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Without his mother's milk, baby Baracka became severely malnourished. In his weakened state, Baracka developed tuberculosis. At two years old, he weighed

only 10 pounds. Praying for a miracle, and with no other option for medical care, Baracka's grandmother walked a full day to bring Baracka to the rural health clinic where Dr. Steven Friberg works.

At the health clinic Baracka received medicine to treat the tuberculosis. With access to medical care and supplemental nutrition, he is gaining weight. Thanks to Dr. Friberg, an ELCA missionary supported by your gifts to ELCA World Hunger, Baracka has been able to return home.

Your gifts to ELCA World Hunger support doctors, clinics and health ministries that can save lives put at risk by diseases intensified by poverty, such as tuberculosis, malaria, and HIV and AIDS. Will you give today?

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- \$140 provides a year's supply of life saving medicines for someone living with HIV.
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