

# LEAVE A LASTING LEGACY



**A gift in YOUR WILL could  
have an impact that will last  
for generations**



# BUILDING A BRIGHTER FUTURE

**As the Swahili phrase *elimu ni ufunguo wa uhuru na maendeleo* (education is the key to freedom and development) says, providing children – and adults – with access to education and training gives them the tools to escape poverty and build a brighter future.**


Maban, South Sudan is home to more than 160,000 refugees - mostly women and children - who are spread across four refugee camps. Young women in the camps are training to be teachers, in a college which is run by the Jesuit Refugee Service.

One of these women is Basamat Alnoor Jakolo, a 23-year-old in Kaya Refugee Camp who has lived in Maban since fleeing the Blue Nile region of Sudan in 2011. She has graduated from the JRS teacher training programme and is now employed as a teacher in the camp.

She is proud of what she has achieved in this harsh environment, saying “Now that I am a teacher, I am respected by

everybody in the community.” Her job also allows her to earn money for her family, who are also refugees in the camp. Basamat’s teaching skills are badly needed in Maban, giving children who have missed out on schooling the opportunity to finish their education so she is helping to build better lives for the next generation.

**Funding from our donors makes training like Basamat’s possible. A gift in your Will could change the life of someone living in a refugee camp, and leave a lasting legacy in the world.**



# The Impact of Your Donations in 2020

In 2020, our programmes in education, human rights advocacy, building safe and resilient communities, healthcare, psychosocial counselling and pastoral support had a direct impact on 140,580 individuals in 14 countries.

Donations from our supporters helped to fund the following:



**Schooling** for 29,596 children and training for 1,823 teachers in Kenya, Lebanon, South Sudan, Uganda and Zambia



**Radio campaigns** to share healthcare information about Covid-19 in Tanzania and South Sudan



**Classes** for schoolchildren moved to online and radio broadcasts in Uganda and South Sudan



**Blankets** and everyday essentials for 9,159 people in refugee settlements in India



**Emergency food baskets** for 3,660 people in Kenya, Nigeria and South Sudan

## Types Of Legacy Gift

**A legacy gift is a wonderful way to give thanks. It is a gift that leaves a lasting positive impression in a world in which many people suffer unjustly.**

In Wills, you can make three different types of gift - specific, pecuniary and residuary. These three types of gift are described below:

- **Specific** - A specific bequest is a gift of a particular item, or group of items of property.
- **Pecuniary** - A pecuniary gift is simply a gift of money.
- **Residuary** - A residuary gift is a gift of what is left of your estate, known as the residuary estate or residue, after payment of debts, expenses and deduction of gifts you have made, if any, of a specific or pecuniary nature as described above, after you die.

A legacy can be made in favour of all the work carried out by the Irish Jesuits International, or in favour a specific project.

# Add A Codicil To An Existing Will

If you already have your Will completed, a codicil gives you an opportunity to make relatively small alterations to it without the need to draft a completely new Will. The process of making a codicil is subject to the same formal requirements as for a Will.

## Sample Wording for Will

“I give the sum of €\_\_\_\_\_ (sum in words) to Irish Jesuits International, CHY 20076979, of 20 Gardiner Street Upper, Dublin D01 E9F3 for the general purposes of the said charity [or a specific project] and I direct that a receipt by the treasurer or other proper officer of the said charity shall be sufficient discharge for my executors in the payment of this legacy.”

If you would like more information about specific projects or to discuss leaving Irish Jesuits International a bequest in your Will, please contact our Legacy Team, John Guiney SJ or Emer Kerrigan on 01 836 6509.



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