

January 2025 Newsflash

2024 Fundraising

Thanks to you, we raised \$50,000 in 2024! With the \$46,000 from the bequeath we received in 2023, this week we sent a total of \$96,000 to Rwanda in support of survivors. For information on the bequeath, please see our March 2024 newsletter. On behalf of our Rwandan friends, thank you so much for all of your support!

If you weren't able to attend our 2024 fundraiser, you can find out all about it in the November 2024 newsletter on our <u>website</u>. David Munyezamu and Josue Impano, two young men raised in Calgary by Rwandan parents, gave an inspiring presentation on the youth perspective of the 1994 Genocide Against the Tutsi. And you can see how your donations have made a difference in the lives of survivors by watching the short video by SURF (Survivors' Fund) on our <u>home page</u>.

2025 Trip to Rwanda

During the last two weeks in May, INSPIRE!africa will be going to Rwanda. Would you like to join us to learn more about the projects that INSPIRE!africa supports and to meet survivors of the Genocide Against the Tutsi? We only have one spot left! Please contact Margaret McQuiston at mmcq@telus.net for more information



SURF built houses for these genocide survivors whose land was recovered through support from INSPIRE!africa donors. The group that went to Rwanda in 2018 had the pleasure of meeting them.

2024 Tax Receipts

Thank you again to all of you who donated to INSPIRE!africa in 2024. Your tax receipts will be sent by email by the end of February and will come from **cowiejae@gmail.com**. Please check your junk folder if you don't receive it.

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