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Healthy Steps Forward: Celebrating Our Nurses' Impact on Preventative Care

by Ken Bever, President

Health education is crucial for disease prevention. **With the introduction of a school nurse in each of our ten schools, all students receive monthly lessons on important health topics, with an emphasis on preventative care.** In December 2024, the focus was on the significance of good nutrition, where children learned about healthy fruits and vegetables. Other health topics have included gastrointestinal health, safe food preparation, the importance of latrines and sanitary environments, oral and dental care, personal hygiene, and age appropriate lessons on puberty, sexuality, and marriage.

Our nurses are also at the forefront of our healthcare ministry, providing year-round check-ups and follow-up care for any sponsored child with illnesses, injuries, or other medical concerns. Last year, 1,851 health cases involving sponsored children were successfully treated and resolved. This included 114 urgent or high priority cases, several of which involved life-threatening illnesses requiring immediate medical care.

The cost to have a nurse present daily in our schools is modest — only \$250 per month per nurse —but the impact on the children's health is substantial. **Thanks to a matching grant, the cost in 2025 has been reduced to just \$125 per month per school nurse.** Please consider sponsoring a nurse to continue this crucial ministry that is making a significant improvement in our children's health.



Students learning important health topics.



Kindergarteners learn about healthy fruits & vegetables.



Children learning the importance of good nutrition.



Sponsor a School Nurse! \$125 a month

Joy Boxes Delivered Despite Challenges!

We're thrilled to share that the Joy Boxes have been distributed to children in Haiti! Despite ongoing challenges—including recent attacks on U.S. airline flights to Port-au-Prince, which led the FAA to suspend flights to the Haitian capital—these special gifts have still reached the children. They bring smiles, excitement, and a reminder that each child is loved and prayed for.



Your generosity—through time, donations, and effort—made this year's Joy Box project a huge success. **There are 3,660 children who are blessed by your thoughtfulness in packing a gift for them. Their faces say it all: THANK YOU!** This annual effort to bring hope and happiness to Haitian children—no matter the season—truly makes a difference, one child at a time.



WE LOVE PARTNERING WITH YOU!

JOIN US FOR AN UPCOMING EVENT!

Name of Event	Date	Location
Project Hope Breakfast	May 3	Oklahoma City
Project Hope Breakfast & Luncheon	May 17	Nashville
Sporting Clays	June 20	Dallas
Golf Tournament	October 16	Nashville
Project Hope Breakfast	October 25	Dallas

WE CAN COME TO YOU!

Host events such as a ... Sponsorship Drive, Orphan Care Sunday, or Hope Gathering for your small group, Bible class, or congregation.

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Impact Numbers

2024 FISCAL YEAR* IN REVIEW

Program Expenditures: \$3,011,723

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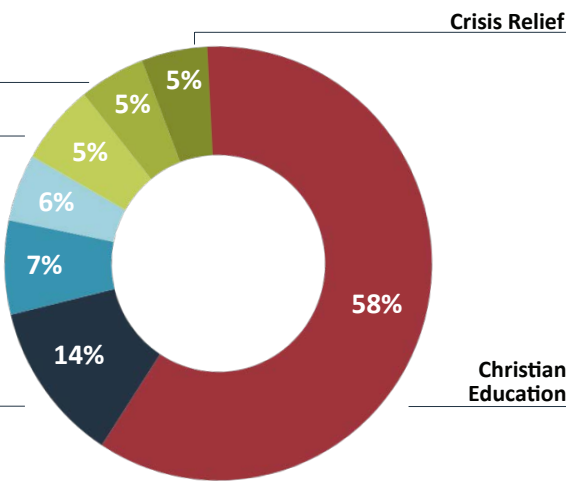
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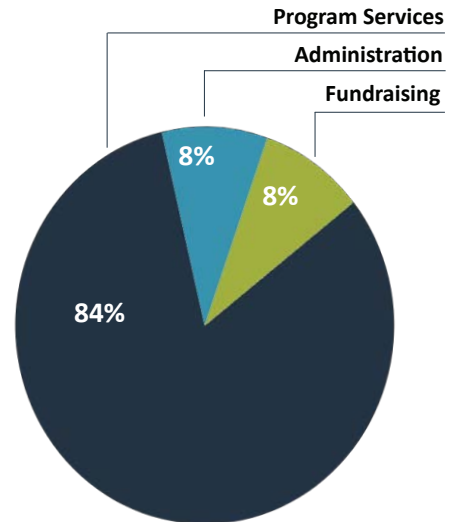
Health Care

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Haiti Administration



*9-month fiscal year



Christian Education

- 2,396 children sponsored in 10 Christian schools
- 427 children added to the sponsorship program
- 10 schools received textbooks for all students to use in their classroom



Food & Water

- 3,719 children fed each month through the school lunch program
- 695,453 meals provided per year
- 400 families received emergency relief kits



Orphan Care

- 62 children lovingly cared for in Christian orphanages
- 16 students from orphan care program enrolled in professional training classes



Health Care

- 1,581 child medical cases resolved for illnesses, injuries, or medically necessary treatments
- 114 children received high priority dental care treatments
- 156 children received required vision care, including glaucoma medicines



Spiritual Training

- 13 new Spiritual Directors were hired to work in our schools
- 39 Camp Hope 2024 campers committed their lives to the Lord and were baptized
- 200+ teenagers attended Camp Hope during the summer

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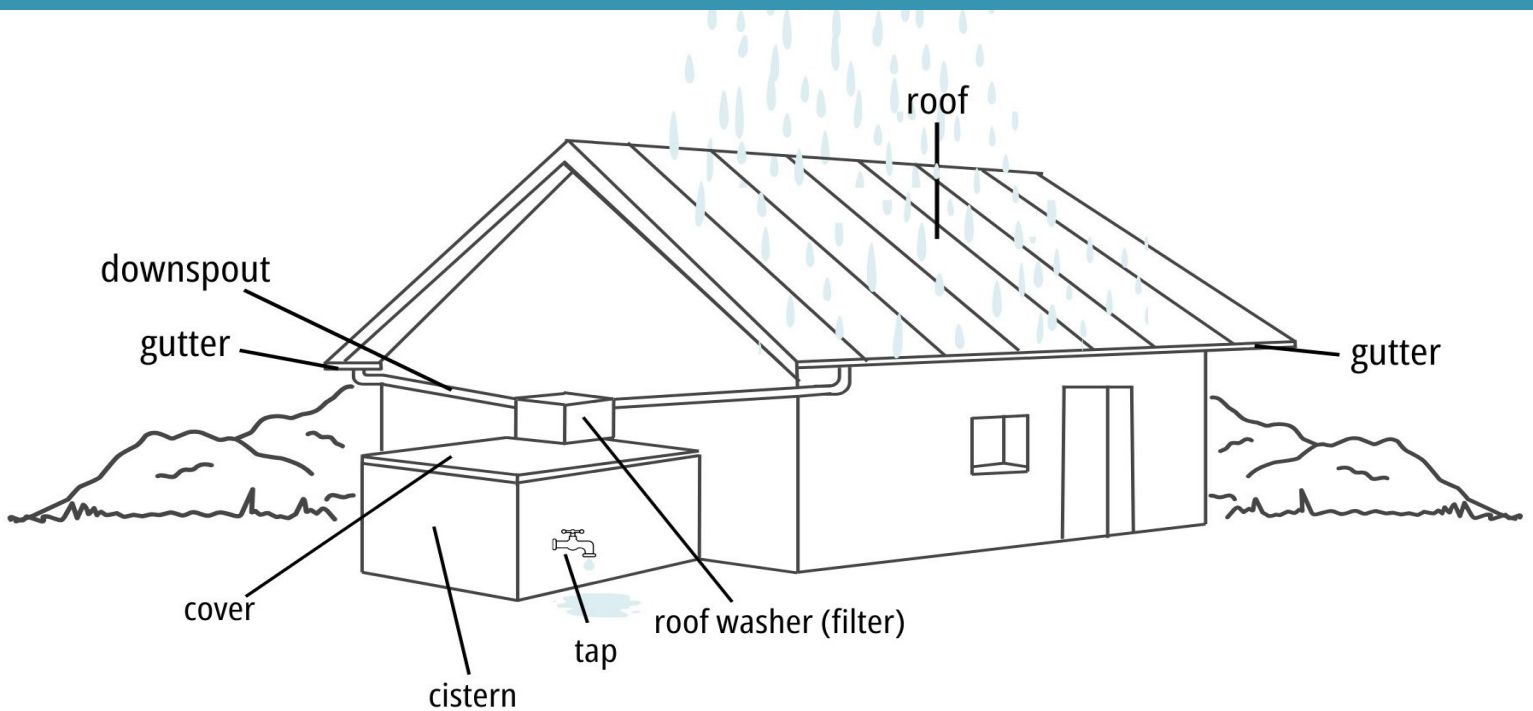
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Turning Rain into Life-giving Hope!



Robert Christian School



Brajirois Christian School

These two schools provide education and hope to over 600 students. Their cisterns—their only source of clean water—need urgent repairs.

Water is life, and providing clean water for our children is essential to their health and well-being. Right now, three of our ten Christian schools have no access to city water or wells. Their only hope for safe water lies in capturing the rain that God so faithfully provides.

A Rainwater Catchment System is a simple yet powerful solution. Rain falls onto a metal roof and flows into PVC pipes, where it is filtered and directed into a large cistern. This stored water becomes a vital source for drinking, cooking, and hygiene, sustaining children and teachers throughout the year.

For two of these schools, high in Haiti's remote mountains, digging a well is impossible. The elevation is too great, and city water will never reach them. Their only reliable source of water is the rain God sends—if they have the means to collect it.

The third school, the Cite Soleil Christian School, faces a different struggle. Gangs have cut off access to city water, even destroying pipelines leading to the school. To ensure a safe and independent water source, they need a new slanted metal roof, proper piping, and a cistern to store the water.

With your support, we can ensure these children have the water they need to thrive. **Let's turn rain into life-giving hope!**

Please help us raise funds to restore this vital resource and keep these children healthy and thriving!

All gifts are matched!

Brajirois Christian School
The Need: \$3,000

Robert Christian School
The Need: \$3,000

Cite Soleil Christian School
The Need: \$10,000



The cistern needs a new cover.

A Worthy Investment: Providing Bibles for Students

by Meredith Hutchens

Many of you continue to wonder: **Is there anything more I can do to help the children in Haiti? Does anything really make a difference?** Those are worthy questions... ones we continually ask too. Let me assure you that the answer to both is a resounding YES! We still need your help!

Thanks to our newly formed Spiritual Director Cohort for the 2024-25 school year (and beyond!), each school now employs its own Spiritual Director who teaches a weekly Bible class to students in every grade level. Students also participate in prayer partners, service activities, and memory verse recitation. But without fail, Spiritual Directors complete every feedback form with a repeated request: **Bibles for their students.**



They have included comments like these:

<p><i>One of the biggest difficulties I encounter is that when I teach a course, students often say: "Give me a Bible as a gift."</i></p>	<p><i>If I found some Bibles, I could help students read and make sure everyone participates.</i></p>	<p><i>Can HFHC help me get Bibles with Old and New Testament to share with students so they can advance their studies?</i></p>	<p><i>Please make Bibles available in the classroom so children can access them during the lesson.</i></p>
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To accommodate their requests and put Bibles in students' hands for weekly Bible classes, **we want to buy a set of Bibles for each school** and designate them for use by our staff and students. In addition, **we want to provide 200+ Camp Hope campers with their own personal Bible this summer when they come to camp.** That comes to about 550 Bibles at \$10 per copy, for a **total of \$5500.** We hope to purchase the Bibles in Haiti in order to stimulate the local economy and instill a sense of high value on this endeavor.

Will you join us in meeting this goal and providing Bibles for our students? We think you will agree this is a worthy investment and one that has eternal significance! THANK YOU for partnering with us to make a difference... one child at a time.



The Power of Textbooks and School Supplies in Haiti by Tonya Kennedy



What is sure to make a teacher in Haiti smile?

A cabinet full of much needed textbooks and school supplies!

What makes a child smile?

The joy of holding a textbook of their very own, a fresh notebook, a sharp new pencil, or a calculator that will help them learn complex topics.

What brings relief to a parent?

Knowing their child has the tools they need to succeed in school.

In Haiti, many families struggle just to put food on the table, making it nearly impossible to afford school supplies. But thanks to the generosity of our donors, students are equipped for success this year!

Your support is more than just a donation—it is an investment in the future of these children. A single textbook can open doors to knowledge. A pencil can spark creativity. A calculator can unlock a world of possibilities. Every gift you give brings hope, education, and opportunity to students who might otherwise go without. Thank you for making a difference! Because of you, children in Haiti are learning, growing, and dreaming big. ***Their smiles are proof that your kindness matters.***



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Fresh New Look for the Orphanage

The children and local staff came together to give the orphanage a much-needed makeover! They worked hard to re-stain the wardrobes, repaint the bed frames, and clean every chair and piece of clothing. The entire building, inside and out, was freshly painted, giving the orphanage a bright, fresh look. It's amazing to see their teamwork and dedication in action!



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