







**Wear a STOP AIDS bracelet or a Hearts for Life pin**

-  **A Symbol Of Compassion** for the millions of people who live with HIV/AIDS and their caregivers
-  **A Symbol Of Remembrance** of those who have died
-  **A Symbol of Solidarity** in the universal movement to resist HIV/AIDS
-  **A Symbol Of Hope** in the struggle for a cure and a generation without AIDS

ORDER your bracelets and pins today at:  
 partnershipforlife@pwrdf.org or call 416-924-9199, ext. 205

**Get Involved**

**PRAY** for the people most affected by this pandemic around the world and here at home; pray for our PWRDF partners and give thanks for their witness of hope and courage. Seek wisdom and direction from scripture, from our experiences and from one another. Plan a PWRDF liturgy to remember, pray and support a suffering world.

**ACT** to urge our government to take a more pro-active leadership role to improve policies that affect HIV positive people.

Raise awareness of the situation and the related issues in your community. Contact PWRDF for resource materials.

**GIVE** your financial support and make a lasting commitment to the PWRDF Partnership for Life initiative. Wear a STOP AIDS bracelet and a Hearts for Life pin to demonstrate your commitment.

Organize a pledge event in your parish and encourage monthly giving.

**Pledge to Make a Difference**

Our goal is to raise an additional **\$1,000,000** to increase our support for HIV/AIDS programs with our partners.

Consider making an additional donation to the **Partnership for Life** initiative over a period of time as a way to make a significant difference.

See how a regular donation can add up:

Monthly	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years
\$15	\$180	\$360	\$540	\$720
\$25	\$300	\$600	\$900	\$1200
\$50	\$600	\$1200	\$1800	\$2400
\$100	\$1200	\$2400	\$3600	\$4800

Join hands in hope with PWRDF and walk the road of partnership towards  
**A GENERATION WITHOUT AIDS**

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**PLEDGE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE**

It is time to accept that even one AIDS related death is one too many. We owe it to our millions of AIDS orphans, the parents who are watching their children die, to all of Creation and our Creator to stop treating the issue like an exercise in strategy. Our objective must be nothing less than **a generation without AIDS** and we cannot dilute our focus.

- Njongonkulu Ndungane, Archbishop of Cape Town



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## The Global Situation

The HIV/AIDS pandemic is taking a catastrophic toll on countries, communities and families around the world. More than **60 million people** have been infected with HIV since the epidemic began two decades ago. In 2005, AIDS claimed more than 3.1 million lives, 95 percent of all infected people live in the **developing world**. As mothers, workers, care-givers and educators, **women and girls** are almost invariably left with the biggest burden. At the same time, their lack of legal, social and political status leaves them vulnerable to transmission.

**Children and young people** are the most vulnerable. It is estimated that 6,000 young people contract the virus every day. AIDS related deaths have resulted in 15 million **orphans** worldwide. In many countries AIDS is eroding many years of progress in life expectancy. In 2005, more than 7 million of Africa's **agricultural workers** died of AIDS. The loss of assets and productive workers seriously affects the capacity to produce and purchase food. The average life expectancy in Sub-Saharan Africa is 47 years, without AIDS it would have been 62 years.

In the face of these odds, it is hard to believe we can make a difference.

**It is possible.** Despair is a luxury PWRDF partners cannot afford. Every day in communities around the world, people are responding to the crisis. The immensity of this crisis demands extraordinary measures from ordinary people around the world.

## Partnership for Life

In response to our partners, the PWRDF Board of Directors adopted a statement in May 2002 naming HIV/AIDS as a priority issue for The Primate's Fund and mandated a new initiative.

### Goal and Objectives

The overall goal of the Partnership for Life initiative is to mitigate the impact of HIV/AIDS in highly affected regions and sectors of the world.

### Objectives 2003-2006

- **Fundraising** Raise an additional \$1,000,000 to increase our capacity to respond to partners' HIV/AIDS initiatives
- **Development** Support community-led development initiatives to help people affected by HIV/AIDS take control of their own lives and situations
- **Education and Communication** Raise awareness and deepen involvement of Anglicans in Canada on issues related to HIV/AIDS
- **Advocacy and Action** Change policies and practices that increase harm – at the global level of international financial institutions and at the community level addressing stigma and discrimination.

## PWRDF Program

PWRDF is active with partners in the following countries in HIV/AIDS related programming:

- Africa: Burundi, Kenya, Mozambique, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda
- Latin America: Brazil, El Salvador, Guatemala
- Asia: Bangladesh, Hong Kong
- Canada: Indigenous communities.

A positive fundraising effort will allow us to expand our program worldwide.

### Activities

The situation, far beyond the scale of a health crisis, demands action to address the factors that intensify the spread of the disease and undermine the health of communities: lack of income, nutrition, education, healthcare; discrimination, gender inequality, migration, violence and conflict. These social, political and economic factors that increase vulnerability must be challenged. PWRDF funds support the following types of activities:

- Education and prevention
- Integration of AIDS orphans into communities
- Home-based care and accompaniment
- Income generation
- Empowerment of women and girls
- Refugee education
- Advocacy aimed at access to treatment
- Pastoral care to individuals and families living with HIV/AIDS.

**Yes, I want to support Partnership for Life.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### PARTNERSHIP FOR LIFE PLEDGE

Total pledge of: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Please tell us how you would like to make your donation by choosing one of the following four options.*

- 1. INCREASE MY CURRENT MONTHLY DONATION** I am a monthly donor and I want to increase my giving to \$ \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. INSTALLMENTS BY CHEQUE** I will send a regular donation by cheque of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (payable to PWRDF, Partnership for Life).
- 3. ONE TIME DONATION** I have enclosed a one time donation for Partnership for Life.
- 4. NEW MONTHLY DONOR** Please add me as a monthly donor, for the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ each month.

Name on card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### FOR NEW DONORS ONLY:

I want to give by  Visa  MasterCard

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

I want to give by Pre-Authorized Cheque on the  
 1st of the month  16th of the month

Account # \_\_\_\_\_

Branch Address: \_\_\_\_\_

*Enclose a personal cheque marked "Void".*

**THANK YOU  
YOUR SUPPORT MAKES A DIFFERENCE**



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