

# ***Holy Redeemer Outreach Group***

## ***Application for Funding***

### **Background information on The Holy Redeemer Outreach Group:**

In 1982 a group of parishioners from the Holy Redeemer Parish in Bray formed a Twinning Team to help raise money to support the education of students from our twin parish Ikanga, in Kenya. Over the years a strong bond was built between our local team of volunteers in Bray and a similar local team in Kenya. Money is raised through various activities including selling Christmas Cards every December, selling shamrock on St Patricks Day every March and collections after masses. In 2014 we changed the name of our group from Twinning to Outreach to reflect the broadening of the activities we were getting involved with. Some recent projects include:

- raising money to build a new classroom for primary school students in Matisi, Kenya. One of our members had spent a year teaching in this school.
- raising money for famine relief in South Sudan where Sister Orla Tracy, a Loretto sister originally from Bray runs a primary school, secondary school and health care clinic
- raising money to help refugees coming to Ireland as a result of the conflict in Syria
- raising money for a church building project for Fr John Moses in Nigeria

We are a small team with limited resources so in most cases we can only make a contribution towards the overall cost of the project being undertaken. We like to work on projects where there is a direct connection between the people managing the project in the overseas country and someone in our local parish here in Bray.

### **Holy Redeemer Outreach Team:**

Our Outreach team comprises Pat Morrissey, Marian Farrell, Brendan Herlihy and Kevin Rafferty. Guidance is also given by the priests in the parish Fr Enda Lloyd and Fr Dan Nguyen.

### **Types of Project that may be eligible for funding:**

Capital Projects:	Funding for school buildings, Church buildings, housing
Food Projects:	Famine Relief, provision of animals and crops
Water Projects:	Funding for building fresh water wells
Medical Projects:	Funding for medicines and related supplies
Education:	Funding for student education fees

### **Evaluation Criteria:**

Projects are evaluated under a number of criteria including:

- Connections between Holy Redeemer and Local Team in the foreign country
- Assurances given regarding monitoring of any moneys transferred
- Difficulties faced by the local team to raise money for the project being undertaken
- Ability of local team to provide ongoing feedback on how money donated is spent

### **Application Process**

As a first step we require that an application form (see overleaf) be filled in giving details of the project that requires funding.

***Application for Funding from Holy Redeemer Outreach Team***

**Date of Application:**

**Organisation Name:**

**Your Name:**

**Position:**

**Address:**

**Telephone:**

**E mail:**

**Web address (if available):**

**Charity No (if available):**

**Background information on your Organisation:**

**Total Cost of Project being undertaken:**

**Amount of funding requested from Bray Outreach Team:**

**Project Start Date:**

**Detailed description of Project being undertaken:**

**When completed please return this form to the parish sacristy marked Kevin Rafferty, Outreach Team or scan and e mail to rafferty1963@gmail.com. Any information provided will be treated as totally confidential and no information will be disclosed to any third party without your consent.**