

2021 Relief Sale Totals

\$89,824.40 – the total collected at the Ohio Relief Sale for Water Projects

Twenty-two churches participated.

Thank you for your generosity!
Your donations help people around the world get access to clean water.

GIVING INSTRUCTIONS

Bring your collection to the Wayne County Fairgrounds during the 2022 Relief Sale or mail checks marked for My Coins Count to:

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Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale & Auction

MY COINS COUNT

FORMERLY "PENNY POWER"

Using our spare change
to bring clean water to people
around the world.



**Mennonite Central Committee
Water Projects**



My Coins Count – Ohio Mennonite Relief Sale & Auction

AUGUST 5 & 6, 2022 | Wayne County Fairgrounds, 199 Vanover Street, Wooster, Ohio 44691 | ohiomccreliefsale.org

From spare change to global change

Coins add up. Each year, spare change collected by churches, children and families add up to more than \$600,000 for MCC's work around the world. The Ohio Relief Sale designates all spare change collected to go to **MCC's Water Projects.**

Around the world, one in 10 people don't have access to clean, safe water. MCC works with local partners to make sure people have access to clean water closer to their homes, both today and in the future. This includes projects such as:

- Constructing systems for collecting rainwater
- Digging wells and building dams for drinking or irrigation
- Training local people to construct and maintain water pumps
- Teaching sanitation and hygiene practices

Materials for your churches

- Use tin cans, bottles, buckets, wheelbarrows or other interesting containers that can jingle when filled with coins during collections. Kids love this!
- A 20oz bottle full of dimes can add up to \$100! A 2-liter bottle may add up to \$500. Pass out water bottles for kids to take home and fill.
- A five gallon water jug for collecting change is available from the Ohio Relief Sale Board.

Inspire excitement!

- Share stories during children's time and make announcements. The best way to get people excited is by telling stories about the difference their coins will make.
- Invite kids to collect coins with tin cans or bottles to hear the jingle
- Sing the My Coins Count song or write your own.
- Share a story or video of an MCC Water Project
- Set a goal for your church

Healthy competition is fun for all

Between Churches

Challenge another area church to see who can raise the most change! Some areas even award a fun "trophy" for the champion.

Matching funds

Encourage matches from adults or Sunday School for kids' collections. Great idea for summer Bible School!

Collect change in your businesses

Put a container with an MCC wrapper in your business to publicize the change collection. Wrappers can be requested at resources@mcc.org.



My Coins Count Resources

Resources from MCC for your Churches

<https://mcc.org/get-involved/my-coins-count>

Introductory Informational Video

Video: <https://youtu.be/nQlAp7w7edU>
or check the Mennonite Central Committee Channel

Youtube Videos

Search Youtube for "MCC Penny Power" or "MCC My Coins Count" or <https://youtu.be/s4rV2cl0LJA>



MCC responds to basic human needs such as providing sources of clean water.

Mennonite Central Committee works in about 60 countries with churches, church-based and other nonprofit partner organizations and communities.