

Machine-drilled borehole funded by LifeNets Australia provides fresh water for drinking and garden irrigation in Chipata, Zambia. The pump is powered by solar.





Knit caps for children in Malawi and Zambia by Renee Robertson and Ruth Chuprinko. Shown here with Chelsea Dawe and Linda Merrick.

December

2017


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<p>10</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>
<p>17</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p> <p>First day of Winter</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23 2000—First meeting of the LifeNets South African Management Team</p>
<p>24</p> <p>31</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Christmas Day</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p> 



LifeNets accountant Daniel Ringo and pastor Gracious Mpilangwe show us the building project in Blantyre, Malawi. This property will be used as a meeting hall, youth camp and festival site serving the church and community.

January

2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 <i>New Year's Day</i>	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 2003—Visit to the Chernobyl nuclear reactor with investigative team of seven from Indiana who work with the development of the Revival Centre 40 miles away <i>Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</i>	16	17	18	19 2016—Kasumpa, Zambia, borehole funded by LifeNets Australia	20 2005—LifeNets initiates the Tsunami program leading to setting up construction team in Sri Lanka to build homes
21	22	23	24	25	26 2017—Borehole and pump funded for Blantyre, Malawi, property	27
28	29	30	31 <i>But whoever has this world's goods, and sees his brother in need, and shuts up his heart from him, how does the love of God abide in him? — 1 John 3:17</i>			



LifeNets U.S. wheelchair project.
This donated wheelchair found
a home in Milford, Ohio. It was
freely donated and freely given to
an individual in need.

February

2018


SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 2000—LifeNets helps Emajõe Kool For the Blind in Tartu, Estonia, buy gym equipment and musical instruments	15	16 2004—Another 20-ton container of medical equipment leaves Indianapolis for Chernobyl. Overall, LifeNets has sent 12 containers since 1996.	17
18 2016—Situmbeko, Zambia, borehole funded by LifeNets Australia	19 <i>Presidents Day</i>	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	<p><i>If you haven't any charity in your heart, you have the worst kind of heart trouble.</i></p> <p>— Bob Hope</p>		
						



A new borehole in the remote Kasumpa, Zambia, region. Funding came from LifeNets Australia.

March

2018


SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><i>God loves a cheerful giver.</i></p> <p>— 2 Corinthians 9:7</p>				1 2001—Zambia chapter of LifeNets registered	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
<p><i>Daylight Saving Time begins</i></p>						<p><i>First Day of Sacred Year</i></p>
18	19	20 2015—Funded "Bella" the cow for a needy family in Brazil	21 2005—LifeNets begins tsunami reconstruction project that builds eight homes and restores livelihoods	22	23 2004—Kenya affiliate of LifeNets established	24
		<p><i>First day of Spring</i></p>				
25 2017—Sewing project in Solwezi, Zambia, funded by LifeNets Australia	26	27	28	29	30	31
					<p><i>Passover</i></p>	 <p>LifeNets</p> <p><i>First Day of Unleavened Bread</i></p>



Help for a needy family in Blantyre, Malawi. A small piece of land and a "hand-up" will help them to supplement food for a family of 12.

April

2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Easter	2	3	4	5	6 Last Day of Unleavened Bread	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 2011—Victor and Beverly Kubik go to Malawi and Zambia to look over current projects	14
15	16	17 2010—Skyline Rotary of Downtown Seattle raises more than \$11,000 for the construction of JohJan LifeNets Academy in Migori, Kenya	18	19	20 1996—Initial visit to Ukraine which led to founding of LifeNets	21
22	23	24	25	26 1986—Chernobyl disaster	27	28
29	30	I don't think you ever stop giving. I really don't. I think it's an ongoing process. And it's not just about being able to write a check. It's being able to touch somebody's life. — Oprah Winfrey				

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LifeNets provided a much-needed van to transport children to and from the "Revival" Children's Rehabilitation Center in Chernihev, Ukraine. LifeNets has helped the Center for more than 20 years.

May

2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<i>It is not how much we do, but how much love we put into the doing. It is not how much we give, but how much love we put in the giving.</i> — Mother Teresa		1 2000—Began LifeNets wheelchair project	2	3	4	5
6 2015—Lilongwe, Malawi, shops construction begins	7	8	9	10 2016—First funding towards Blantyre, Malawi, construction project	11	12
13 2012—Hydroponic project started in Guatemala	14	15 2000—Ukraine chapter of LifeNets registered	16	17	18 2001—Southern Africa chapter of LifeNets registered	19
<i>Mother's Day</i>						
20	21	22	23	24	25 2009—LifeNets becomes involved in the Development Project for Low-Income Children in Paramaribo, Suriname	26
<i>Pentecost</i>						
27	28	29	30	31		
	<i>Memorial Day</i>					



LifeNets helped to supply goats to a farmer in Malawi to supplement his livestock business and provide occasional meat for the family. Mostly the animals are raised to later sell for income.

June

2018


SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><i>It is more blessed to give than to receive.</i></p> <p>— Acts 20:35</p>					1	2 2012—Complete Dunya School in Kenya for orphans
3	4	5	6	7 2017—Itumbwe and Chipata, Zambia, boreholes funded by LifeNets Australia	8	9
10	11 1996—Founding of "Revival" Rehabilitation Center for Disabled Children in Chernihev, Ukraine	12	13	14 <i>Flag Day</i>	15	16
17 <i>Father's Day</i>	18	19	20 2007—LifeNets delivers 220 blankets handmade by UCG women in the US Pacific Northwest to orphans in Balaka, Malawi	21 <i>First day of Summer</i>	22	23 2015—First university scholarship to Mufumbwe orphanage
24	25 2001—LifeNets visits Vinogradov, Ukraine, to begin Street Children's program	26	27 2010—Sunday brunch in Springfield Gardens, New York, raises \$3,000 for the LifeNets Orphan Care Program near Balaka, Malawi	28	29	30 

New agricultural project in Chipata, Zambia, helping widows and needy families to grow their own food. The year 2017 proved to be a good year as this widow proudly shows us her maize yield.



July

2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012—Two-week camp for Vinogradov street children	2	3	4 <i>U.S. Independence Day</i>	5 2011—Five volunteers go to Vinogradov, Ukraine, for two weeks to teach English and help with summer camp.	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 2009—Started goat-raising project in Balaka, Malawi, to help with the LifeNets Orphan Care Centre.	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 2015—Colin Kubik traveled to Transcarpathia camp and rehabilitation center to spend one year working with children.
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	<p><i>Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal.</i></p> <p>— I Corinthians 13:1</p>			



A collage of scholarship students around the world. Upper left and center are from the Philippines, upper right are students in Zambia and the lower picture is of students in Malawi who have benefited from receiving scholarship support.

August

2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>Although the world is full of suffering, it is full also of the overcoming of it.</p> <p>— Helen Keller</p>			1	2	3 2017—Funds sent to purchase van for Children's Rehabilitation Center in Chernihev, Ukraine	4
5	6	7 2011—LifeNets/Youth Corps team of four leave for two weeks for charitable work in Zambia	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15 2001—Founding of LifeNets Developing Nations Scholarship Fund, first in El Salvador and Guatemala	16	17	18
19	20 2016—Construction began on the Lilongwe hall extension	21	22	23	24 2015—Mufumbwe, Zambia, borehole flows with clean water for community	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	



IF YOU LOVE ME, KEEP MY COMMANDMENTS
JOHN 14:15

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Newly purchased sewing machines for ladies in Solwezi, Zambia. They will help to support their families by making school uniforms and other clothing items.

September

2018

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<div>One joy scatters a hundred griefs.</div> <div>— Chinese proverb</div>						1
2 <div>1999—LifeNets International incorporated</div>	3 <div>Labor Day</div>	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 <div>Feast of Trumpets</div>	11	12	13	14	15 <div>2001—LifeNets launches “Manhattan Project” to help after 9-11 tragedy</div>
16	17	18	19 <div>Day of Atonement</div>	20 <div>2011—Kubiks take comprehensive trip to Malawi and Zambia to survey ongoing projects</div>	21 <div>2017—First official meeting held in the Blantyre, Malawi, hall</div>	22
23 <div>First day of Autumn</div> <div>30</div>	24 <div>First Day of the Feast of Tabernacles</div>	25 <div>2005—The first annual Mandan, N. Dak., LifeNets Triathlon</div>	26	27	28	29

Chimwemwe Kalima tends the small grocery store in the LifeNets Business Center in Lilongwe, Malawi.



October

2018

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	1 <i>The Eighth Day</i>	2	3	4	5 2016—LifeNets Australia officially incorporated	6
7 2003—Chizeni Clinic opens in Balaka, Malawi	8 <i>Columbus Day</i>	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 2015—Borehole in Cambodia funded by LifeNets Australia	23	24	25 2017—Maryinga, Zambia, borehole funded	26	27
28 2001—Week-long training in Mumbwa, Zambia, leads to successful start of cattle restoration program	29	30	31	<p><i>Changing the world begins with the very personal process of changing yourself. The only place you can begin is where you are, and the only time you can begin is always now.</i></p> <p>— Gary Zukov, author</p>		

Youth camp in Colombia
supported by LifeNets.



November

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<p><i>Love is not something you feel, it's something you do.</i></p> <p>— David Wilkerson, pastor and author</p>				<p>1 2004—LifeNets first establishes Zambia Revolving Farm Credit Program</p>	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<p><i>Daylight Saving Time ends</i></p>						
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
<p><i>Veterans Day</i></p>						
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
				<p><i>Thanksgiving Day</i></p>		
25	26	27	28	29	30	

Zione Chiumbuzo has been successfully sewing clothes using the sewing machine bought by LifeNets to help support her family in Malawi.



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2	3 2001—LifeNets delivers the first 22 heifers to Zambia, the start of our cattle restoration program	4	5	6	7 <i>Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day</i>	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 2014—funds sent to begin Blantyre, Malawi, property perimeter wall	20	21 <i>First day of Winter</i>	22
23 2000—First meeting of the LifeNets South African Management Team	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	Christmas Day				

Here is an example of a plan in progress in Zambia to improve people's lives. Filius Jere in Chipata submitted the information for this report.



The LifeNets Water Facility

Our previous water source was a shallow hand-dug well that supplied water to 200 poor households in the area. With the approval of a LifeNets grant of \$3,800, we were able to drill a borehole. However, to make the borehole more than a source for safe drinking water, we were able to add solar power for an additional \$1,800. This made it possible to irrigate vegetable gardens in the dry season and raise additional revenue.

This solar-powered borehole made it possible to train school dropouts in gardening. As start-up capital for their own garden enterprises, each trainee will receive 25% of the income realized during his training with the remainder going to support church-related activities.

Adults have also taken the opportunity to better themselves by forming groups by gender to produce vegetables under irrigation. They will retain 50% of the revenue while giving the church the other 50%. In this manner, it will be



possible to raise the money needed for activities such as youth camps, women's retreats, church festivals and more. It will also be possible, then, to make periodic visits to other areas we have established in Chiwoko, Petauke and other places.

Request for van for transportation

Filius Jere writes that the great challenge is with transport. 50% of the people who come to Chipata for church are outside the area and find it very difficult to get together. The hope is to raise funds to buy a second-hand van. Donations would be greatly appreciated.



Our wider vision

Filius Jere writes that our primary vision has always been the core work of preaching the gospel through the radio and physical outreach. Filius Jere has been in broadcasting for many years and has produced a program that can be heard also in nearby Malawi. But, performing works of charity and alleviating poverty enhance the core work of preaching the gospel.

Assistance from LifeNets for Chipata Congregation

Project	Purpose	Funds	Beneficiaries
1) Food relief	Alleviate hunger situation that befell members in Chipata and also in Malawi, Mozambique and other parts	\$2,200 (Aug 2016) \$4,200 (Dec 2016)	7 families
2) Farming assistance	Empower members to undertake productive farming in order to have enough food to off-set future hunger situations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 18 Basal• 18 Urea• 18x 5 kg seed• 2 Blankets• School shoes• Knitting• Baking	18 families average \$70 each
3) Building assistance	Help buy major items related to completion of Church building		Congregation
4) Borehole [1]	Ensure all-year-round availability of safe drinking water to over 200 households around Church	\$5,600 (June 2017)	200 households

[1] This was further enhanced into a solar powered facility (\$1,800) that is now additionally being utilized to support dry season vegetable production by members of the Church.

Dear LifeNets Family,

Eighteen years after our founding, our greatest desire and commitment remains to help those in need to help themselves. What that means is that we want to make sure that deserving people get the boost they need so that they can begin to stand on their own. We do not want them to become dependent on us. We rely upon our trusted LifeNets family abroad to provide feedback on the various projects and scholarships provided in their respective areas.

We continually strive to keep our operational costs to a minimum and economize in every way we can. We are using our eNews and social media to tell our story.

The scholarship program continues to be our biggest and most successful project because it gives a lifetime benefit to its recipients. Our work in drilling boreholes in Zambia and in Malawi has provided significant community water resources in remote areas of Africa. In Ukraine we give perennial support to the disabled children in the Chernobyl area. We help with orphans and street children in western Ukraine.

We want to thank everyone who has helped us toward our mission of helping others. Please go to our website at www.LifeNets.org for additional information on what we do. Again thank you from the bottom of our heart for your trust and support!

Gratefully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Beverly Kubik". The signature is fluid and elegant, with the first name "Beverly" and last name "Kubik" clearly distinguishable.

Beverly Kubik, President

LifeNets needs your help on these projects

Program	Programs Under Way	What is Still Needed
Global outreach	The most effective way to help is financially. We can buy locally cheaper than shipping.	LifeNets is a 501(c)(3) exempt charity. Donations can be sent by mail, PayPal or credit card. Please visit our home page at www.LifeNets.org for details.
Scholarships	Each year we are committed to helping about 100 students in developing countries. A very much appreciated and needed program.	Our continual need is to sustain our commitment to the students who need our help to attain an education that will help them for the rest of their lives.
Water wells—hand dug may reach water but the most reliable are drilled by large machinery and then fixed with a pump for easy access to drawing water.	We have drilled many boreholes that supply water to communities. Clean drinking water is an enormous blessing helping women and children to reach life-giving water.	This year we would like to drill seven boreholes. The cost varies from \$3,000 to \$8,000. This is a gift that helps provide water for an entire community.
Wheelchairs	We have given away several hundred wheelchairs of various types, from basic models to motorized power chairs.	We are always in need of freely donated, good condition wheelchairs of any type. We can only give away what has been donated to us. Visit our automated site at: www.LifeNets.org/wheelchair .
Livelihood	Small business grants or loans to qualified individuals.	Funding additional projects or businesses to provide work for qualified individuals in countries where unemployment rates can reach 80%. Funds are for tools, equipment, cattle or goats.

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Drilling rig for borehole in Maloca de Moscou, Brazil. This rig drills holes more than 150 feet deep to provide reliable year-round fresh water for an entire community.



Thank you for helping us to help others!

