



Sharing the Joy of Giving

During the end of January and the beginning of February, in cooperation with good friends, Buddhist Relief Mission has been able to distribute food, medicine, school supplies, and other essentials to many monks, nuns, students, and families in Sri Lanka. On his tours, Jagath carried quite a number of parcels of supplies to monastics and families in the Cultural Triangle. We contributed to the Kandy Cancer Society's monthly donation to cancer-stricken parents and children and to a prize-giving ceremony at a Dhamma school in Warathenna. Haji, a local three-wheeler driver, alerted us to ten families in Kandy who urgently needed food. Ven. Mettajiva frequently informs us of monks and families who are in need of food and medicine which they cannot afford.

We hope that we never have to refuse these requests. We share merit with all of our donors. Let us all rejoice in these meritorious offerings.

May all beings be well, peaceful, and happy!



Your donations will help Buddhist Relief Mission provide food, medicine, and other essentials to families, students, monastics, and institutions in Sri Lanka during this economic crisis. Thank you for your generous support ! Sadhu! Sadhu!! Sadhu!!!

“The joy of giving is the highest form of pleasure.” – Anonymous




Climate experts warn that, between February and the summer, Sri Lanka will be subject to a serious drought that will put the country's food security at risk, at a time when people are already facing difficulties of the economic crisis.



Almost a third of families suffer from food insecurity, and an estimated 70% of the population have difficulty eating regularly and well.

–Adapted from “Colombo, climate change: food security alert in 2024,” by Melani Manel Perera

<https://www.asianews.it/news-en/Colombo%2C-climate-change%3A-food-security-alert-in-2024-59767.html>



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