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Thanks to donors, AFC reached its goal of **\$1,000,000** in disbursements to support ministry in Canada in 2019!

## THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION BURSARIES

\$75,000 in 2019

Leadership is always evolving as technology, innovation, and change accelerate. AFC recognizes that in today's fast-paced and complex environment, church leaders need to exhibit qualities such as intellectual versatility: that is, having a broad range of knowledge to be equipped to anticipate and lead change. They need to be authentic and reflective, collaborative and inspirational. Many researchers are saying that one of the

most valuable assets of future leaders is their willingness and ability to be creative.

Donors to AFC are making it possible to train such leaders for the Anglican Church of Canada. Student recipients of AFC bursaries for theological education are enrolled in a variety of programs that will impact the church through ordination, chaplaincy, outreach, teaching, writing, and research.

### Hear from 4 recipients



**Jacqueline Graham**

• Vernon, BC

Jacqueline is enrolled in a Master of Divinity program at the Vancouver School

of Theology. She hopes to enter the priesthood in the Diocese of Kootenay. "I hope to bring energy and renewal where possible, and do my part in strengthening the diocese."



**Amber Tremblett**

• St. John's, NL

As a young person in the Master of Divinity program at Wycliffe College, Toronto,

she is focused on pioneer and missional leadership. "During a time of restructure and re-visioning, I hope my training will be useful as I bring new eyes, new ideas, and a new perspective to my ministry in the diocese of Eastern NL & Labrador."



**Canon David Harrison**

• Toronto, ON

David is completing a Doctor of Ministry degree in Congregational Development

at Bexley-Seabury Seminary in Chicago. "This is an opportunity to strengthen my leadership in the Church at a time when parishes must be intentional, creative, and resilient to thrive as the Body of Christ in the world."



**Thomas Hubschmid**

• Calgary, AB.

Thomas is pursuing a Doctor of Philosophy degree in theological studies at

Wycliffe College in Toronto. "I hope to work as a scholar-priest, drawing from a deep well of theological knowledge for teaching and preaching, for the building up of the Church."

## GRANTS

\$600,000 in 2019

### Two examples



**REFUGEE MINISTRY**

Ottawa • Diocese of Ottawa, ON

At the beginning of 2017, the United Nations Commissioner for Refugees estimated the total number of Syrian refugees at 4.8 million. Since 2016, the Diocese of Ottawa has re-settled 258 refugees, and 200 more applications are underway. With donations from Canadian Anglicans, AFC was able to give a **\$15,000 grant** to support the ongoing ministry to refugees in Canada's national capital.

**ST. MATTHEW'S MARYLAND COMMUNITY MINISTRY**

Winnipeg • Diocese of Rupert's Land, MB

At the Maryland Community Ministry, people come through the doors to eat, to get a haircut, have a shower, and receive clean clothing. They come to get what they don't have money to buy. They come when they are down on their luck. They come when they are lonely. They come for human connection. **JustCity supports over 700 individuals weekly.** Its four pillars are: loving the underloved, working toward reconciliation, growing individual capacity, and building inclusive communities.





## KIDS HELPING KIDS FUND

\$16,500 in 2019

*A few examples from the fall*

### Food Supplement Program

Charles Bowman Public School, Bowmanville, ON



**31%** of elementary school students and **62%** of secondary school students do not start their day with a nutritious breakfast.



**50%** of 9, 12, and 15-year olds do not eat a balanced diet as defined by Canada's Food Guide to healthy eating.

This is a start-up program affiliated with the Durham Child Nutrition Program with the goal of providing breakfast and snacks on 184 school days for students who are hungry.

### Regina Food for Learning

Regina, SK

Since 1988, RFFL has provided children in low-income communities with nutritious food and encourages children to attend school with a positive outlook each day. For 30 years, RFFL has provided **11,000** nutritious snacks, breakfast, and lunch to 865 students every month.



Since 2011, AFC has been committed to improving the health, well-being, and future hopes of children and young people in Canada. AFC and its donors are pursuing this commitment diocese by diocese, village by village, and child by child with the aspiration of an equitable and joyful life for all God's children.

In 2011, young Anglicans chose to support kids in Canada in need, and identified four particular areas:

- Before-school breakfast programs
- After-school homework coaching
- Summer camp and choir school
- Hospice care for children with a life-limiting illness

The Kids Helping Kids Fund was established as youth groups collected toonies during Advent or Lent, or as a special project and donated the proceeds to AFC. The Fund is also built up by the purchase of Hope Bears as well as donations from Canadian Anglicans who are committed to the health and well-being of young people. In 2019, AFC disbursed its **\$100,000th dollar** from the KHK Fund.

### Hay River Soup Kitchen

Hay River, NT



The mission of the Soup Kitchen is to help support the less fortunate and recovering with an open heart, a healthy meal, and educational resources. It provides a hot lunch to local students three days each week.

If you want to donate to the KHK Fund, or engage in the toonie project, AFC would be happy to provide you with information. A great 2020 Lenten Project for your Church School or Youth Group.

