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REPORT**

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FOUNDER'S NOTE

Tony Robbins said, **“Life is a gift, and it offers us the privilege, opportunity, and responsibility to give something back by becoming more”**.

Today, I am happy to present to you the 2021 report, highlighting our achievements and impact for the year.

Over the years, we have been able to reach over a hundred thousand beneficiaries. We are delighted that 2021 saw us add to this number. As an organization, our core objectives remain deep rooted in the principles of empowerment and sustenance , educational support and food relief to the extremely vulnerable in our societies.

2021 was a challenging year for everyone , given the pandemic ; but we were able to implement and initiate the Trinitas Investment Programme ; we kickstarted the Education Project, continued the food relief program and ended the year with the Christmas Cheer.

I couldn't be prouder of the team for the effort, sacrifice and commitment shown in the past 12months.

I must also commend the commitment and the sacrifice of our volunteers in helping us to achieve our set goals for the year. We could not have achieved this much without your passion and support for our cause.

To our partners and sponsors, we appreciate your commitment and belief in our vision this year and we look forward to achieving much more together.

On a final note, 2022 looks promising as our set goals for the year will further help to better the lives of the less privileged in our communities.

I'll end this with the words of Margaret Mead who said, **“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed people can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.”**

Thank you for the journey of 2021 and we look forward to a more positive impact in 2022, together.

ADE GEORGE
FOUNDER/CEO



OUR MISSION

Our mission is to empower the extremely vulnerable, budding Nigerian businesses and startups with the necessary requirements to break the cycles of poverty and hunger in the African community.

OUR VISION

“Trinitas Foundation exists to create a culture where Africans are free from the stigmas of poverty.”



OUR OBJECTIVES

1. The value of women to any society is unique and we radically oppose the depreciation of women in African societies.
2. We want African children to be taught and equipped with the necessary skills and opportunities available to their counterparts around the world.
3. We believe that the change we want comes from within and we have to be that change by taking action.
4. The support for the homeless and people living in extreme poverty is almost nonexistent and we want to be at the frontline in the battle against poverty and all it brings.

AREAS OF FOCUS



FOOD RELIEF



EDUCATION



POVERTY ALLEVIATION



YOUTH EMPOWERMENT



INVESTMENT



WOMEN EMPOWERMENT



ORGANIZATIONAL VALUES



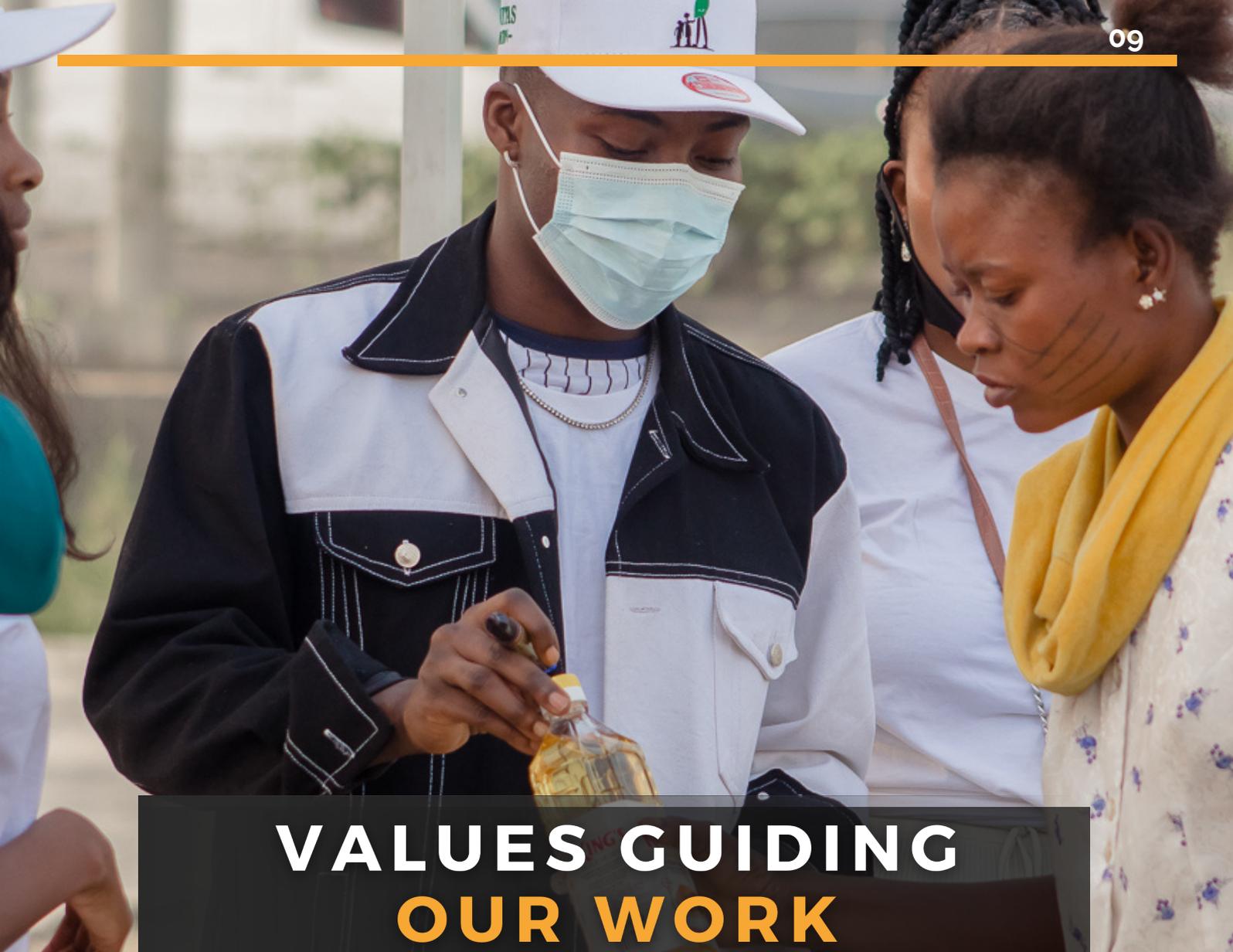
LOVE



CARE



COMPASSION



VALUES GUIDING OUR WORK

- 1. TRUTH:** Ensuring transparency at all levels of our work.
- 2. PROFICIENCY:** Providing creative expertise and strong commitment.
- 3. SOLIDARITY:** Within our NGO and with the people we aim to support.
- 4. INTEGRITY:** To act according to the values we wish to promote.
- 5. FLEXIBILITY:** Showing our willingness to change and learn.



A PRECIS OF OUR 2021 JOURNEY

OUR IMPACT IN FIGURES

27,000

Number of meals distributed

26,500

Number of people reached

3

Number of communities impacted

75,000

KG of Food Distributed

10,000

KG of food donated

65%

Percentage of volunteer increase





TRINITAS EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT

The importance of education can not be overemphasized.

Unfortunately, education in Nigeria is bisected by a myriad of problems. Problems facing the education sector include; poor funding and thus poor educational infrastructures, inadequate classrooms, lack of teaching aids (projectors, computers, laboratories, and libraries), paucity of quality teachers, poor/polluted learning environments, and so on.

Education experts believe that the solutions to these pertinent issues need to be sustainable, innovative, and replicable. This requires all stakeholders on board to create, support, and replicate education-oriented solutions.

In alignment with this, Trinitas Foundation in 2021 was able to tackle a major problem that aims to alleviate the deficiency of teaching and learning aids in schools located in poor communities by providing over 1,000 educational materials for school children. The Foundation's commitment to further ensure that the education gap between the underprivileged African child and his/her counterpart across the world is reduced remains a major focus of this program.





TRINITAS INVESTMENT PROGRAM



Research has shown that youths are Africa's greatest resource and asset but if not carefully managed and engaged they can be Africa's greatest threat or problem. Youth development initiatives and programs focused on developing and building youth-focused and youth-led MSMEs are believed to support and empower other youths to be more engaged and increase the returns and contribution of the youths to a nation's economic development.

Meeting and engaging young entrepreneurs is necessary to build the critical skills and competencies required to meet the demands of a growing and evolving economy.

The Trinitas investment program is an annual initiative created in 2020, with the aim of supporting micro and small-scale youth-focused enterprises that can further provide jobs and knowledge to other youths through the funding and provision of the required training.

In 2021, the investment scheme funded 10 micro and small enterprises across technology, agriculture, small-scale manufacturing, entertainment and media, fashion, beauty and lifestyle, and food industries.

With over 2000 applicants, the foundation team during the selection of T.I.P participants were able to shortlist six female entrepreneurs and four male entrepreneurs as the T.I.p beneficiaries. The beneficiaries were taken through an intense 12 weeks of business development and management training facilitated by Access Bank Nigeria.



Trinitas Investment Program continues to invest and strengthen the ideas of young people who lack funding and guidance in their various crafts.

Notably, the Trinitas investment program's end goal is to develop people who can also be employers of labor and economic game-changers in the grassroots.



TRINITAS CHRISTMAS CHEER

Trinitas Foundation annually embarks on the gifts of fullness every December to provide relief materials to cushion the economic burdens of underprivileged families and this year our Christmas cheer was themed “ share the love spread the love”.

The Trinitas Christmas Cheer 2021 project was organized with the support of various partners which include Binance Charity Foundation, Bulher Nigeria, Altecho Farms amongst others. The event was held at the Pistis conference center, Jakande, Eti-Osa, Lagos on the 18th of December 2021. Through the event, the foundation was able to reach out to over 6,000 underprivileged families in Lagos. They were provided with food items, educational materials, clothes, and others. Over 55,600KG of food was distributed.

Aside from the food relief activities held at the event, the foundation also rendered healthcare services such as COVID-19 screening and vaccination, general health checkups amongst other medical activities. The project beneficiaries included; Aged people, Nursing Mothers, Teenage mothers, Widows, Children, and Internally Displaced Persons.

The Christmas festive period is a time of the year to put smiles on the faces of people and Trinitas is doing the most to reach out by partnering with companies, food vendors, individuals, and others to give the gift of fullness to families yearly.



A group of people, including men and women, are standing on a red carpet. They are wearing white t-shirts and caps with a logo. One man in the foreground is wearing a black and white jacket, sunglasses, and a white cap. The background features a large banner with the word 'TRINITAS' and a logo of a person holding a green object. A large, stylized '2022' is overlaid on the image, with the numbers '2' and '2' in white and the '0' in black, all set against a yellow and black background.

2022

With our core objectives, mission, and core values being put into consideration, our plans for 2022 will be stationed around education for kids (KIDDITECH Project), the Trinitas investment program (TIP), the Trinitas Food assistance Program (TriFap), and in the annual fashion, we will end the year with the Christmas Cheer 2022.

TRINITAS KIDDITECH PROGRAM

A report by the UN ranks Nigeria as 1 of the top 12 countries where a large population of school-age children are either not in classrooms or have never used a computer. According to the UNESCO EAGMR report, 3 out of every five Nigerian children are out of school and the ones in school have minimal or no digital knowledge. Digital poverty widens the gap of educational inequality and this, in turn, limits opportunities for the youths and thus creates problems for the future of a generation.

The Trinitas KIDDITECH Project is a technology-based program designed to address the technology gap between Nigerian underprivileged children and their counterparts around the world.

The mission is to train 10,000 under-privileged Nigerian children over the next 10 years across different public secondary schools in Advanced IT, blockchain technology, coding, and artificial intelligence, thereby bridging the digital gap between our future leaders and their counterparts in developed countries around the world.

The project's unique feature is the creation of the Trinitas IT club in senior secondary schools across the country, where the children will have the opportunity to keep learning after concluding the project.

A Large number of children have no practical digital experience, and this technology-based program would help bridge that gap and equip the children with the necessary tools required to create innovative ideas that can solve existing problems in their communities.

Such tech-based solutions can then be replicated in similar communities around the world.

The future is tech-based, and not equipping the kids with this knowledge would further put Africa and Africans at a disadvantage.

TRINITAS INVESTMENT PROGRAM

According to a World Bank report in October 2019, Nigeria ranked 131 out of 189 countries regarding the ease of doing business. As a result, 80% of new small businesses fail in 3 years. With a population of above 200 million people, Nigeria is often called the largest market in Africa.

However, one will be quick to assume that doing business in Nigeria will be a walk in the park. But, otherwise is the case.

Many challenges confront small business owners, especially businesses owned by young persons, making it difficult for many businesses to reach their full potential. As not enough business owners are well equipped for the challenges ahead, a lot of the business enterprises either pack up completely or are made redundant.

The Trinitas investment program is one of the initiatives created by our Foundation to aid the growth of micro and small scale entrepreneurs through training, mentorship, and funding. The rising number of entrepreneurs, without the technical know-how to run a business is alarming. Trinitas Foundation understands the importance of strengthening entrepreneurs and how it helps to alleviate poverty at the grassroots which is one of our core objectives.

The 2022 edition will be the second season of the investment program, and the foundation hopes to reach other businesses across West Africa, thereby helping to strengthen Africa's Economy.

TRINITAS CHRISTMAS CHEER

The Trinitas Christmas Cheer - an annual trade fair modeled event that provides food items, nutritional aid and educational materials to underprivileged families and individuals in Lagos environs.

This event will be held during the Christmas season thereby restoring the hope and spirit of the festive season to thousands of people. The event in 2020 was able to reach over 5000 people and the 2021 edition reached over 6000 people. Over the years, the Foundation through this event has been able to support thousands of people across different age ranges and cultural backgrounds.

TRINITAS FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (TRIFAP)

The Trinitas Assistance Program is a quarterly food relief intervention that aims to reach underprivileged families in slum communities across Nigeria. The program will be providing essential nutritional food materials and aid through a house to house distribution pattern. The goal of the project is to ease the access of the less privileged to sufficient food and nutrition, with special emphasis on families with children in each community.

TRINITAS ELDERLY FOOD CARE

According to the United Nations 2015 World Population Aging report, there are about 16 million people aged 60 years and above in West Africa.

5% of the 200 million persons in Nigeria, the most populous country in Africa, are aged 60 years and above. This number is projected to increase to about 25.3 million by 2050.

Aging is linked to functional decline in health and social support needs. Culturally in Nigeria, the responsibility of providing care and support for aged persons is by families. However, modernization, urbanization amongst other factors has led to a reduction in available family primary caregivers for older people hence an increase in the neglect faced by older persons in our society.

Trinitas elderly food care is an initiative to cushion the economic burden of people within the age of 60 and above.

The goal of this initiative is to increase the food intake and pattern of consumption among the elderly, by creating a hub where old people can come to eat cooked meals three times a week and also get to interact with each other.

Sadly, feeding the elderly is something that is almost nonexistent in Nigeria and there is little or no data to estimate the number of underprivileged elderly people dying as a result of hunger and social isolation.

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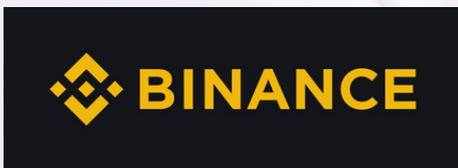
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