

Annual Report 2022 (leading up to) Auriga Family Foundation

The origins of the Auriga Family Foundation stem from the impactful experiences our family encountered during our travels through Africa, where we were confronted with the challenging and difficult conditions in which some people live. The stories we heard and the encounters we had, deeply moved us, sparking a desire to make a difference. We were determined to work with these people to find concrete ways to offer support and improve their living conditions.

Activities

Over the past year, our primary focus was on providing food aid, educational materials, and blankets in Sakut and Kibera in Kenya, and Losimingori in Tanzania. We also assessed the needs of the people we met in communities, slums, and in the schools for orphans and street children. For many weeks, we lived among these communities and next to the slums in Nairobi.

Together we have taken a thorough inventory of what is really missing and by identifying these needs, we can now determine what is perceived as urgent and how we can make a difference.

It was in Africa where the idea originated to set up a formal foundation aimed at providing structural aid and carrying out structured projects.

In Africa we met many local people who enthusiastically contributed ideas, and offered to help develop and establish projects. We can now count them among our first group of volunteers; we are in weekly contact and are all highly motivated to start and implement projects.

This year, we also initiated the formal process of establishing the foundation in the Netherlands. We are committed to learning and growing, with the objective of becoming an open and transparent family foundation, established from the heart.

We hope to welcome others, to support fellow human beings living in less privileged circumstances than us.

Acknowledgements

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