Letter from the National Coordinator

Dear Jubilee Supporter,

2007 was an exciting and groundbreaking year for Jubilee USA Network. It was our “Sabbath Year,” a year of prophetic calls and action for greater justice and dignity for the world’s most impoverished people.

Rather than attempting a summary of the many education and advocacy efforts Jubilee USA led here, I’d like to share with you two moments that stick out in my mind about our work in 2007.

The first memories come from the delegation Jubilee USA led to Kenya and Zambia in January. Two moments from this trip summarize well our work on the hope and promise of debt relief and the massive challenge that remains in the fight against global poverty and disease. First, I’ll never forget our visit to the Nairobi slum of Kibera and a gut-wrenching meeting with a young girl who had lost both parents to AIDS. Likewise, I won’t soon forget to a rural health clinic in Zambia where user fees had been abolished thanks to debt relief. There, in a simple hospital waiting room, we met a young pharmacist who told us that debt relief allowed her patients to access life-saving HIV/AIDS drugs they had previously been unable to access.

My second memory of Jubilee’s work in the Sabbath Year is from the prayer breakfast we organized on Capitol Hill on October 16 to mark the end of the Cancel Debt Fast. I had the privilege of walking Rev. David Duncombe up to the front of the room filled with Members of Congress and their staff, faith leaders, and Jubilee supporters. Above all, I was thrilled to see David eat as he broke a loaf of bread and slowly savored it following 46 days of his water-only fast. And I was so proud to be associated with him and all the Jubilee supporters who took the cause of debt cancellation so seriously so as to go hungry for justice.

The results of this fast and our work together in 2007: We put the unfinished business of debt cancellation and responsible lending back on the agenda in Washington.

No, we didn’t do it with a big budget or an insider lobbying strategy. We did it through grassroots education and mobilization, and the support of our members, donors, and stakeholders like you.

Thank you for all you do for Jubilee justice.

Sincerely,

Neil Watkins
National Coordinator
“The debt crisis remains one of the key obstacles to fighting poverty in Africa. The debt burden continues to make it impossible for many governments to give services to their citizens.”

Wangaari Mathaai, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate
World Social Forum, Nairobi, Kenya, January 2007

“The Jubilee Movement is one of the most outstanding humanitarian efforts I have seen in my career. Over the past ten years, Jubilee has convinced Members of Congress, officials of the Clinton and Bush Administrations, and political leaders from around the world to cancel poor country debts. I am so proud of my affiliation with the Jubilee movement because it brought the needs of the world’s poorest people to the attention of the world’s most powerful leaders.”

Rep. Maxine Waters (D-CA)
House Financial Services Committee Hearing, November 8, 2007

“I want to thank the Jubilee group who sent strong messages that it’s time to drop Liberia’s debt.”

Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf, President of Liberia
February 12, 2007

“God has told us often times that we can’t give away enough. I think debt relief is a demonstration of His power and His love and His promise. I could not have imagined in 2000 the difference that all of you have made, that Rev. Duncombe has made.”

Rep. Spencer Bachus (R-AL)
Jubilee Prayer Breakfast, October 16, 2007
2007 WAS AN IMPORTANT YEAR FOR JUBILEE USA.

It was the Sabbath Year, seven years after the historic Jubilee 2000 campaign. We planned and led a year long education and mobilization effort to raise awareness about the unfinished agenda on international debt and the need for more responsible global lending practices.

Our year-long Sabbath Year initiative culminated in September and October, with the Cancel Debt Fast campaign. It was a nationwide, 40-day rolling fast calling for cancellation of unjust international debts and for more responsible lending. The fast ran from September 6 to October 15, 2007. Rev. David Duncombe, a retired minister who led similar fasts in 1999 and 2000, engaged in a 46-day water only fast to help persuade policymakers to take action.

David’s personal sacrifice and witness received significant media attention and affected many Jubilee supporters deeply and personally. It also affected countless Members of Congress and their staff with whom he met. So much so that five Members of Congress joined 30 other well-known personalities including two Nobel Peace Prize Laureates and two former African presidents in day-long fasts of their own, in solidarity with David, as part of the Cancel Debt Fast.

David’s sacrifice also inspired Jubilee supporters in congregations and communities across the country to act. More than 18,000 people — Jubilee supporters from all 50 states — fasted for a day or more with David. While they fasted, they educated their communities, and sent more than 15,000 paper plates with the message “I’m Hungry for Justice” to policymakers.

Thanks to mobilization associated with the Fast, we achieved our two main policy goals for 2007: A hearing on debt legislation in the House Financial Services committee (held November 8) and introduction of a bipartisan bill in the Senate which addresses the unfinished agenda on international debt relief.
In January, more than 80 congregations celebrated the Jubilee vision of justice and right relationships on Jubilee Sunday. Over the course of the year, 27 new churches have officially joined the Jubilee Congregations program.

Also in January, Jubilee USA organized a two-week educational delegation to Kenya and Zambia with 15 Jubilee supporters. Participants attended the 2007 World Social Forum and met with local government, civil society, and other leaders to learn about impacts of debt relief and challenges of poverty, lending, and borrowing in these nations.

In March, under pressure from Jubilee USA and global partners, the Inter-American Development Bank agreed to provide more than $3 billion in debt cancellation for Nicaragua, Honduras, Bolivia and Guyana.

In the spring, we launched a campaign against the practices of so-called “vulture funds,” which are undermining the gains of debt relief in Zambia and elsewhere. National Coordinator Neil Watkins testified along with actor Danny Glover and partner organization Institute for Policy Studies at a Congressional hearing on the subject held in the House Foreign Affairs Subcommittee on Africa in May 2007.

Over the year, we created pressure for the cancellation of Liberia’s unjust and illegitimate debt. In February, supporters sent in more than 10,000 handmade “Valentines” to Treasury Secretary Henry Paulson Jr. to raise a strong call for immediate debt cancellation for Liberia. We received praise from Liberian President Ellen Johnson-Sirleaf for our action, and in the weeks following the action the Bush administration took strong action. By late October, Jubilee USA leveraged more than 40,000 messages from supporters to help win a commitment from the IMF to pave the way to Liberia’s debt cancellation.

In June, we shared in community at our 2nd Annual National Grassroots Training & Organizing Conference in Chicago, where more than 170 participants gathered to learn about issues of debt and development — more than double those that participated in the conference the year before.

We worked with Haitian solidarity groups to call for expedited debt cancellation for Haiti.

From left, Dick Heidkamp, Peace & Justice office at the Mary Seat of Wisdom Parish, and Rick Rowden, ActionAid International USA senior policy analyst, at Jubilee USA’s 2nd Annual Grassroots Conference in Chicago.
OUTREACH

CONGREGATIONS
A key initiative is our Jubilee Congregations education and outreach program, through which we educate, collaborate with, and engage directly with a growing number of congregations across the country. Congregations that join the program commit to pray for Jubilee, provide an engaged contact person, write at least one letter per member (or take another equivalent form of action/education) and make a financial contribution to make the program sustainable. Here are some highlights:

- We welcomed 27 new Jubilee Congregations in 2007. By the end of 2007, there were more than 350 prospective Congregations with whom we were in touch about formally joining the program.
- We developed and updated education and worship resources for Christian and Jewish congregations. We distributed these materials in preparation for Jubilee Sunday, held on January 21, 2007 and in association with the fall Cancel Debt Fast campaign.
- Building on our major 12-city speaking tour in fall 2006, we held a mini speaking tour with Zambian civil society leader Emily Sikazwe in March 2007;
- We continued our monthly action program, engaging our congregations and grassroots network in educational actions and mobilizations relating to the implementation of the 2005 debt deal and expansion thereof.

**JUBILEE CONGREGATIONS**

**GRASSROOTS EDUCATION & CAPACITY BUILDING**

Another priority for our outreach work in 2007 was grassroots education and capacity building. We accomplished this by providing grassroots training opportunities to our members, focusing on Jubilee Congregations:

- In March 2007, we co-chaired the Economic Justice track of Ecumenical Advocacy Days, an annual religious conference that brought more than 1,000 congregants from across the country to Washington for issue education, skills training and advocacy. More than 100 people participated in the track our staff organized.
- In June, we shared in community at our 2nd annual national grassroots training and skill-building conference in Chicago, where more than 170 participants gathered to learn and be inspired– more than double those that participated in the conference the year before.

Finally, we increased our staff capacity as anticipated in 2007 to help meet the demands of the Sabbath Year. In June 2007, we added a full-time National Field Organizer to further support our national congregational outreach. We also added a full-time Policy Fellow to our team in September 2007.
RESEARCH POLICY ANALYSIS + ADVOCACY
An important part of our mandate is to continually develop materials to educate the public, the media, opinion leaders, and policymakers about issues related to debt, development, U.S. foreign economic policy, and IMF/World Bank policies.

In 2007 we developed a number of new materials including:

- A series of fact sheets and policy briefs for key grassroots leaders, the media, and policy makers. Issues in this series have included:
  - In February 2007, we co-produced a report card on Liberia which analyzed the response of the donor community to the needs of Liberia’s impoverished majority.
  - In February 2007, co-wrote Skeletons in the Cupboard to highlight specific case studies of odious debt in partnership with other debt networks in G-8 countries;
  - In May 2007, we released a fact sheet on the impact of Vulture funds on impoverished countries,
  - In August 2007, we released updated educational materials on the unfinished agenda on debt as part of our Cancel Debt Fast online organizing guide.

National Coordinator Neil Watkins testified before the House Foreign Affairs Committee, Subcommittee on Africa and Global Health on May 22, 2007 as part of the hearing on the impact of “vulture funds” in Africa. Watkins also testified along with two other Jubilee USA coalition members at a November 8, 2007 hearing of the House Financial Services Committee on international debt relief.

**OUR WORK WITH GLOBAL PARTNERS**

Jubilee USA has continued to build and sustain strong relationships with communities in Africa, Asia, and Latin America that are calling for debt cancellation and working to guarantee that debt cancellation is used to the benefit of local communities. Some of our closest international partners include Jubilee South, the European Network on Debt and Development (Eurodad), Jubilee Debt Campaign (UK), Latindadd, and Afrodad.

- We led a delegation of a dozen Jubilee USA supporters to attend the 2007 World Social Forum in Nairobi, Kenya. At this forum, we partnered with other global debt networks to formally launch the South-North Campaign on Illegitimate Debt, and became a member of the International Facilitation Team of this new global network.
- We convened an international strategy in Washington, D.C. in April 2007 at the time of the IMF/World Bank spring meetings which brought together civil society participants from more than 12 countries to discuss current debt campaigns and strategies;
- We co-edited and produced the Bulletin of the International Campaign on Illegitimate Debt on a bi-monthly basis, in partnership with Eurodad, Jubilee South, and CADTM.

![Young activists at the 2007 World Social Forum in Nairobi, Kenya.](image1)

![American Service Committee banner at the U.S. Social Forum in Atlanta, Georgia.](image2)
Another key program area for our work is in media outreach and strategic communications. In terms of national media coverage, we placed three op-eds by religious leaders and civil society advocates in national newspapers. Our staff was quoted or organization cited in more than 60 publications in 2007. Some highlights of 2007 coverage include:

- Orndorff, Mary. “Bachus ends fast, resumes campaign for global debt relief.” Birmingham News (Alabama), October 17, 2007, Pg. 3A.

In addition to these placements, we conducted one-on-one reporter meetings ahead of the World Bank/IMF Annual Spring Meetings in April 2007. We connected Global South civil society advocates with reporters at these meetings. We also developed briefings for media and policymakers. We worked with a media consultant to build our database of faith-based media outlets; this led to significant coverage of Sabbath Year in religious outlets in 2007.

We also made progress towards our goals in terms of grassroots media training and outreach. We held a workshop on grassroots media outreach at our June 2007 Grassroots Training & Organizing Conference in Chicago, IL.
NET
WORK
COUNCIL
MEMBER
ORGANIZATIONS
There are more than 80 Network Council member organizations that make up the official membership of Jubilee USA Network. Network Council members actively support the work of Jubilee USA by educating and mobilizing their members, participating in the governance of the Network, and by making an annual financial contribution.

ActionAid International USA
AFL-CIO
Africa Action
Africa Faith and Justice Network
African Services Committee
American Friends Service Committee
American Jewish World Service
Bay Area Jubilee Debt Cancellation Coalition
Center of Concern
Church of the Brethren Washington Office
Church World Service
Columban Justice and Peace Office
Conference of Major Superiors of Men
Delaware African Students Association
Drop the Debt Pittsburgh
East Timor Action Network
Evangelical Assn. for the Promotion of Education
Ecumenical Program on Central America and the Caribbean (EPICA)
Environmental Defense
Episcopal Church USA
Essential Action
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
50 Years Is Enough Network
Friends of the Earth
Furman Global Justice (South Carolina)
Gender Action
Global AIDS Alliance
Global Exchange
Global Justice
Global Ministries United Church of Christ and Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Haiti Reborn/Quixote Center
Health GAP Coalition
Institute for Justice and Democracy in Haiti
Institute for Policy Studies
Inter-Religious Task Force on Central America
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Jubilee Montana Network
Jubilee Network Oregon
Jubilee Puerto Rico
Jubilee San Diego
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Leadership Conference of Women Religious
Lutheran World Relief
Maryknoll Office for Global Concerns
Medical Mission Sisters
Mennonite Central Committee
Michigan Jubilee Coalition
Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate
National Council of Churches
Network for Environmental and Economic Responsibility / UCC
New Rules for Global Finance Coalition
Nicaragua Network
Nicaragua/US Friendship Office
Jubilee Northwest Coalition
Oil Change International
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Pax Christi USA
Presbyterian Church USA
Priority Africa Network
Quest for Peace/QUixote Center
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RESULTS
School Sisters of Notre Dame
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Sisters of St. Francis of Philadelphia
Sojourners
TransAfrica Forum
United Church of Christ
United Methodist Church, General Board of Church and Society
United Methodist Church New England Conference
Jubilee Committee
United Methodist Womens’ Division
Unitarian Universalist Association
Washington Office on Africa
Wheaton Franciscans
Witness for Peace
World Vision
Network Council Activities in 2007

Jubilee USA Network draws its strength from its member organizations. Jubilee is able to extend the reach of its educational work and impact of its advocacy thanks to close partnerships with Jubilee USA Network Council members.

Just a few of the highlights of activities by Jubilee USA Network Council members in 2007 include the following. Many of the members listed below did much more than there was room to include, so we just included one example from each organization:

- The Columban Office of Justice and Peace prepared an article on debt and the Sabbath for its Columban Mission publication, which has a national and international circulation of 120,000.
- American Jewish World Service fellows bird-dogged Presidential candidates about international debt at dozens of campaign events in Iowa, New Hampshire, South Carolina, and Nevada.
- The Institute for Policy Studies prepared a special briefing note on the relationship between debt and immigration policy for education and for inclusion in advocacy packets.
- Jubilee Oregon Network successfully convinced the entire Oregon Congressional delegation — both Representatives and Senators — to become co-sponsors of the Jubilee Act!
- The Leadership Conference of Women Religious organized more 10,000 people representing 150 congregations of women religious to participate in the Cancel Debt Fast.
- The Wheaton Franciscans spoke to six local groups; organized a speaking event for a Kenyan activist; and placed a story in a local newspaper with a circulation of 50,000 about debt cancellation.
- Jubilee San Diego organized or participated in 27 separate community, outreach, and advocacy events in and around San Diego.
- Nicaragua Network sent Jubilee action alerts to its e-mail list 4 times over the course of the year and included 3 articles on Jubilee debt issues in its print newsletter.
- Furman Global Justice recruited 30 students to participate in the Cancel Debt Fast and organized 3 meetings with their Representatives.
- Jubilee Duluth organized a week of action at St. Scholastica College and helped coordinate the national student day of action on Debt and AIDS on October 17.
- Mennonite Central Committee wrote 4 articles for web and print publications on debt cancellation and the Sabbath Year and reached out to Mennonite congregations in Indiana and Ohio.
- Maryknoll Office for Global Concerns wrote an article for Maryknoll magazine on debt for Maryknoll magazine, with a circulation of 500,000.
- Africa Action organized a sign-on letter from 300 religious leaders urging further action on debt which was released at the 2007 G-8 summit.

Marie Dennis, Jubilee USA board member and director of the Maryknoll Center for Global Concerns, talks with Jubilee supporters during Jubilee USA Lobby Day in Washington, D.C.
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Ainsworth United Church of Christ
Amistad United Church of Christ
Arlington Community Church - UCC
Atonement Lutheran Church
Bernardine Franciscan Sisters
Bethel UCC
Bethlehem Lutheran Church
Blackfeet United Methodist Parish
Bozeman United Methodist Church
Central Lutheran Church
Christ Lutheran Church, Pacific Beach
Church Council of Greater Seattle
Church of Good Shepherd
Clairemont Lutheran Church
College Lutheran Church
Communality
Community Mennonite Church of Lancaster
Congregation of Notre Dame U.S. Province
Crossroads Presbyterian Church
Dominican Sisters of Oxford
Dominican Sisters of San Rafael, CA
East Chestnut Street Mennonite
Easter Hill United Methodist Church
Fairmount Presbyterian Church
First Congregational Church of Alameda
First Congregational Church of Chicago-UCC
First Congregational United Church of Christ
First Lutheran Church
First Presbyterian Church
First Unitarian Church of San Jose
First United Methodist Church of Cortez
First United Methodist Church of Missoula
First United Methodist Church of Redwood City
Franciscan Sisters of Little Falls, Minnesota
Gethsemane Lutheran Church
Grace Baptist Church
Grace Lutheran Church
Hope Lutheran Church
Ivyland Presbyterian Church
Judson Memorial Church
Lutheran Church of Honolulu
Lutheran-Episcopal Campus Ministry
Mary Seat of Wisdom Church
Metanoia Peace Community
Missionary Sisters - Servants of the Holy Spirit
Mother of God Monastery
Nevada City United Methodist Church
New Covenant Church of the Brethren
New Horizons Presbyterian Church
Notre Dame Long Term Care Center
Our Lady Queen of Peace Church
Parish of St. John the Baptist
Peace Lutheran Church
Pilgrim United Church of Christ
Province of St. Joseph of the Capuchin Order Inc.
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Resurrection Lutheran Church
Saint Mary Magdalen
School Sisters of Notre Dame - SHALOM Network
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Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur
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St. Andrew Lutheran Church
St. Andrew's Lutheran Church
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St. Francis Xavier Parish
St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church
St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church
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St. Joseph’s Church
St. Lawrence O’Toole & Cyril Parish
St. Luke Lutheran Church
St. Mary’s Center
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St. Paul’s Methodist Church
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St. Scholastica Monastery
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Trinity Lutheran Church
Trinity United Methodist Church
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Audited Financial Statement for the Year Ending December 31, 2007

**REVENUE**
- Grants from Foundations $226,029
- Faith Communities $82,250
- Contributions from Individual Donors $114,304
- Contributions from Network Council Members $81,632
- Contributions from Jubilee Congregations $14,603
- Other Income $11,055

**TOTAL** $529,873

**EXPENSES**
- Program $396,674
- Management and General $45,395
- Fundraising $29,728
- Amortization $6,340
- Depreciation $1,913

**TOTAL** $480,050

Net Assets at Beginning of Year $7,034
Net Assets at End of Year $56,857

**INCREASE IN NET ASSETS** $49,823
ON THE COVER: Two girls from the Bella family, who live outside of Menaka, in northern Mali stand by the family’s small fonio granary. Fonio is a tiny kind of millet, which is collected by hand where it grows wild. Though Mali has received debt cancellation, the country still stands to benefit from the Jubilee Act. These gains include an international framework for transparency, responsible lending and an international debt audit. Photo by Emilia Tjernström