



VENA FOUNDATION

Impact Report

Hope in Crisis: Feeding Children in **Saké, DRC**

December 2025 - January 2026

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Executive Summary

In **Saké, North Kivu Province**, ongoing conflict and displacement have left families **without food, security, or stability**. Children are among the **most vulnerable, facing hunger that threatens their health, learning, and hope**.

In response to this urgent need, **Venatrust Foundation** implemented a **one-time emergency food project** focused on immediate relief. Through the generosity of donors, **\$4,000 was raised to provide school food to 800 vulnerable children**. Over the course of one month, children received meals and were each sent home with **2 kilograms of rice, extending support to their household**.

This intervention delivered **1,600 kilograms of food and helped stabilize approximately 130–150 households** during a period of acute food insecurity. The distribution was carried out with the support of local volunteers, ensuring **dignity, order, and accountability throughout the process**.



Context



Saké continues to face a severe humanitarian crisis driven by **ongoing insecurity, armed conflict, and widespread displacement**. Many families have lost their primary sources of income, with numerous households **reporting the looting or abandonment of property** during forced displacement from their villages.

Children are among the most affected. Field observations indicate **heightened risks of malnutrition, weakened health, and psychosocial distress** resulting from **prolonged food shortages, poor hygiene conditions, and limited access to basic services**. Economic hardship has also forced many children **out of school**, further undermining their **well-being and future prospects**.

Several families reported relatives directly impacted by the conflict, including **cases of forced recruitment by armed groups** such as AFC/M23, **compounding vulnerability and trauma** within already fragile households.



Impact at a Glance

Date: **December 30, 2025**

Location: **Saké, Masisi Territory, North Kivu Province**

Venatrust Foundation implemented a one-day emergency food distribution focused on children, prioritizing **dignity, fairness, and safety**. Local volunteers supported **beneficiary identification, verification, and distribution logistics** to ensure transparent and orderly delivery.



800 children received school lunches



2 kg of rice per child distributed to take home



1,600 kg of rice distributed in total



130–150 households indirectly supported



\$4,000 Raised to cover this operation



Venatrust Foundation Alignment

These initiatives reflect Venatrust Foundation's commitment to compassionate ministry: protecting the vulnerable, restoring dignity, and creating sustainable pathways toward healing and hope for communities affected by conflict.



The Invitation



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PRAY

- * Those who are in captivity/
slavery
 - * Provision for freedom
- * The operators on the ground
serving the freed slaves
- * The persecuted Christians
 - * Spiritual Awakening
 - * Peace & Freedom

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GIVE

100% of Every gift goes to
freeing the captive, feeding
the hungry, empowering
evangelism, and bringing a
future/ dreams to the
least of these

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SHARE

You can personally share this
initiative with **trusted** friends,
churches, and partners who
have a heart for missions and
humanitarian outreach.