

NAILSEA Water Project

AN INTRODUCTION



An opportunity for individuals and businesses in
Nailsea & District to tackle a Millennium Goal
– to help provide a clean, sustainable water supply
to 4,000 people in south west Uganda



A new and exciting global project for Nailsea and District

This is a unique project where our community, in and around Nailsea, links up with the people of SW Uganda and works together, with them to provide a clean and sustainable water supply within their village.



This will bring about a dramatic improvement in lifestyle. Instead of villagers, (mainly women and children), walking 2 to 3 hours each day to fetch water, which is often polluted, they can go to their village tap.

This gives the children more time for schooling, it gives the women more time to care for the family and earn extra income and, because the water is clean and safe, the whole community can live healthier lives.



THE COST OF
A SIMILAR
PROJECT
WAS
£90,000

THE STORY SO FAR?

We have a vision for drawing together the diverse groups and people of the Nailsea area in tackling a Millennium Goal, through the provision of clean water.

Jolyon Trickey, Rector of Holy Trinity Church, recently visited SW Uganda and saw first hand the huge impact such a project can make.

A small group from Nailsea:

💧 has approached Tearfund (a Christian relief and development agency), who have agreed to support and advise the initiative

💧 is working in conjunction with Tearfund to identify a community in SW Uganda that has an urgent need of clean fresh water

💧 now considers that it is time to extend this vision to the people of Nailsea and District.

DID YOU KNOW?

900 million people are without clean water and 40% of the world's population lack basic sanitation

Lack of sanitation is the world's biggest cause of infection.

Every 20 seconds, a child dies from a water-related disease.

In just one day, more than 200 million hours of women's time is consumed for the most basic of human needs — collecting water for domestic use.



And now we need **your** help

...to progress the project by:

💧 joining a town-wide management group

💧 communicating the vision

💧 raising funds

💧 forging links with our Ugandan partners

💧 creating educational materials, etc.

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THE WATER PROJECT

This will be a gravity fed system and the steps are:

- 1 Fund a geological survey to ascertain a clean and sustainable water source above the village
- 2 Build a holding tank to collect the water
- 3 Arrange for the villagers to dig the one metre deep trench from this tank to the village
- 4 Purchase pipes to carry the water to the village and organise installation by trained Ugandans
- 5 Provide and install taps at the village on a protected and drained concrete stand
- 6 Appoint committees to maintain the system

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Working with Tearfund will ensure 100% of money sent to Uganda will be used for the project

AREA FOR PROJECT

Millennium Development Goals!

At the United Nations Millennium Summit in 2000, 189 world leaders agreed to end poverty by 2015.

Goal 7 and target 3 is:

'Halving the proportion of the population without sustainable access to safe drinking water and basic sanitation'

WE CAN END POVERTY 2015 MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS



MAKE POVERTY HISTORY

