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AfricaGiving at the Half-Year Mark

Celebrating progress,
partnerships, and
people powering change
across Africa.



EDITOR'S NOTE

Building Trust, Mobilising Giving, and Strengthening African-Led Responses

“Trust is the currency of change. When trust flows, resources reach the right people, and communities rise to shape their futures.

– EMELDAH TAKAONA



As we reach the halfway point of 2026, AfricaGiving reflects on a season of renewed momentum, deeper partnerships, and bold conversations about the future of giving on the continent.

This year has been marked by one clear message, giving in Africa is not only possible, but it is also already happening. It is happening through individuals choosing to support causes close to their hearts, companies stepping forward to fund urgent community needs and frontline organisations that continue to serve despite a shifting and uncertain funding environment.

Across our initiatives, AfricaGiving has continued to grow as a platform for connecting generosity to action.

We are glad you are here.

The AfricaGiving Team

GIVE WITH CONFIDENCE, BUILD A BETTER AFRICA



ABOUT AFRICAGIVING

AfricaGiving is a platform that connects everyday givers to nonprofit organisations working to create positive change across Africa.

It provides a trusted space for individuals, businesses, and communities to support local causes and contribute to sustainable development on the continent.



A TRUSTED GIVING PLATFORM

Every organisation listed is vetted to ensure accountability, transparency, and community driven solutions.



GIVING MADE SIMPLE

Donate quickly and securely using your preferred method of transfer from anywhere in the world.



YOU CHOOSE THE IMPACT

Support work in education, health, entrepreneurship, climate justice, gender equality, and more.

“When we invest in local leadership, we don’t just fund projects—we build resilient communities and a stronger Africa.”

WWW.AFRICAGIVING.ORG



At a Glance: Half-Year Highlights

A snapshot of our collective progress in strengthening Africa's giving ecosystem—together with our partners, donors and champions.

WHAT WE ACHIEVED TOGETHER

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TRAINING

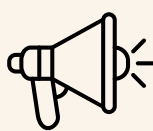


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Communication Professionals from Women Rights Organisations (WROs)

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CAMPAIGN LAUNCH



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#AGenerationInSchool Campaign running since May 2026

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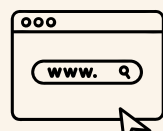


\$132K

Inspiring donor stories shared from across Africa

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PLATFORM REFRESH



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AfricaGiving platform refreshed for a better user experience

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REGIONAL COLLABORATION



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Staff members participated in the 10th East Africa Philanthropy Conference

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REGRANTED



\$131K

Regranted to 12 organisations across Africa

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SUPPORTED PARTNERS



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Organisations supported through AfricaGiving

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OUR COMMUNITY



Growth in our community of partners and supporters

A Renewed Look for the Africa Giving Platform

AfricaGiving has a new look!

One of the key milestones this half-year was the refreshed AfricaGiving platform, introduced as part of our ongoing effort to make giving a more pleasant experience, visible, and responsive to African realities.

The revamped platform has strengthened how causes are presented, how campaigns are promoted, and how donors can connect with organisations working across different social development priorities.

More than a visual update, this new look reflects AfricaGiving's broader commitment to building trust, improving the giving experience, and making it easier for individuals, corporates, and diaspora communities to support African-led solutions.

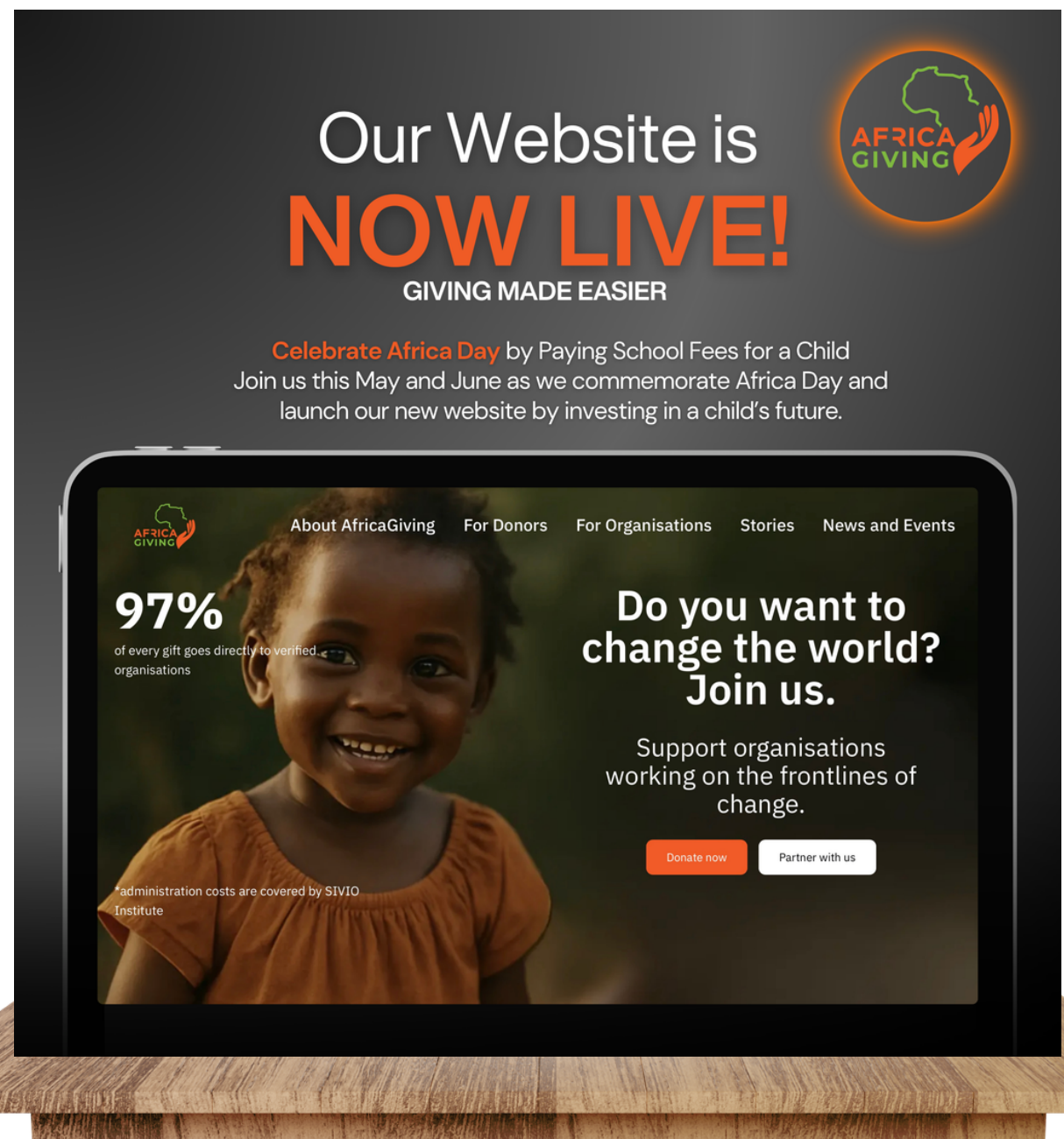
Through the refreshed platform, we continue to spotlight organisations doing important work in education, gender justice, community protection, and social development.



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This redesign is rooted in making giving easier, more transparent, and deeply connected to local realities.

– Dr. Tendai Murisa
Executive Director | SIVIO Institute



SAME MISSION | STRONGER PLATFORM

While our look has evolved, our mission remains the same, to mobilize resources for a generous and thriving Africa.

Send Money using www.africagiving.org

#AGenerationInSchool

In May 2026, AfricaGiving launched the #AGenerationInSchool campaign to support organisations working to keep children in school across Africa.

The campaign has been anchored on a simple but urgent truth, school is more than a place of learning. For many children, it is also a place of protection, confidence, routine, safety, and possibility.

Through this campaign, AfricaGiving has highlighted the barriers that keep children out of school, including poverty, child labour, early marriage, digital exclusion, climate-related disruption, and household economic pressures. The campaign has also helped position education as a shared responsibility, calling on individual givers, corporates, and communities to sponsor a child and support organisations working on school retention, access to education, digital learning, and child protection.

The campaign has kept 12 children in Zimbabwe in school for a term while 40 children in Malawi received a donation of 40 school bags from Genesis Media through AfricaGiving partner Rise for Phoka. At its heart, #AGenerationInSchool is a call to protect the future by keeping children learning today.



Keeping Children Learning, Protected, and Hopeful

Education is the most powerful tool
we can use to change the world.

When we invest in children, we invest in stronger communities,
thriving economies and a brighter Africa.

TOGETHER, WE CAN KEEP THE PROMISE OF EDUCATION.

Amplifying Stories and Partner Voices

AfricaGiving also used the first half of the year to deepen public understanding of the platform through the “**What If We Think Differently?**” podcast. The conversation explored the AfricaGiving journey, lessons learned, challenges encountered, and the importance of building giving systems that respond to African realities.



IN THE SPOTLIGHT

What If... Podcast

A conversation with
Nontsikelelo Nzula

Project Coordinator, AfricaGiving

In this first episode of a two-part series, Nontsikelelo shares the journey of AfricaGiving and the lessons learnt since the platform went live.

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“When communities lead their own solutions, change is deeper, broader and built to last.”

- NONTSIKELELO NZULA

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LISTEN

Tune in to the What If We Think Differently Podcast for stories, insights and conversations on AfricaGiving.



Listen on Spotify, Apple Podcasts or your favourite app



WATCH

Explore the two-part series of AfricaGiving's journey from inception to date.



Watch on YouTube @siviotv



SHARE

Help amplify our work. Share with your network and inspire more giving, together.



Share the story. Spread the impact.

Music, community, and giving

Across Africa, music is more than melody — it is connection, identity, and a powerful force for good.

During Women's Month in March 2026, the We Are One Fund's music fundraising initiative in collaboration with SoFar Sounds, Star FM, and Emerald Climate Hub created another entry point for public engagement.

By using music as a space for awareness, solidarity, and mobilisation, the initiative helped broaden the conversation beyond formal fundraising spaces and invited communities to participate in ending GBV through giving.

**Their rhythm is their story.
Their giving is their growth.**



Communicating for Impact training

STORYTELLING. CONNECTION. CHANGE.

Through the Communicating for Impact training, 14 partner organisations working to support survivors of GBV were supported to sharpen how they tell their stories, communicate impact, engage donors, and present survivor-centred work with dignity and care. The training focused on practical areas such as ethical storytelling, transforming data into human-centred narratives, smartphone content creation, brand consistency, social media use, and donor-facing communication.

This investment in partner capacity is central to We Are One Fund's broader vision. Stronger communication helps organisations become more visible, more trusted, and better positioned to mobilise support in a changing funding environment.



STORYTELLING

Participants were trained on how to craft impactful stories that reflect organisational mission and showcase real change.



DONOR ENGAGEMENT

Participants learnt how to effectively engage donors to build stronger relationships and inspire continued support.



ETHICAL VISIBILITY

Promote your work responsibly, with dignity, consent and a deep respect for the communities you serve.



AfricaGiving at the 10th East Africa Philanthropy Conference *in Addis Ababa*

In June, AfricaGiving participated in the 10th East Africa Philanthropy Conference, hosted in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

The conference brought together philanthropy actors, civil society leaders, funders, intermediaries, and development practitioners to reflect on the future of giving under the theme “Anchoring Systems in an Era of Transition.”

For AfricaGiving, the conference was a timely space to listen, learn, and contribute to conversations on trust-based philanthropy, African giving infrastructure, shifting funding models, and the need for locally rooted resource mobilisation.

AfricaGiving’s presence in Addis also affirmed the platform’s relevance within broader regional conversations. As funding landscapes continue to change, platforms such as AfricaGiving are becoming increasingly important in helping communities, individuals, and institutions channel resources towards African-led solutions.



The key takeaway from Addis was clear, the future of philanthropy in Africa will depend on systems that are trusted, inclusive, locally grounded, and responsive to the realities of the communities they serve.





Join AfricaGiving in powering African-led change.

Whether you're an individual or a corporate partner, your support can help transform lives by funding impactful causes across education, child protection, gender justice, community care, sustainable livelihoods, and other locally led solutions.

Give today and invest in the people and communities building Africa's future.

Send money using www.africagiving.org