

HONDURAS CHRISTMAS PROJECT & 2022 PRAISE REPORT

Dear Family & Friends,

2022 has presented many challenges in the ministry, but praise the Lord that He, the God we serve, is sovereign over all and we will worship Him again and again for all He has done! As we reflect over this past year we have so much to be thankful for. We would like to share with you some highlights of the great things that God has done this past year!

<u>1st Chronicles 16:23-25a</u> – Sing to the Lord all the earth; proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day. Declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among all peoples. For the Lord is great and greatly to be praised;

We praise Him for:

- 103 salvations!! Bringing total saved to 855 since the beginning of ministry!!
- Hope for the World High School completed its 4th year with 51 students's enrolled and 15 graduates! This brings the total to 33 graduates since inception of High School
- Construction on the new building for the High School is 95% complete, and all the classes are occupied. The school is growing by leaps and bounds, and we appreciate all who helped with this project, along with all the desks, signage, and necessary supplies that had to be purchased to open the new building.
- The USA & Honduran flag raising ceremony at the High School was an awesome and emotional experience!
- We will be adding the 10th grade to the high school curriculum in 2023, and the school will now be private. High school in Honduras is considered 7th, 8th, and 9th grade and receives diplomas to help with employment. The 10th and 11th grades are considered higher education and graduates can receive more prestigious jobs.
- The water project and connections for the High School was donated by the village community, and will always be totally free for the life of the school. All yearly taxes for the school have been waived as well!
- The final 2 schools located in Tatumbla have now been added to the Manna Feeding Project bringing the total to 13 schools!!
- The feeding project has grown to 1249 children being fed daily, the Manna Project averages over 21,730 meals per month of rice, beans, flour, oatmeal, spaghetti, bananas, and clean drinking water for every classroom. This also includes 2 children's church classes & Senior adults
- The senior adult feeding program has doubled and now feeds over 130 seniors per month.
- 222 poverty stricken families have been provided with food bags this past year.
- The ministry also helps all the schools in Tatumbla with their bio-security supplies that are needed to keep the schools open & operating. (Hand gel, ammonia, mats for cleaning off shoes, Clorox, face mask, Clorox wipes, hand soap, etc...)
- 164 Bibles distributed this year bringing the total to 1463.
- The new church partnership had its 2 year anniversary and has grown with many souls being saved and baptized. Cases of Bibles distributed, Bible study home groups in full force, 50 kids are attending children's church, and a sound board purchased for music.
- Samaritan Purse Christmas Shoeboxes were distributed for the 1st time at the new church.
- Women's ministry is going strong and the ladies are excited to once again be able to meet and study the Bible together.
- · New car purchased for ministry.
- The Brand New Mission House is absolutely beautiful and secures the future foundation for the ministry! NO MORE MOVING praise the Lord!! (we had moved 6 times in 7 years)
- Triplets and Valeria are growing, thriving and doing amazing! They will all be 4 years old soon!
- Food, clothing, and basic needs still being met for a man who lost home during flood.
- Police Department was added to the project. A washer & dryer was purchased for them along with all their monthly bio-security supplies, and clean drinking water.
- Also added Health Center and Library to ministry project for providing drinking water & monthly bio-security supplies.
- New windows and doors purchased and installed for one of the kindergartens.
- The ministry of Hope for the World Honduras was awarded the opportunity to be a member of the Mayor's Community Leadership Committee to help create a better living environment for a beautiful, safe, healthy, and thriving community for the future.
- Annual Pheasant Shoot and Dove Shoot at Hartland Farms was a big success!
- We continue to praise God for all of you who support this ministry with all your love, prayers and financial support! You all have such a huge impact on the lives of those in need! May God bless you all!

Christmas Project

Once again we would like to ask you to prayerfully consider how you may help with this year's "Honduras Christmas Project". The proceeds will be used to bless the classrooms in the schools with their much needed supplies for the 2023 school year that typically begins in February. We praise the Lord for the many doors of opportunity to share the love and hope of Jesus Christ that this project has opened. Any and all donations are greatly appreciated! Please be sure to note on the enclosed envelope or earmark your check that your donation is for "The Honduras Christmas Project". We know that God is preparing for a great harvest of salvations in Honduras!

Prayer Request for 2023:

He who calls you is faithful, who also will do it 1st Thess: 5:24

- Please continue to pray for us as we plan our return soon, and for us to be steadfast in our faith, to love well, and to encourage those we will encounter with the hope of Jesus.
- 2023 Operating Budget. Prices have skyrocketed and all the projects are in much need of more support, and by faith we have stepped out and added the final 2 schools in the village along with the health clinic, library, and police dept. to the ministry project.
- Extra Funds needed for 2023 operating budgets: These funds listed below are not the actual budgets, but are the extra funds needed on top of what is already provided through monthly donations:
- High School \$4880
- Feeding \$15,728
- Special School Projects \$3000,
- Personal Support \$6004
- With the 10th grade being added to the High School the enrollment will increase from 51 students to 80 students.
- In September our car in Honduras was on its last leg and was no longer useful and we had to immediately purchase a new car. The cost is about \$13,803 to relinquish this debt.
- Plane tickets for return to Honduras \$958.60

May you and your families have a blessed Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year! Serving For His Glory!

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