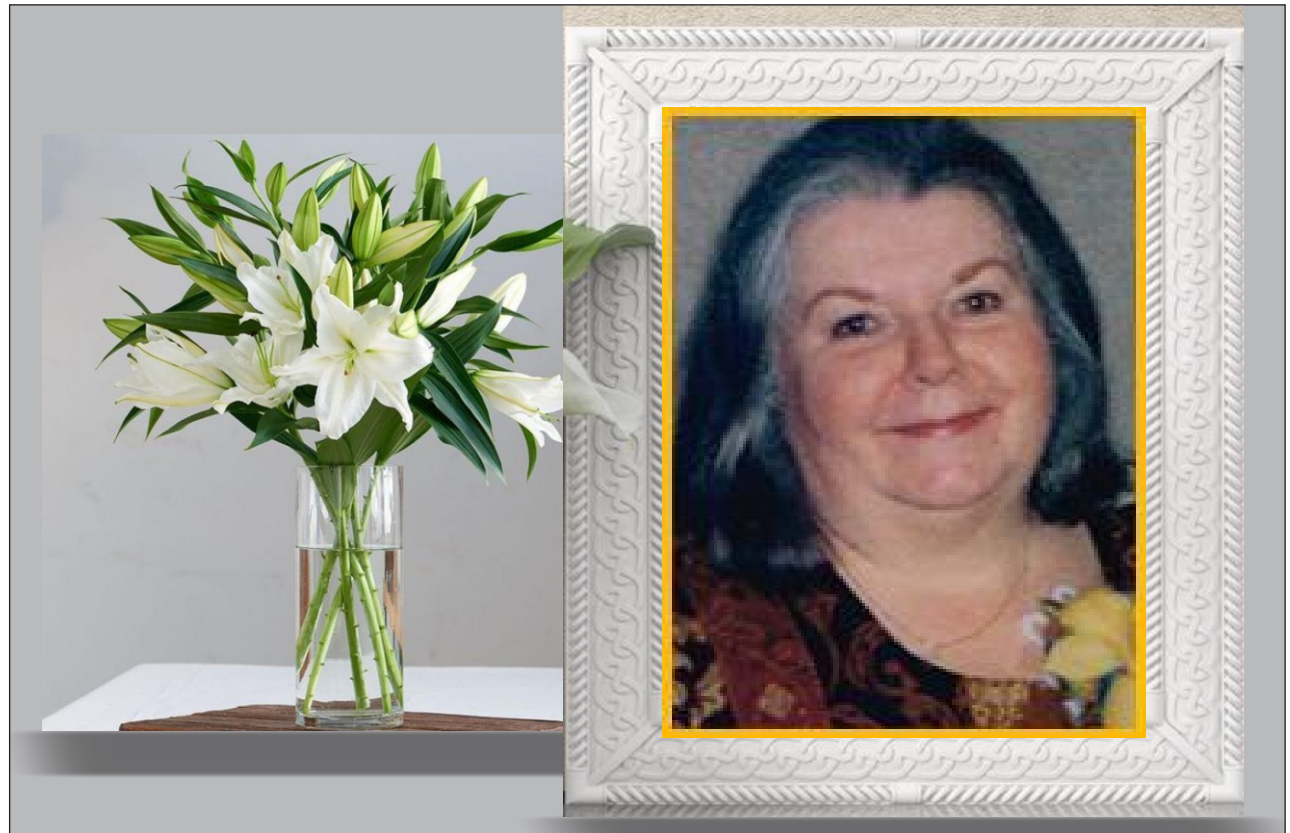
We at OneHopeChildren.inc believe that through sports, youths are empowered with the competences to explore, learn, invent, and develop.

In the light of the vision and mission of OneHopeChildren.inc as a non-profit generating organization, Our vision is to help the youth to develop their cognitive and social skills in good health and through sports and education.

Using sports as part of our instruments, the organization aims to identify and nurture talent in youths from poverty stricken homes; where young people are forced to drop out of school due to financial constraints and even lack the basic human needs, negatively exposing such youths to crime and drug abuse.



OneHopeChildren **TRIBUTES**



Noreen

Dear Noreen,

We are here to celebrate your life and the measure of its worth In life, we loved you dearly.

In death, we do the same. It broke our heart to lose you You did not go alone For part of us went with you the day God called you home

As much as we might want to question your death. We are consoled that you are in a better place -a place of peace and calm, a place of warm and quiet, a home that's joyful and eternal.

Thank you for your friendship. It's been a privilege to have known you. You were more than a friend, you were like a mother, a mentor, an advisor, and a great ambassador for OneHopeChildren foundation.

You are a woman of Grace

You are a woman of Class

You are a woman of unbound Charity

A mother Theresa of our time.

You always cared;

You meant so much to me;

You meant so much to OneHopeChildren foundation,

You meant so much to all your friends.

You were special and that's simply true.

You brightened up the darkest day; you lightened up a darkened world, and even the greyest sky.

Thank you, Noreen, your friendship was a blessing. You gave us light to see, you brought so much light to our world and after you've gone, the light remains. You gave us wings to fly; you gave us music to sing; you dried our tears.

You touched our soul; you gave us a future; you changed our world. We are happy that you once lived among us; that we met you as a friend

Yes, your body has been buried, but not your soul;

your hands have been buried but not your faith

. Your head has been buried, but not your memory, not your love, not your presence, not your charity, not your generosity, not your philanthropy.. May God Rest Your Soul in Peace.

Adieu, Noreen



Tribute

In Memorium

Noreen F. Feehan



Tribute to Our beloved Deceased Donors

On behalf of the board of trustees, volunteers and the entire OneHopeChildren's Family, I wish to commiserate with the families of our devoted donors

1. Mr. Jim McDemott
2. Mrs. Mary McDemott
3. Catherine Miller
4. Trudy Perera
5. Irene Killeen
6. Lucy Burns
7. Angela Maffei



These good-hearted individuals did not only touch and change our world, they gave us hope and future. They showed generosity countless times through their support to OneHopeChildren foundation. They left so much impact in the lives of so many children without knowing who they were. They lived and died for others regardless of how limited their resources were. They understood the eternal words of Mother Theresa –that “if you can't feed a hundred people, then, just feed one” I am indeed grateful to have known these noble and great men and women of goodwill.

As much as I regret to write this tribute, I want to note that despite the grief and pain that their demise might bring to their loved ones and to us, it is important to let their loved ones - the living members of the families -know that the works of their deceased loved ones are active and have changed the life and future of many children for better. They have left unforgettable legacies that continue to have impacts in our community, and we are grateful.



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YOU
AND
WE LOVE
YOU**



Fr. Felix with Late Mr. Jim McDemott



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Christ has no body now but yours.
No hands, no feet on earth but yours.
Yours are the eyes through which he looks compassion on this world.
Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good.
Yours are the hands through which he blesses all the world.
Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes,
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- 1. Funding** – Need for our signature projects including but not limited to a modern Multi-level school, A Hospital, A poultry and Water Boreholes. Please request information on any project of your interest.
- 2. Volunteers** – We need volunteers for our medical missions. The volunteers preferred are medical workers such as Physicians, Surgeons, Eye specialists, ENT Consultants, Pharmacists, Nurses, Physiotherapists, Pathologists and Laboratory scientists.
- 3. Accommodation**- Our medical mission team are brought together from different parts of the globe. It is always a huge cost paying for their accommodations while on missions. We welcome individual donation towards paying for one or two health worker for one week. It cost average of \$350 /week/ person. You may not have the time or the training to go on this mission but you can support a volunteer.
- 4. Flight Tickets for missions** – It costs OneHopeChildren about \$2000 to fly to purchase a return ticket from US to Nigeria. We welcome sponsors to provide paid tickets for medical team members.
- 5. Drugs and Medication** – Drugs play pivotal role in the treatment of the patients. Without drugs, no work is done at all after diagnosis. These patients cannot afford the drugs for their illness and diseases and there are also issue of fake drugs were we work. It is therefore of extreme importance that we have drugs before embarking on the mission.
- 6. Used and New books** – We distribute textbooks to our scholars benefiting from OneHopeChildren's scholarship. The books may be from the fiend of sciences, languages, computer, medicine, Pharmacy, Law, Education, Psychology, Management, Administration and Social Sciences. Used and New books are welcome.



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- 9. Used and New clothing's (children's clothes preferred)** – These clothing are gathered for the children we see at places we go for medical mission. Some of them actually walk around naked because they have no clothes to wear or they have just two clothes reserved for school and church.
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- 12. Medical Equipment**- wheel chairs, surgical instruments – All forms of medical equipment and instrument is vital for this mission. Both used and new are welcomed.





it is difficult to explain how much you mean to OneHopeChildren.
What other people see as pointless, you see as opportunity.
Where others see weakness, you see strenght.
Where others see threats, You see grace.
Where otherpeople are lukewarm, You are warm and impassioned
And, where others are mere reservoirs, You are rivers that know no boundaries.
You believe in your home country; but you also believe in my own country.
You believe in the future of your own native youngsters; and you also believe in the future of the children of Africa

Thank You for your continued support





**The kindest people are not born that way, they are made. They are the
sounds that have experienced so much at the hands of life, they are the ones
who have dug themselves out of the dark, who have fought to turn every
loss into a lesson. The kindest people do not just exist – they choose to
soften where circumstance has tried to harden them, they choose to believe
in goodness, because they have seen firsthand why compassion is so
necessary. They have seen firsthand why tenderness is so important in this
world.** *—Bianca Sparacino*

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