Handstitched QUILT RAFFLE for Covid and Hunger Relief

As COVID-19 affects every country around the world, your prayers and generous support enable Catholic Relief Services to respond to the impact and risks in the most vulnerable communities. The pandemic is making it even more difficult for families at risk of hunger and malnutrition to access food, good nutrition and basic necessities. During this pivotal moment, innovative approaches prevent the spread of COVID-19 and ensure families and communities still receive the support they need to survive and thrive.

In the Philippines, CRS is supporting people with disabilities and workers in the informal economy as the community quarantine continues to affect their livelihoods and access to food.

CRS helped a residential facility for people with disabilities secure a one-month supply of food and other necessities that the residents themselves selected during remote consultations. Supplies include fresh vegetables and fruit, rice, eggs, canned goods, soap, toothpaste, bleach and other items.

Working with Caritas in the Philippines, CRS has also provided cash grants to 150 informal workers so they can buy food and other supplies.

"I used to earn seven dollars a day, but since the lockdown I have been relying on my siblings' help to feed my three children," says Pablito Velasquez, a motorcycle taxi driver who received a cash grant. "With this money, I will be able to buy rice and food supplies for my family."

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St Rose Catholic Church, 18010 St Rose Road, St Rose, Il. 62230
by October 10, 2020. The Quilt will be raffled on October 15, 2020.
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