## Email concerning Donation in lieu of Christmas cards to MU Christmas Appeal 2014

Dear Sue and everyone at Hartshill Mothers' Union,

Thank you so much for your donation of £30 to Mothers' Union's Christmas Campaign. Your gift enables us to continue to work with communities around the world facing turmoil and displacement, such as in South Sudan, to help them recover and regain self-reliance. At this festive and joyous time, thank you for remembering those who continue to suffer.

Mothers' Union is currently working with a group of women who have been uprooted from their homes in Bor, due to the conflict in South Sudan, and are now living on the outskirts of Juba. The arrival of the rainy season means living conditions in their tents are very poor and the threat of serious diseases, especially malaria, is increasing.

Remarkably, in the midst of this hardship, these women are sharing what little they have with one another to help their community survive as a whole. Mothers' Union is working with these women to help them build a secure and stable life for themselves through education, financial planning and income initiatives.

Thank you for helping us to reach out to communities, like this group of women, all over the world so that they can establish prosperity for themselves as well as their wider community.

With best wishes for 2015, Natalie

Natalie Doel Membership & Supporter Care Administrator