



CAMPAIGN SUMMARY REPORT

Progress Report

October 2024–March 2025

PRAISING GOD AND THANKING YOU

Thank you for helping empower the world's most vulnerable people with life, hope, and a better future in Jesus' name. Your partnership has helped us reach more than **8 million people in the first half of fiscal year 2025** so they can lead fuller lives, as God wants for all of us.

In this report, you'll read some highlights of what you have helped achieve from **October 2024 to March 2025**.

Here are the total participants reached by Signature Initiative:



1,092,986

people were reached with **access to clean water**.



1,697,833*

people reached that were **affected by emergencies and humanitarian crises**.



26,721

have been **empowered with education, life skills, job training, and meaningful employment**.



712,312

people have been **equipped with the tools needed** to lift themselves out of extreme poverty.



4,203,849

people have engaged with **Christian discipleship activities and tools** to support the spiritual nurture of children.



121,866

people, including 65,457 children and youth, **have been protected by addressing the root causes of violence**.



334,826

people, including 145,425 children, benefited from **health education, training, and improved healthcare**.

World Vision counts the number of people who participate in each sector program separately and combines these for total reach. Because of World Vision's holistic approach, some people will participate in more than one program during the campaign and will be counted more than once in the total.

** Total reached includes support from U.S. donors, public grants, gifts-in-kind, and other funding.*

STORIES HIGHLIGHTING THE INCREDIBLE IMPACT YOU ARE MAKING

Global Water

Twelve-year-old Frehiwot (pictured) in Ethiopia watched her mother, Chali, suffer from back pain hauling heavy water cans across a dangerous valley to an unreliable pump. “The persistent pain and exhaust my mother was in ... used to worry me,” Frehiwot said. “I used to think, if I do the house chores ... she would not have to strain her back.” Chali never let her help—it was too risky, and she didn’t want her missing school.

That changed when World Vision built a nearly 2-mile pipeline reaching more than 500 people and installed three water points near their home. “Now I can help my mom fetch water,” Frehiwot said. Chali added, “Now I can put my attention not on collecting water, but cooking good food so that Frehiwot ... can study.” That’s ideal for Frehiwot, who dreams of being a doctor.



[View the Global Water dashboard online.](#)



Scan this QR code to watch a video about the Big Dream to End Child Marriage program.



Child Protection

In the first half of FY25, World Vision launched the Big Dream to End Child Marriage program in Kenya and Bangladesh, empowering girls like Parvena (pictured) to shape their own futures.

In her life-skills education group, Parvena said she “learned how to cope with emotional stress, use my mind and abilities to problem solve, and use my voice. I’ve gained a lot of confidence.” World Vision facilitators launched the groups in 2025. They teach girls how to be leaders, combat harmful cultural norms, and report child marriage cases to local authorities.

“There are many negative impacts from child marriage,” Parvena said. “The most important is that the child is being taken out of school and forced to maintain a family [when] she isn’t ready. She can also die from getting pregnant or her child can be born malnourished.”

Parvena has talked with her parents, relatives, and neighbors about ending child marriage. Her parents have agreed to let her stay in school, go to university, and decide when to marry.



Global Emergency Response

Eight-year-old Rachida (pictured between her aunts) fled to Chad with her two aunts, Halime and Gamara, after her parents and brothers were killed in Sudan. Like many refugee families, they first lived in a shelter made of sticks and clothing—providing little protection, especially for women and girls at heightened risk of violence. When World Vision equipped them with a shelter kit, the new structure brought safety and dignity. “I was very happy. I can protect myself from the wind and rain,” Rachida says. Rachida lives with Aunt Gamara, while her Aunt Halime and the rest of the family stay nearby. “I love them,” she says.

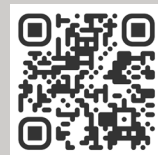
The shelter has become a place of comfort and protection for Rachida, who has endured unimaginable loss. Since April 2023, World Vision has supported 77,557 Sudanese refugees with essential supplies, provided 11,802 shelter kits, and created safe spaces for more than 128,000 children. For children like Rachida, it means feeling loved and daring to hope again.

EMPOWERING WOMEN AND GIRLS

Through the power of God and the support of our donors and partners, women and girls are being empowered to reach their full potential. In fact, **4,158,345 women and girls*** have been reached through World Vision’s projects across all sectors and countries between October 2024 and March 2025.

“Creating environments for right relationships between girls and boys and women and men is the path to long-term, sustainable change that will end extreme poverty,” says Edgar Sandoval Sr., World Vision president and CEO.

**This total includes participants reached through World Vision’s privately funded programs and our publicly funded emergency response programs. Some women and girls have participated in more than one program.*



Scan this QR code to watch a video about how our work empowers women and girls.

Christian Discipleship

In a quiet Nicaraguan village, Karla and Nelson’s marriage was unraveling, and their son bore the weight of their conflict. But healing began when they joined World Vision’s Celebrating Families workshops. “My family history is a testimony to God’s restorative power,” said Karla (pictured with her husband, Nelson). “My marriage had gone through a crisis [and] the damage was not only felt as a couple, but also as a family, affecting our son. Our participation in the workshops with World Vision has renewed us, and today we feel motivated to continue growing and serving in the church,” said Karla.

Life-changing transformation occurs when pastors and other Christian leaders, parents, and communities understand their purpose and identity through the power of God’s Word. World Vision’s Christian discipleship programs help strengthen families and equip parents, pastors and ministry leaders to create environments where children can experience God’s love. These programs also help change mindsets, enabling people to gain a new vision for their future.



Now, Karla and Nelson lead Celebrating Families groups, helping others find healing. In FY25, their story joined 26,464 others touched by Bible studies, youth ministries, and the love of a growing church community.

View the Christian Discipleship dashboard online.

Economic Empowerment

Maria (pictured), a mother of five in San Bartolo, Guatemala, once struggled to feed her children. They lived on a dirt floor without plumbing, often eating only tortillas dipped in broth.

In 2021, Maria joined a World Vision savings group and received 24 chickens. By 2022, she had launched a grocery store beside her home, bought a used truck, and moved her family into a cement-floor house. In 2023, Maria took part in World Vision's Biblical Empowered Worldview training. "It taught me I am made in the image of God and helped me believe I could improve our lives," she says. That year, she received more chickens. In 2024, she expanded into raising pigs, opened a bakery and salon with her daughters, and built a larger grocery store—repurposing the original store for her growing flock.

Around the breakfast table, they share their dreams and plans. Maria listens, encourages, and reminds them to put God first. She is, by every measure, a good mother.

View the Economic Empowerment dashboard online.



Scan this QR code
to watch a video
of Maria's story,
The Good Mother.



THANK YOU

Thank you for investing in hope for children and families and giving them the opportunity to dream of a better future. Your partnership has helped unlock their potential and unleash possibilities!

There is still unimaginable pain and suffering in the world. In response to the great need, God has given us a bold new vision: to reach 300 million vulnerable people by 2030. Every one of them loved by God, with a name and potential. Every one of them in need of a believer—someone who affirms their identity as a child of God.

May God bless you and the ones you love as we prayerfully and faithfully continue this journey together in the name of Jesus Christ.



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