

## Blankets for a New Home

Our congregation is actively involved with the Church World Service Blanket Program. For many years, our church has been helping to keep our neighbors warm by providing blankets to families here in the United States and around the world.

Because of our blanket offering, we make a difference for families, like the Pacifique's.

The Pacifique family is much like any other family. Mom and dad go to work each day and their children go to school. Each night they share a meal together and they are thankful for all they have been given.

But life wasn't always this easy for the Pacifique family. They fled from war in Democratic Republic of Congo, where more than 5.4 million people died, to nearby Zambia. They tried setting up a new home and leading a "normal" life, but they never felt safe.

Eventually, the Pacifique's were chosen to be resettled to the United States.

When they arrived in their new home, CWS Blankets were among the supplies waiting to welcome them.

Today we have an opportunity to provide hope to many families. Our church is taking a special offering to help provide blankets and other emergency items to families all around the world.

For only 10 dollars, you can give a blanket that can provide warmth and shelter, comfort and privacy, and healing and hope wherever God's people may need care.

These blankets are a wonderful gift and you can provide a little bit of hope at the same time.

Please give generously. Thank you.

