

# YAWOSUP

## JULY 2022 UPDATE REPORT



The year 2022 has been again another year with its own challenges, with rise in cost of living being the most evident. We thank God that despite all these challenges; God has been gracious to us. Through World Mission team, we have continued implementing our programs as usual. We thank God who has enabled us to carry out the activities shown below.

### FARM INPUT

Many of our beneficiaries benefited from this program as we managed to provide farm input to over 50 widows to use in their farms. We also hired a farm where widows came together and planted maize and beans. They also worked as a team to weed the farm. One challenge experienced during planting period was unpredicted weather pattern, but still we expect good harvest.





**Group Maize  
planted on a one acre farm**

## **A WIDOW'S HOUSE**

Every year we always give an opportunity to the widows to identify the most needy widow as far as shelter is concerned. They then forward her name to the office for possible consideration. We do construct at least one house per year.



**WIDOW'S HOUSE**

## **MICRO FINANCE**

Many widows have responsibilities of caring for their children or grandchildren who go to school. Sometimes it is quite challenging to educate these children because they have no proper source of income. Micro finance program enables them to save some little money and borrow at a time of serious need to improve their small and micro businesses and also pay school fees to their children.



A widow [ Joys] receives soft loan to help her get health care and pay her child's school fees

## **STAFF SALARIES**

We thank God that through the regular support, our staffs have continued to get their salaries in good time. This motivates them to serve our beneficiaries wholeheartedly.

## **CHALLENGES**

The most current challenge we need to address is hunger. Cost of living has really gone up with the cost of the most precious commodity [maize] almost tripling its price. Many of the poor families currently go without a meal even for three days. It is even worse to see children going to school hungry.

Some of the children from **Barbara Leighton Academy** count it a blessing to eat at school through our school feeding program. This one meal takes them to the next day as some of their siblings who have not joined school are not benefiting. It is therefore our prayer and plan to provide relief food at this very moment of hunger just before the next harvest that is expected to be in September.

**EXPENDITURE FOR SECOND DISBURSEMENT**

1.FARM INPUT - SUPPORT FOR INDIVIDUAL WIDOWS	70,000
2.CONSTRUCT A WIDOW’S HOUSE	80,325
3.MICRO-FINANCE	50,000
4.STAFF SALARIES [APR-JUNE]	66,000
5.ADMIN COST	10,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>276,325</b>

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**THIRD DISBURSEMENT REQUEST OF FUNDS**

1.Relief Food	40,000
2.Barbara Leighton Academy Support	50,000
3. Staff Salaries [3 months]	66,000
4.Administrative Costs	10,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>166,000</b>

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