



## Blessed Sun: Power in Your Hands! **2022**

Welcome to the annual report of the Blessed Sun Foundation for 2022. A year in which the world was recovering from the Covid pandemic.

We were very happy to hear that nearly all children in Mbeere, Kaluluini and Masaku came back to school. However, the free lunch in the latter two schools was not resumed by Government, causing great hunger among the children. This prompted us to provide clean, energy efficient stoves and maize and beans to the schools. One cannot learn anything on an empty stomach...



The lamps were checked by John, and most were still in good order. A few were replaced. He also donated several school uniforms to the most needed on our behalf.

Marjolein was able to fulfill a long lasting wish: to start cataract surgery in rural Kenya. She partners with clinical officer and cataract surgeon Mike Toroitich in AIC Hospital in Litein, Western Kenya. We were able to transport 3 crates full of second hand ophthalmic equipment to Kenya to upgrade the ophthalmic department. In January Marjolein and friend and ophthalmic surgeon Jenny Ongkosuwito performed cataract surgery, exchanged knowledge, and gave back sight to around 50 Kenyans.

We are very grateful of al the support from family, friends, Rotary Huizen Gooimeer, and even patients at Bergman Clinics. We have great plans for 2023:



To support the children in our schools, whether it is with lamps, clothes and / or food.

To increase the number of cataract surgeries in Litein, and to continue and intensify our working relationship.

To raise more income through Rotary actions.



Here is the financial report for 2022

Assets in Euros	01-01-2022	31-12-2022	
Bankaccount current	6693	1798	
Bankaccount savings	13818	16782	
Lamps	44	0	
Total assets	20555	18580	

Income	Real 2022	Budget 2022
Dog collar	19	0
Rotary festival+summer diners	475	500
Jokelies uniforms	77	0
Donations (eg restoration Ud)	750	500
Other fundraising (Gunter)	50	500
Bergman Clinic patients and staff	335	
Total income	1706	1.500

Expenditures	Real 2022	Budget 2022	
Bankaccount fees	119	120	
Lamps	97	150	
Kitchen + travel costs	1937	1500	
Food programme	1345		
Wednet (website hosting)	102	100	
Festival	81	100	
Total cost	3562	1850	