



Serving the Body of Christ Jubilee Ministries

What is Jubilee Ministry? The Jubilee Ministry is a group of individuals in the Diocese of Massachusetts who are committed to minister to those devastated by HIV/AIDS in Africa. Our goal is to support programs in Africa that are caring for people who are suffering from the effects of the AIDS epidemic and related medical and social challenges and to support congregations of the diocese in engaging in mission opportunities and developing relationships with our brothers and sisters in Africa. The diocese has defined this work as a mission strategy goal:

“Continue to commit ourselves to AIDS education, awareness, and prevention in Africa.”



Home Based Care Programs in Tanzania

In Tanzania, Jubilee Ministries has partnered with the diocese of Tanga to support a Home Based Care (HBC) programs in the Maramba Deanery. Community volunteers were educated about HIV/AIDS and trained to provide education, support and care to those affected. Other activities include funding the building of a dispensary in Kizara and supporting orphan care and education.

Orphan Feeding, Education and Medical Programs in Maseno North, Kenya

Working with the Mother’s Union in the Diocese of Maseno North, in Kenya, Jubilee supports care and education to approximately 6000 orphans and other vulnerable children in eight parishes, by providing one high protein meal per week. Jubilee also helps fund organizational and administrative support to the Mother’s Union, and parish-based mobile clinics, which offer basic medical care to orphans through the Orphans’ Health Initiative. The Anglican Mission Hospital provides comprehensive health services to the community. Jubilee works with local Boston hospitals to provide sustainable physician coverage for the medical programs in Kenya. Through microenterprise and income-generating skill development, we are working toward sustainable programs for all 44 parishes in the diocese.



Bishop Masereka Christian Foundation, Uganda

Jubilee supports the Bishop Masereka Christian Foundation, which sponsors orphan feeding and education programs and a new medical clinic in the Diocese of South Rwenzori in southern Uganda. Currently Jubilee pays school fees for 500 children and opportunities exist for individual and parish sponsorships. Jubilee works with other sponsors on the BMCF board to respond to immediate needs and plan long term strategies for sustainability of medical programs.

How can you help?

Donations to support ongoing programs can be made to Jubilee Ministry, Diocese of Massachusetts. Please contact us to learn about other opportunities.

For more information, contact Jubilee co-leaders

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