



Brief Introduction of Taiwan Buddhist Tzu-Chi Foundation

In 1966, Dharma Master Cheng Yen founded the Taiwan Buddhist Tzu-Chi Foundation in Hualien, Taiwan. For half a century, the Foundation has carried out its four missions of Charity, Medicine, Education and Humanistic Culture. On top of these, there are the Bone Marrow Donation, International Disaster Relief, Environmental Protection and Community Volunteerism, which are collectively referred to as “a compassionate step that bears eight charitable features”.

The Foundation collects and manages donations from the general public, whereas volunteers execute all missions through the joint efforts of the community. With the appropriate management of the funds, which has always been under strict surveillance, the Foundation has gained the trust and support from members of the global community.

4 Major Missions 8 Charitable Footprints

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- Mission of Medicine
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- Mission of Humanistic Culture
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