

Media Update

Sharing Christmas Love with Communities Around Operational Areas

Timika, December 12, 2025 – All employees and the community at PT Freeport Indonesia (PTFI) conducted Christmas service (Diakonia) with joy and gratitude together with residents in Manikame Kyura Gunung Village, Lowlands and in Banti Village, Highlands of Mimika Regency, Central Papua on November 20-21, 2025.

"The family bond between PTFI employees and community has been strongly established with our brothers and sisters in villages around the company's operational area. On this Christmas day, we took the initiative to collect funds and distribute them in the form of food aid for them," said PTFI Highlands Christmas Committee Chairman Kresna Suryandaru.

He said that 650 food aid packages have been distributed to residents through churches and congregations in the surrounding villages, namely Banti 1, Banti 2, Kimbeli, and Opitawak.

Kresna said this year's PTFI Christmas theme is "Together in the Light". This theme was chosen considering that the PTFI extended family had just faced the heavy challenge of the underground mine incident. "Slowly everything can be overcome with togetherness. This is because we all join hands, move forward together as one family, overcome difficulties together, and continue to grow stronger," said Kresna.

Opitawak Village resident Katrina Magal expressed her happiness to celebrate Christmas with the PTFI extended family. Since morning, she and village residents had filled Banti 2 Church to welcome PTFI employees and community.

"We are grateful that PTFI employees are present among us to pray together and provide food aid. We understand the mine has not yet operated. Our prayer is that the company, employees and all of us residents are strengthened with a sense of unity and kinship in these difficult times," said Katrina.

Meanwhile in the Lowlands, the Christmas service took place in Manikame Kyura Gunung Village on Friday, November 21, 2025, attended by more than 50 children. Everyone present sang together, children also received various gifts of school supplies and food. They also received education about the importance of maintaining health and hygiene from an early age.

One of the village residents, Yuliana Magai, looked cheerful when receiving gifts of books, stationery, and food aid.

"Every time I get a new book gift, I become more enthusiastic about learning mathematics. I'm also happy that my teacher always teaches new lessons at school," said Yuliana, a student at GBI Apache Timika Church School.

PTFI Lowlands Christmas Committee Chairman Rai Leimena said the journey to Manikame Village takes 1.5 hours by land. This area is very far on the coast and this Christmas aid has been eagerly awaited by residents. "Hopefully this small step on this special day brings joy and happiness to all of us," said Rai.

PHOTO	DESCRIPTION
	<p>Katrina Magal, Opitawak village resident together with other Mimika Highland village residents receiving food packages from the diakonia series at Banti Church, Tembagapura District (11/22).</p>
	<p>Students of GBI Apache Timika Church School enthusiastically participating in Christmas Diakonia activities in PTFI Lowlands (11/21).</p>
	<p>PTFI Lowlands Christmas Committee providing hygiene education from an early age to GBI Apache Timika Church School students. One by one, children practice proper handwashing techniques.</p>



PTFI Highlands Christmas Committee distributing 650 food aid packages to village residents in Mimika Highlands (11/22).

About PT Freeport Indonesia (PTFI)

PT Freeport Indonesia (PTFI) is a mineral mining company affiliated with Freeport-McMoRan (FCX) and Mining Industry Indonesia (MIND ID). PTFI mines and processes ore to produce copper minerals, which contain gold and silver.

PTFI markets concentrate to all corners of the world, and especially to domestic copper smelters, PT Smelting. PTFI's mining operations are located in the Grasberg mineral district, Papua – Indonesia. Currently, PTFI operates the world's largest underground mine using the block caving method. In carrying out its operational activities, PTFI prioritizes responsible business practices.