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Materials for Your MDGIF Campaign

To Help You Plan a Successful Celebration

Adapt this program to the needs of your parish, and be as creative as you like. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact us.

ONLINE INFORMATION AND DOWNLOADABLE RESOURCES:

- Promote your church's campaign with the suggested text in the Bulletin Announcement.
- Use the Worship Materials and Sermons for a Good Cause to highlight the importance of the MDGs, the devastation caused by malaria, its relationship to poverty and how disease prevention is related to our Christian faith.
- Host an Educational Hour or Adult Forum by using these materials:
 - Stations of the Cross PDF
 - The Millennium Development Goals Liturgy PDF
 - Millennium Development Goals Inspiration Fund PowerPoint presentation (*includes a script*)
 - Millennium Development Goals Inspiration Fund Fact Sheet
- Create awareness by offering information on:
 - Bishops Blend Coffee - Serve our featured coffee at your event and educate your church on the importance of supporting fair trade, organic, shade-grown, coffee growers. [Click here to order Bishops Blend.](#)
 - Episcopal Relief & Development programs or the different regions in which we work — You can use the information to educate your church on the work that Episcopal Relief & Development is doing through our Anglican partners to help vulnerable people around the world.
- Use a Mosquito Image to promote *NetsforLife*®. Enhance a malaria net display with these mosquitoes and remind parishioners of the serious threat posed by these deadly insects.

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS FOR MDG INSPIRATION FUND CAMPAIGN:

- Promote awareness for the Millennium Development Goals by using Millennium Development Goals Inspiration Fund Brochures/Posters. These brochures which open into posters can also be ordered from **Episcopal Books and Resources (EBaR)**.
- Use Red Plate Envelopes to collect an Episcopal Relief & Development Sunday special offering. Use the Announcement for a Special Collection to let the congregation know about the importance of their contribution.

Other MDGIF materials are available from Episcopal Books and Resources (EBaR). For help with these items, simply call EBaR at 1.800.903.5544. Please indicate that you are calling about a MDGIF Campaign.