

The deadline for 2010 proposals is June 1.



How to Apply for a Grant:

The International Development Grant Application Form is available online at:

http://www.iowaepiscopal.org/ministry_together/one_world_one_church.php

To facilitate review, please submit the proposal electronically to:

diocese@iowaepiscopal.org

Otherwise, send a copy to:

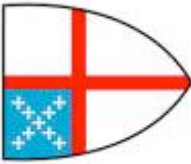
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Diocese of Iowa International Development Grants

Each year, the Diocese of Iowa funds grants for international development projects.

At least 0.7% of the estimated net disposable diocesan income is designated for this purpose. The 2010 budget line is \$8,490.



Development grants provide funding for projects that promote justice and peace by addressing the root causes of hunger and poverty in local situations.

CRITERIA FOR GRANTS

- Each proposal should
 - outline the nature of the project.
 - describe the partnering individual/organization in the developing country.
 - provide some history of the partner's involvement in the development of activities.
- Local proposals should include some additional local funding.
- Projects with a tie to the proposer will receive priority.
- The projects listed in the brochure received grants in 2009. Congregations and individuals may create projects in other countries as well. Dream!
- Proposals will be reviewed by the MDG Grant subcommittee as they are received. Feedback and suggestions are available from the subcommittee.
- Proposals for 2010 must be received by June 1. Early submission is encouraged.
- Grants will be awarded by the OWOC commission at its June meeting.

⇨ What Kind of Projects? ⇩

GUATEMALA:

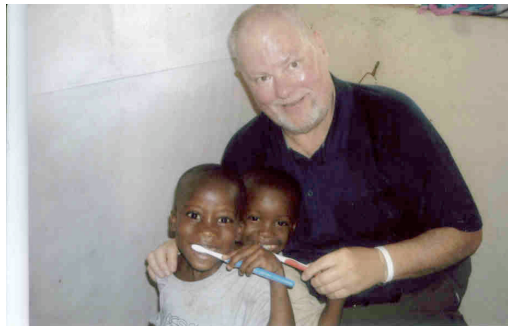
Loving Parent Initiative (\$2500)

SWAZILAND:

Chlorinators and Water Resource Training (\$500)



Neighborhood Care Points (\$3000)



Support for an oral health program (\$1400)

ETHIOPIA:

Publishing and distributing Children's Bibles in Amharic (\$2000)

ETHICAL GUIDELINES

Proposals will be ranked according to their compliance with the following guidelines:

- ◆ Partnership:
The economic relationship promotes mutuality of benefits
- ◆ Respect:
Local peoples and realities are valued
- ◆ Empowerment:
The economic relationship values mutuality of process
- ◆ Oneness with creation:
Sensitivity to, and responsibility for, the environment
- ◆ Distributive Justice:
Economic impact of the relationship contributes to the well-being of a significant number of people; does not promote inequities
- ◆ People-centered development:
Beneficiaries set priorities and conditions. Maximum use is made of local resources; applied technologies are appropriate for the setting

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