"When did we see you?" A CROP Hunger Walk Moment for Mission

"When did we see you hungry and feed you, thirsty and provide water, naked and clothe you, a stranger and welcome you, sick and helped you, in prison and visited you? And he answered:

The truth is whatever you did for the least of these, you did for me." Jesus Mathew 25:35-40

All: Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you?

Women: We see you - a mother living in Indonesia. Your little daughter is weak from malnutrition and her black hair is turning red – a sure sign of vitamin deficiency. You don't have any way of feeding her what she needs to thrive.

Leader: For \$20 raised through our CROP Hunger Walk, **you** are able to provide mothers in West Timor with a year supply of micronutrient packets to sprinkle on their daughter's food so she will thrive.

All: Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you?

Men: We see you - a native of Bolivia – for generations you have lived off the land, hunting and gathering, but now, multinational corporations are trying to push you off the land so they can explore for oil or minerals. You can't feed your family now.

Leader: For \$100 raised through our CROP Hunger Walk **you** are able to provide training to Bolivian natives on how to farm their land – land for which they now have a title thanks to the help of CROP Hunger Walk supported lawyers.

All: Lord when did we see you thirsty and give you something to drink?

Youth: We see you - a young Kenyan girl who desperately wants to go to school, but instead your days are spent in pursuit of water for your family. You walk miles, several times a day to fill your buckets – only to return home with contaminated and bacteria ridden water.

Leader: For \$60 raised through our CROP Hunger Walk, **you** are able to provide jerry cans for Kenyan girls so that they can carry clean drinking water from a well or pump back home safely and hygienically.

All: Lord when did we see you a stranger and invite you in?

Men and children: We see you - a displaced Syrian refugee on the run because your home and most of your possessions have been taken or destroyed and your personal safety and that of your family is threatened. Now you have no place to lay your head.

Leader: For \$10 raised through the CROP Hunger Walk **you** are able to assist a refugee with a blanket, which may be used for warmth, as a suitcase, a sense of security or a temporary tent for shelter, while waiting for permanent shelter and a new homeland through CWS resettlement services.

All: Lord, when did we see you needing clothing and food, and clothe and feed you?

Women: We see you- A single mom with 3 children. You have been given a serious health diagnosis and had emergency surgery on December 1, 2015. You have been unable to work 3 months battling health issues, as well as home schooling your son who also had a disability. Your ex-husband didn't help you, living in another state with over \$100,000 in arrears in child support. You were not able to get one single Christmas gift for your children this year.

Leader: For \$100 raised through the CROP Hunger Walk, **you** are able to assist her with Christmas gifts of clothing for her children and a food voucher for a Christmas meal for her family through our local Salvation Army. She seemed overwhelmed with thankfulness.

All: Lord, we see you in all of these circumstances, our sisters and brothers with great need. Even the least of these mean the most to you. May we respond through the CROP Hunger Walk with mercy and compassion to those you place in our path.