

## **FUNDRAISING IDEAS**

## **Ideas for Individuals**

- Support letters to family, friends, co-workers, etc.
- Create a donation page and share through email or social media
- Get crafty use your gifts and make things to sell
- Musical? Hold a concert and ask for donations or make a CD/download to sell
- De-clutter your home by selling things you no longer need or use Create and distribute change jars for family, friends, bible study or youth group to toss in their loose change
- Ask friends with talent (music, art, crafts, hair, nails, etc.) to hold an event on your behalf
- Offer to do odd jobs for people: babysit, wash cars, cleaning, yard work, etc.
- Pledge sheet as you earn money from working, ask people to match what you earn
- Know someone who owns a business? Ask them to do a fundraising night/day for your trip and donate a percentage of sales
- Collect bottles and cans to turn in
- Research online fundraising sites and purchase items to sell at a higher rate for profit
- Sell tickets to a dinner in your home
- Ask friends who do home parties (Pampered Chef, Scentsy, etc.) to host a party and donate all or a percentage of their commission

## **Ideas for Groups**

- Hold a fundraising dinner
- Car wash
- Create a team t-shirt to sell
- Host a child care night for Parent's Night Out—parents drop off their children and leave a donation. Plan activities for the kids or have a movie night
- Hold a bake sale
- Hold an auction of team members to perform help in people's home or church
- Silent auction—team members gather donated items to auction
- Group vard sale with concessions or BBQ
- Walk or Jog-a-thon; pledge per mile
- Ask a children's ministry or youth group to save up change—use it as a chance to share about Rwanda with them
- Pie in the Face: Sell raffle tickets to throw a pie in your Youth Leader's face
- Plan a dinner theater and sell tickets

