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STRATEGIC GIVING

Every year, we raise funds for specific international projects run by CBM that focus on vulnerable women; youth and children at risk; and relief and community development. For 2023 we'll raise funds for widows in South Sudan and youth at risk in Bolivia. When you raise funds for these projects you are changing the lives of women and their families around the world.



SPECIAL PROJECTS

We (CBWOQ) are one of 4 women's organizations that make up Canadian Baptist Women (CBW). Together, we collaborate with CBM on projects which empower Baptist women from around the world. We raise funds for these projects through the **Great Canadian Bible Study** and it's not too late to gather women and do 2023's study. Funds raised will support the Eagles' Wings project in Cochabamba, Bolivia.



SEED FUNDING

As a member body with Baptist Women of North America (BWNA), we join with 15 other Baptist Women US and Canadian organizations like ours, to raise funds and to pray on the first Monday in November. This annual **World Day of Prayer** raises funds for global grassroots ministries begun by Baptist women. Funds raised across Canada support North American (50%) and overseas projects (50%) and are disbursed via grants.



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SCHOLARSHIPS

Through our collaboration with CBW, we support **leadership development** via scholarships given to international female theological students pursuing graduate programs.

And alongside CBM, we helped establish and continue to support the **Muriel Harrington Scholarship Fund** which supports female theological students in their studies at the Baptist seminary in Cochabamba, Bolivia. This year, 17 students have received scholarships.



GRANTS FOR MISSION

Did you know **we disburse grants for ministry**? Twice a year, we distribute funds to Ontario and Quebec Baptist women who are obeying God's call in their lives to serve and minister, whether at home or abroad – women like Rev. Diane McBeth who used her Baptist Women grant to share her spiritual formation resource – Life Circles – with Baptist women leaders at 2 conferences in Liberia.



CROSS-CULTURAL LEARNING TRIPS

We have a history of curating and hosting cross-cultural learning trips, often in collaboration with our ministry partners. With COVID-19 restrictions lifted or modified in so many countries, we've begun exploring the possibility of a **2024 cross-cultural experience**. Do look for details on our website in the coming months.

