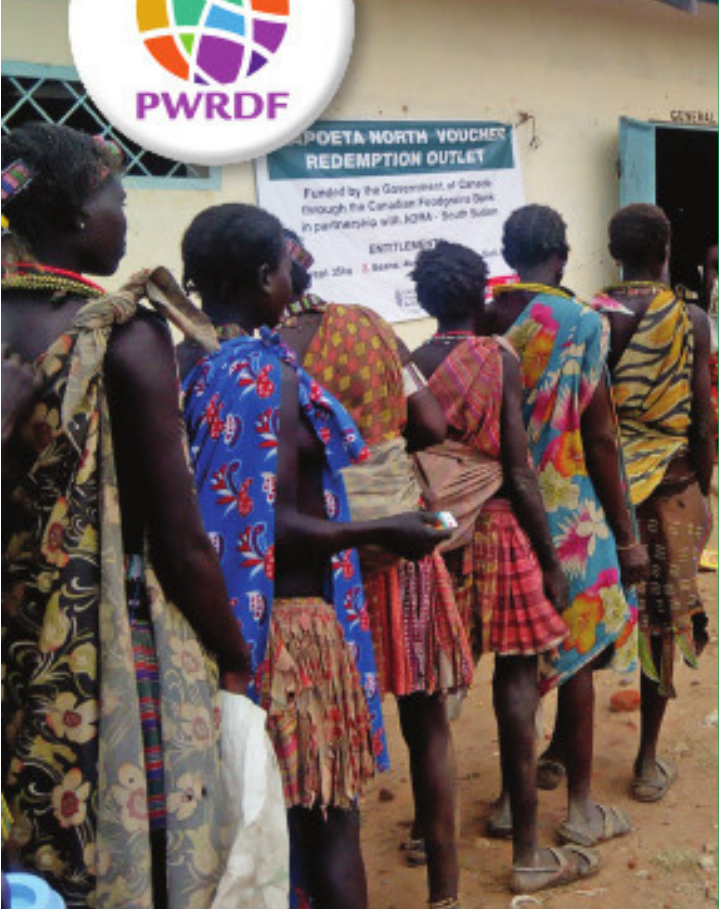




Displaced people and refugees



Holy God,
 earth and air and water are your creation,
 and every living thing belongs to you:
 have mercy on us
 as climate change confronts us.
 Give us the will and the courage
 to simplify the way we live,
 to reduce the energy we use,
 to share the resources you provide,
 and to bear the cost of change.
 Forgive our past mistakes, and send us
 your Spirit, with wisdom in present
 controversies and vision for the future to
 which you call us in Jesus Christ our Lord.
 Amen.

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Higher temperatures and less rain are causing drought in many places in Africa. In countries like South Sudan, where there is also conflict and violence, the result is a mass exodus. Two million South Sudanese have become refugees, crossing the border into Ethiopia, Sudan and Uganda. But another two million people have moved within the country as displaced people, dependent on food aid.

In Kapoeta North county, the economic crisis and conflict is causing severe hunger and malnutrition.

Crops are failing or non-existent, and livestock is dying. PWRDF has been supporting 1,700 families since September 2018 with monthly distribution of cereal, beans, lentils, vegetable oil and salt.

The project was made possible through 4:1 match funding from the Canadian Foodgrains Bank and the Government of Canada. Together we recognize how a changing climate is increasing the vulnerability of populations around the world, further increasing displacement.

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Scripture

Psalm 27: 13-14

I believe that I shall see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait for the Lord; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the Lord!

Prayers

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

Wonderings

Where do you see the goodness of God in the world?

How do you feel when you see God?

Reflection

You can learn more about refugees and climate refugees here:
<https://pwrdf.org/?s=refugee>
<https://www.unhcr.org/>