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The Friends of Double Joy project is based in Nyanza Province, South Western Kenya and is supported by Sheffield Central Local Meeting and Sheffield and Balby Area Meeting. The project is located in an area of extreme poverty in rural Kenya where it provides residential support and education for local children.

The mains electricity is very sporadic, with rationing when demand for power is high. The electricity supply fails during heavy rainfall and flooding which recently lasted over 3 months from December 2019 to February 2020 leaving the project entirely without mains electricity. This made caring for the children after nightfall very difficult and meant evening recreational activities and care for sick children was limited.

The grant will be used to provide solar panels for the education block and sick bay.

