

## Giving opportunity for Senegal:

# Dakar Library Resources

### Project Description

Galle Nanondiral, or the “house of mutual understanding” was first opened in 1986, as an outreach to the primarily Muslim population of Yeumbeul. It was in this underdeveloped area outside of the nation’s capital that the government advised us to establish this project. The purpose of the center is: to serve and love “our neighbors as ourselves” by offering much-needed facilities and programs.

“Our library provides the purest form of development,” stated former director Rev. Steve Nelson, “allowing people to develop themselves.” The library at Galle Nanondiral is extremely important, as the vast majority of students have literally *no other means* of finding books that are required for their classes, and even the university library is at pains to keep up with the students’ demand for books!

Your contributions allow the library to purchase much-needed books, not only in response to the practical demands of students, but even more importantly, those resources that would truly facilitate the “pure development” we strive to promote.

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### How to Remit a Gift

1. Check is written out to "The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America"
2. On the memo portion of the check write the name of the project and the words, "Level II."
3. Write a letter including the following information:
  1. Name and address of the donor
  2. The amount of the gift
  3. The name of the project and the words "Level II" (as in number 2 above)
4. Send all of the above to: **ELCA Global Mission**

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