

2018 **ANNUAL REPORT**

KAPATID MINISTRY, INC.





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OUR VISION

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TRANSFORMING
COMMUNITIES ONE
FAMILY AT A TIME

OUR MISSION

We partner with Christian Churches, Organization and Individuals to **encourage, equip and enhance** their growth by Church Planting and Community Transformation through programs in:



OFW Families



Underprivileged Children



Out of School Youth



Livelihood & Calamity Assistance

OUR MESSAGE

THE PARABLE OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN

²⁵ And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, “Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?” ²⁶ He said to him, “What is written in the Law? How do you read it?”

²⁷ And he answered, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself.”

²⁸ And he said to him, “You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live.”

²⁹ But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?” ³⁰ Jesus replied, “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹ Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. ³² So

likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. ³⁴ He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, ‘Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.’ ³⁶ Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?” ³⁷ He said, “The one who showed him mercy.” And Jesus said to him, “You go, and do likewise.”



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BUT HE,
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TO JESUS, “AND
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NEIGHBOR?”

Jesus' parable is most timely in this day and age. We live in a world where individualism, initiative, and intuition are characteristics hailed in high esteem. If you are in trouble or in poverty, it is up to you to pull yourself up, find a way to get out of your predicament and attain success by your wits and skills. Helping is only seen as a one-time or temporary thing - something I do as long as it does not interrupt my way of life. Yet, this thinking is not new. 2,000 years ago in the time when Christ walked on earth, we see

countless people, men and women - religious and non-religious, rich and poor - upholding these characteristics. Many thought that their prosperity in the present life and in eternity depended on their effort in fulfilling God's laws. In their pursuit of His laws, many became reclusive to their own community, ultimately neglected the law above all laws: loving your neighbor. 3 important truths are taught to us in this passage.

OUR CONDITION: IN DANGER OF BEING LEFT ALONE.

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We all suffer. Yet the worst suffering is when you are left alone to suffer. Just like the man who fell among the robbers, many are in danger of being left alone. We live in a fallen and broken world, a world where many are vulnerable to the effects of evil. The scariest part is that we also live in a selfish world, where 'me' takes precedence over 'others'.

Like the priest and Levite who walked by, the words, "I don't care" cry out in the depths of our hearts while millions of people suffer, being left alone. The priest and Levites are the last people you think that will abandon a man in need. Many of their teachings and philosophies in life centered on serving others.

Yet, whether such help will disrupt their busy schedules or defile their status - at the moment where service was most needed, their action revealed the dark yet true content of their hearts.

OUR COMPASSION: SACRIFICIAL ACTION THAT LEADS TO CHANGE

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Enter the Samaritan. The cultural background of the story implies that the last person any Jew will expect help from is this man. Yet the man helped him. His actions spoke volumes of his character. Jesus described him as having compassion. Yet his compas-

sion was not just a feeling expressed. It was a compassion manifested in his actions after seeing the man. First, *he went to him*. He did not help from a distance. Next, *he bound up his wounds*, using his own oil and wine to ease the pain that the man was in. Then *he used his resources to get the man the help he needed* to nurse him back to health. He brought the man to an inn, entrusted his care to the inn, monitoring his condition and ensuring that he gets the care he needs even if he goes away.

Helping is more than just doing one part. It is walking with them until we see God's healing take place in their valuable lives.

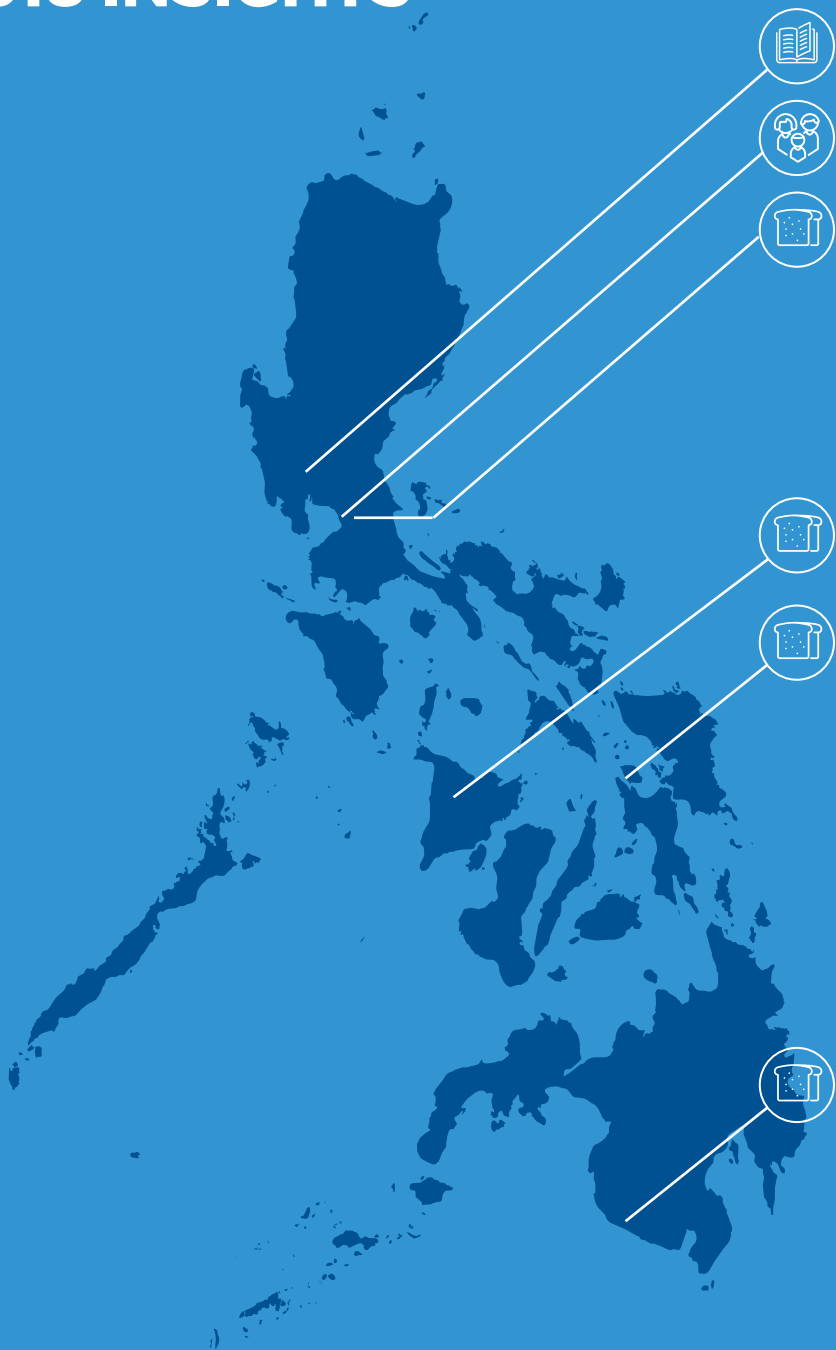
OUR CALL: TO BE THE ONE WHO SHOWS MERCY.

³⁶ Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" ³⁷ He said, "The one who showed him mercy." And Jesus said to him, "You go, and do likewise."

After telling the parable, Jesus wasn't intending for His hearers to nod and be entertained. A life-changing decision is required for the listener. Notice Jesus did not ask how the listener felt about the story. He didn't even

bring out statistics of the poverty or culture around them. He simply and truthfully asked him who became the neighbor to the one in need. We are to show mercy to our neighbor - no matter the cultural and social differences. That is our calling. Jesus calls us to go, and do likewise.

2018 INSIGHTS





193

SPONSORED KIDS

in our Child Sponsorship Program



104

FEEDING CENTERS

in our Feeding Program



6

CHURCHES PLANTED

through our Feeding Centers



67

BIBLE STUDY GROUPS

started through Feeding Centers



7

OFW FAMILIES VISITED

upon request of the OFW.



4

SPECIAL PROJECTS

initiated and accomplished



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**BELIEVE IN
THE LORD
JESUS, AND
YOU WILL BE
SAVED, YOU
AND YOUR
HOUSEHOLD.**

ACTS 16:31

OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS & FAMILIES

WHAT WE DO



FAMILY VISITATION

Together with community partner churches, we visit Overseas Filipino Workers' (OFW) family and seek to provide care, counseling, and direction. We meet them on a regular basis to help build unity and love among family members and towards their OFWs.



BIBLE STUDIES AMONG OFWS ABROAD

We work together with the churches abroad in starting Bible study groups to cater to OFWs within their sphere of influence. Our goal is to have a vibrant, Gospel-centered Filipino congregation in every place where OFWs are.



FAMILY VISITATION

We were able to visit families of OFWs based in Singapore as well as other families of OFWs we have visited before. We visited, prayed for, and shared the gospel to a number of the families. Some of them we took the opportunity to build relationships in order to have a platform to share the gospel in the near future. Here are some of the families we visited.

 **7 OFW FAMILIES VISITED**



SIS. REZY'S FAMILY

Dasmarinas, Cavite



SIS. MYLENE'S FAMILY

Cainta, Rizal



SIS. JOANNE'S FAMILY

General Trias, Cavite

MINISTRY TO OFWS



SHARING THE MINISTRY TO OFWS

Singapore

We were able to share about our focus on ministry to OFW Families among our brethren in Singapore. We were given separate opportunities to give a talk to the Filipino community and Singaporean brethren about our desire to start Filipino Groups and minister to their families in the Philippines.



ASSISTING FILIPINO CHURCHES

Kuala Lumpur,
Malaysia

We went around the different Filipino groups we helped established in the past, sharing God's Word and encouraging our OFWs in each of the groups. Our aim is to help establish these groups to become vibrant, Gospel-centered fellowships for OFWs in their sphere of influences.



A SEMINAR ON PSYCHO-SOCIAL CARE FOR OFWS

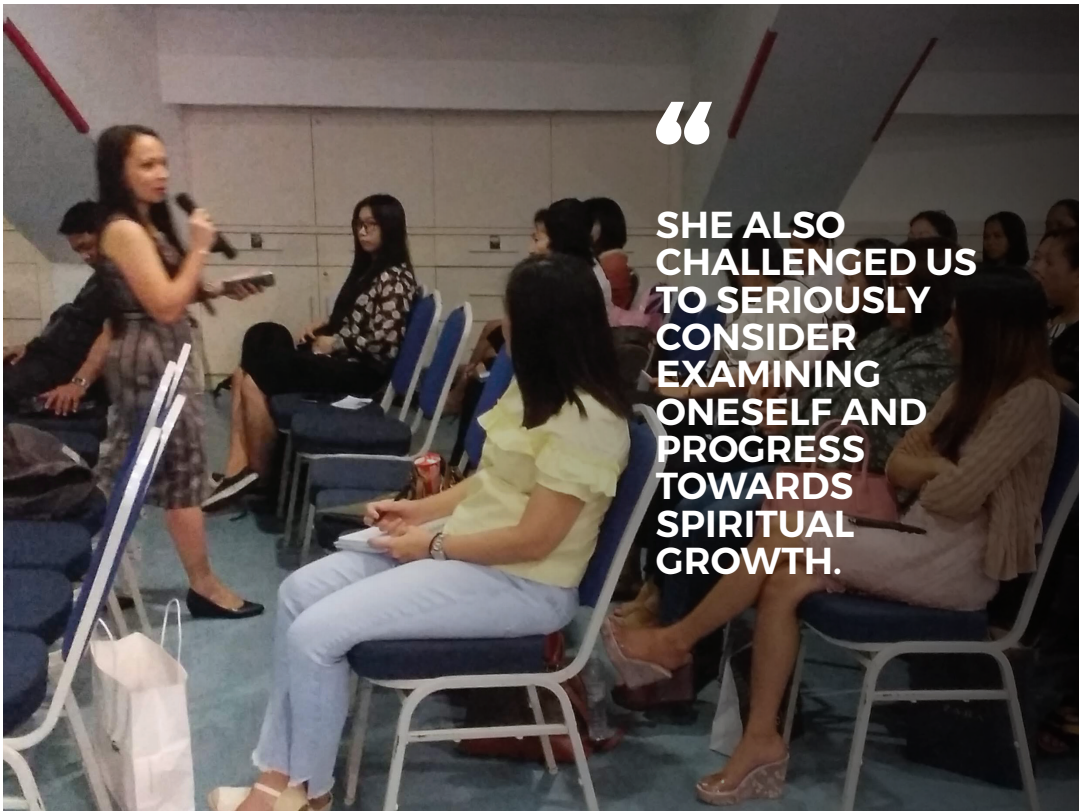
AUGUST 25-26, 2018

We invited Sis. Belle Fajardo, a professional counselor based in Singapore, to give a talk to our OFWs on the importance of examining one's self to grow spiritually and emotionally. She gave a talk in Genting Highlands, Subang Jaya, and Kuala Lumpur on August 25 and 26, 2018.



Sis. Belle's talk was titled "Mirrors for the Soul." Her talk centered on the need for each individual to examine his or her past in order to deal with barriers that hinder ones spiritual and emotional growth. She discussed possible traumas and "shadows" that continue to haunt each individual consciously or unconsciously. Her talk included exercises which challenged the participants' ability to think through why they are what they are today. She also challenged us to seriously consider examining oneself and progress towards spiritual growth.

Feedback from her talk has been universally positive. Many thanked Sis. Belle for helping them see how their past has been affecting their present. There were a few who sought counsel from Sis. Belle, as the talk opened up the hidden wounds that they had been carrying for all these years. We are praying that Sis. Belle will be used once again in the near future to positively influence our fellow OFWs.





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WHOEVER
BRINGS
BLESSING
WILL BE
ENRICHED,
AND ONE
WHO WATERS
WILL HIMSELF
BE WATERED.

PROVERBS 11:25

FEEDING MINISTRY

WHAT WE DO



GOSPEL-CENTERED LESSONS

Our partner churches conduct weekly Bible lessons for the children to impart to them the Gospel and to nurture in them biblical values. It is important to not tell them only how to live morally right, but also why we live morally right towards God, their families, and their communities.



WEEKLY NUTRITIOUS FOOD

Weekly our partner churches also feed the children nourishing bread that helps keep them healthy and keep their minds sharp. This is done in partnership with organizations who provide food for the needy.



2018 FEEDING CENTERS



86 FEEDING CENTERS

in Luzon (Outside Metro Manila)

- Pampanga
- Subic
- Olongapo
- Tarlac
- Nueva Ecija
- Bataan
- Bulacan
- Cavite
- Batangas

13 FEEDING CENTERS

in Metro Manila

4 FEEDING CENTERS

in Vizayas

1 FEEDING CENTER

in Mindanao

8 NEW CENTERS

added this year.

104 TOTAL CENTERS

3,000+ CHILDREN FED

weekly (on average)

FEEDING HIGHLIGHTS



FEEDING BY SIS. CHRISTINE OF MALAYSIA

July 2018

Sis. Christine Mebalo celebrated her birthday by treating the kids in our feeding centers in Ipo Dam, Bulacan. Around 80 kids were taught Bible stories and were treated with a sumptuous meal.



FEEDING BY SIS. ENOI & GSBC, USA.

July 2018

Ms. Enoi Dela Cruz and her family visited our feeding centers in Malasa, Bamban, Tarlac. 40 kids participated, where Sis. Lara, daughter of Sis. Enoi taught the kids Bible Stories. The children were treated with a sumptuous meal sponsored by brethren from Good Shepherd Baptist Church in Delaware, Pennsylvania.



FEEDING BY SIS. ENOI & GSBC, USA.

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July 2018

Ms. Enoi Dela Cruz and her family visited our feeding centers in Ipo Dam, Bulacan. Around 70 kids were taught Bible stories and were treated with a sumptuous meal sponsored by brethren from Good Shepherd Baptist Church in Delaware, Pennsylvania.



FEEDING BY SIS. REZY OF SINGAPORE

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September 2018

Sis. Rezy celebrated her birthday by treating the kids in our feeding centers in Ipo Dam, Bulacan. Around 100 kids were taught Bible stories and were treated with a delicious



KUALA LUMPUR BAPTIST CHURCH MISSION TRIP TO THE PHILIPPINES

NOVEMBER 1-4, 2018

Last November, 5 members of Kuala Lumpur Baptist Church, Malaysia visited our ministries in the Philippines. Headed by Pastor Saw Ai Hua, the team went around some of our feeding areas to teach the kids about the gospel and gave them hygiene kits. They did a skit regarding the gospel and many more activities for the kids. Here are the highlights of their trip.

SHARING THE GOSPEL AT A CEMETERY DURING ALL-SAINTS DAY

NOVEMBER 1, 2018



The team headed to a cemetery in Sasmuan, Pampanga and gave out gospel tracts. They also conversed with the locals, seeking to understand the cultural practice of Filipinos during All-Saints Day.

GOSPEL SHARING AT SAN FERNANDO PUBLIC MARKET

NOVEMBER 2, 2018



The team taught the gospel to 50 kids at the San Fernando Market. They did a skit showing how Jesus is our best friend. They also taught the kids how to dance and sing about God's goodness. At the end, they gave hygiene kits to the kids.

GOSPEL SHARING AT MAGALANG, PAMPANGA

NOVEMBER 2, 2018



The team taught the gospel to 35 kids at Magalang, Pampanga. Just like what they did in the market, the team did a skit showing how Jesus is our best friend. They also taught the kids how to dance, played games and sang about God's goodness. At the end, they gave candies to the kids.

GOSPEL SHARING AT IPO DAM, NORZAGARAY, BULACAN

NOVEMBER 3, 2018

The team taught the gospel to 100 kids at Ipo Dam, Norzagaray, Bulacan. They visited Sitio Anginan and Sitio Santol, the 2 sites of our feeding area. They did a skit showing how Jesus is our best friend. They also taught the kids how to dance and sing about God's goodness. This time they taught them proper hygiene and gave the kids hygiene kits. The team also planted trees in the community.



The team planting trees in the community.



The kids watching happily at the team's skit.

SUNDAY WORSHIP IN MEXICO, PAMPANGA

NOVEMBER 4, 2018



The team visited the church of our partner, Kingdom Righteousness Ministries in Mexico, Pampanga. Pastor Ai Hua preached about our responsibility as followers of Christ in sharing the gospel to the ends of the earth. The rest of the team members also took the time to share their testimonies of how Christ saved them.



Pastor Ai Hua giving a talk to the youth.



The youth praying together to apply the lessons learned.

After the worship service, the team taught the kids about the Gospel and played with them. They also conducted a Love, Sex, and Relationship Seminar for the young people. Many were blessed with the time and knowledge that the mission team shared with the church members.



SLIPPERS FOR THE KIDS AT IPO DAM

December 2018

Our partner, Pastor Leo Decinal, gave 100 slippers for the kids in Ipo Dam. The kids received the slippers with joy as many of them have worn out sandals and slippers.



CHRISTMAS GIFTS FROM IBC SINGAPORE

December 2018

Brothers and sisters from International Baptist Church gave gifts to 100 kids this Christmas. These gifts, containing snacks and bread, was given to the kids in the Feeding Centers in Saguin and San Rafael, Pampanga.



CHRISTMAS GIFT GIVING IN MAGALANG, PAMPANGA

December 2018

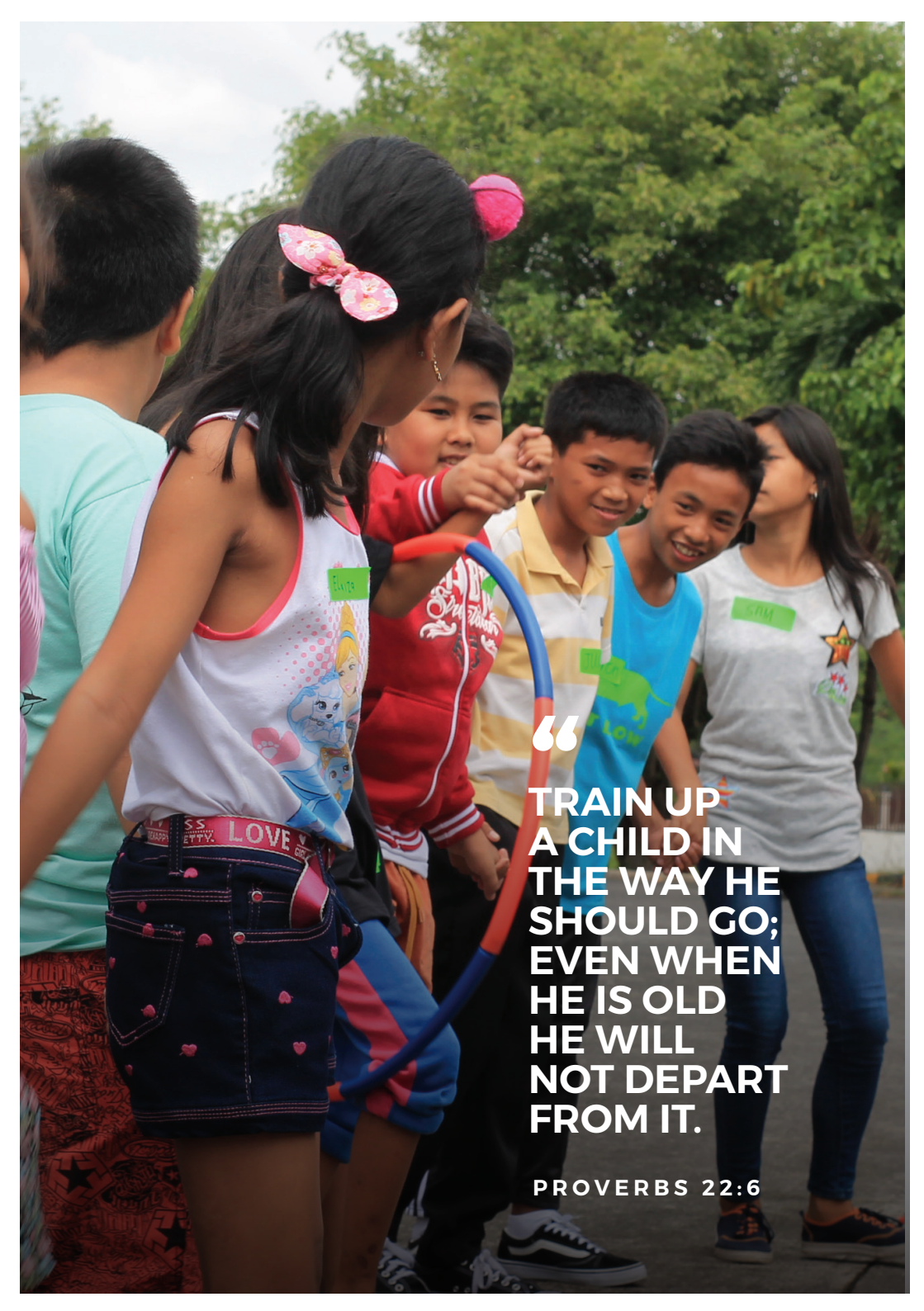
Our partner, Sis. Glo Molina and her family chose to spend their Christmas by giving gifts to 30 kids and reading glasses to 20 adults in Magalang, Pampanga. Among them, 18 people received Christ as the gospel was shared.



CHRISTMAS GIFT GIVING AT ANTIPOLO

December 2018

Bro. Rufo Patigdas, one of our partners, gave t-shirts for 87 kids in Antipolo. The t-shirts, from Korea were distributed to our Ptr. Gerry Berbecho's feeding centers.

A group of children are gathered outdoors, playing with hula hoops. In the foreground, a girl with dark hair tied in a ponytail with a pink floral bow is seen from the side, wearing a white tank top with a cartoon character and a dark denim skirt with pink heart patterns. She is holding a red and blue hula hoop. Other children, including boys and girls, are visible in the background, some also holding hula hoops. They are all smiling and appear to be enjoying the activity. The background shows green trees and a clear sky.

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TRAIN UP
A CHILD IN
THE WAY HE
SHOULD GO;
EVEN WHEN
HE IS OLD
HE WILL
NOT DEPART
FROM IT.

PROVERBS 22:6

CHILD SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

WHAT WE DO



SCHOOL SUPPLIES

The kids are provided with school materials such as pencils, pens, notebooks, bags, and other necessary stationery. From time to time, they get uniforms, shoes, and other school necessities.



CHARACTER BUILDING

We work with our partner church to nurture the kids in biblical truth. We believe this is the best way to develop in the hearts of the kids right values toward God, their family, and their community.



HEALTH CARE

Sickness is a very dangerous hindrance to a child's growth. We try to minimize the occurrence of grave illnesses by providing annual medical checkup and vitamins for the kids, so that they may grow healthy and study well.



2018 CHILD SPONSORSHIP

	10	BAGONG SILANG Caloocan City
	18	BAGUMBONG Caloocan City
	8	BATASAN Quezon City
7	21	HOLY SPIRIT Quezon City
NEW SCHOLARS	48	LLANO Caloocan City
	17	NOVALICHES Quezon City
2	26	SAN FERNANDO Pampanga
GRADUATES	11	PULILAN Bulacan
	23	IPO DAM Bulacan
21	3	STA. ANA Pampanga
DROP-OUTS	8	BAMBAN Tarlac
	193	TOTAL



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LET THE LITTLE
CHILDREN COME
TO ME AND DO
NOT HINDER
THEM, FOR TO
SUCH BELONGS
THE KINGDOM OF
HEAVEN.

MATTHEW 19:14



CHILD SPONSORSHIP FAMILY DAY

MARCH 31, 2018

Last March 31, 2018, our scholars and their parents gathered together for a day of fun at Brittany, Fairview, Quezon City. 139 kids, 104 moms, and 81 dads participated in the event.

OUR PURPOSE

Our first goal is to bring the family together for a 1-day fun, where they can enjoy spending time and having fun together. Our other goal is to allow the dads, most of whom are unchurched, an opportunity to hear the Gospel.



SHARING THE GOSPEL



Pastor Ronald Longos, the pastor of the Filipino Congregation of Kuala Lumpur Baptist Church, visited us and shared the gospel to the parents during the Family Day.

BASIC BASKETBALL DRILLS SWIMMING TIME!



Bro. Peter Aguilar (former Filipino professional basketball player) shared his life testimony about how Christ saved him and changed him. He then conducted basic basketball drills for 10 sponsored kids, encouraging them to fight for their dreams by studying hard.

The dads who came got the opportunity to spend time with their kids in the pool! This was a welcome activity to cool off in the summer heat.

MINI GAMES

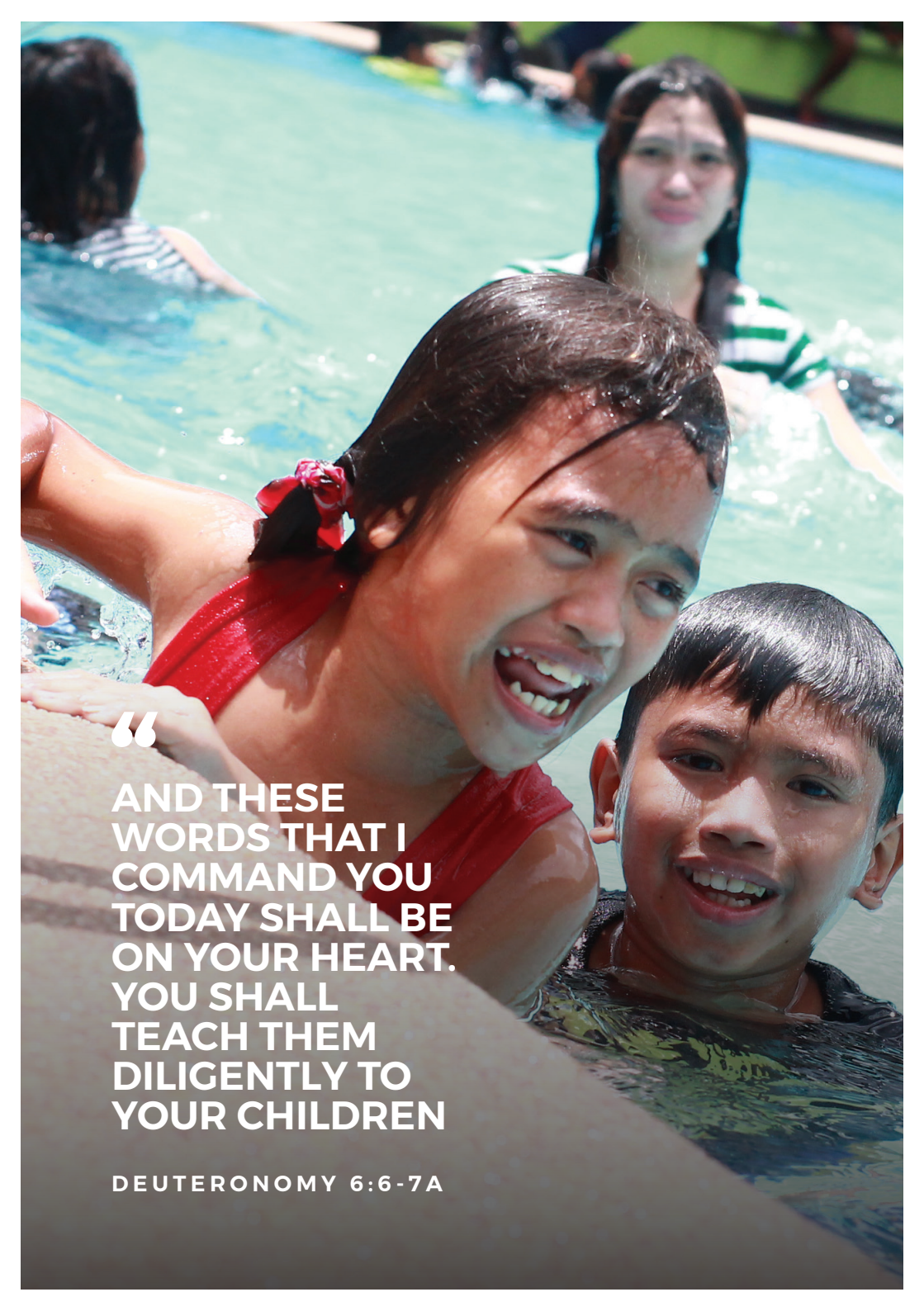
The families also had plenty of fun participating in mini-games where they got to win prizes. There were darts, bowling, and other fun games. They also had an opportunity to snap a family photo in the photo booth!



GROCERY GIFTS

We capped off the event by giving grocery gifts to each family. Each grocery gift comprised of 3kgs of rice, canned goods, coffee, malt chocolate, and cupcakes placed inside a bucket. The dads also received a personalized cap.





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AND THESE
WORDS THAT I
COMMAND YOU
TODAY SHALL BE
ON YOUR HEART.
YOU SHALL
TEACH THEM
DILIGENTLY TO
YOUR CHILDREN

DEUTERONOMY 6:6-7A

MISSION -
TO HELP LITERATE
CHILDREN SPECIALLY
TO KNOW JESUS
HOW IMPORTANT
TO LIVE IN THE
WORLD TO MOLD
THEM NOT ONLY
READING, BUT TO
EXPERIENCE HOW TO
LIVE A TRUE LIFE

To help the children to
know about Christ and to
guide them to experience
the love of God through
the programs provided.

To bless all
church, family
putting up
to every one
- A Bless
Every one
LIVE -

To help under privileged children
and their families to get off
to poverty by sharing the gospel
and to educate them.

MISSION
TO BE THE EXTENSION
OF BLESS TO HAVE
A SCHOOL

MISSION
make it clear to
have been
before at
you
mission:
I pray for
blessing

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WHERE
THERE IS NO
GUIDANCE, A
PEOPLE FALLS,
BUT IN AN
ABUNDANCE OF
COUNSELORS
THERE IS
SAFETY.

PROVERBS 11:14

MISSION
- Ministry of the word
- Evangelism
- Discipleship
- Encourage them to
- Guiding them
- Teaching them
- Unreached people

being transformed by
God's Word and wisdom

SPECIAL PROJECTS

WHAT WE DO



COMMUNITY-WIDE DEVELOPMENT

Some communities have urgent needs that if met, could help uplift the lives of every community member. Our aim is to identify such needs and connect these communities to our partners who are capable and willing to help meet these needs.



TRAINING AND EQUIPPING FOR PARTNERS

As we work with our partner church to minister to the families in the communities, we deem it important to provide training and equipping for the ministers. Through this we hope that they will be able to minister to the kids and families in their communities better.



A WATER FILTER FOR IPO DAM'S COMMUNITIES

July 2018

We were able to give a water filter for the use of the community of Sitio Anginan and Sitio Santol. Using this water filter designed in Singapore, they are able to draw 22 gallons of water per day and cleanse it through the filter, making it drinkable.



A TALK ON COUNSELING

July 2018

Sis. Belle Fajardo, a professional counselor based in Singapore, gave a talk to our partner pastors and volunteers on administering counseling to those whom they minister. They were taught the differences of counseling and giving advices and also were taught on how to do effective counseling.



A TALK ON COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

August 2018

One of our partners, Pastor Rey Tenoso, shared his learnings and knowledge on community development to some of our partners. He shared with us how they do community development with AMG Philippines for a number of years, implementing a strategy "From Relief to Sustainability."



BLESS TRAINING

December 2018

BLESS Philippines is an organization focusing on teaching indigent kids how to read and write. They have conducted training for our teachers on how to teach the kids and to set up a BLESS center in the feeding areas.



CHRISTMAS FELLOWSHIP WITH OUR PARTNERS

December 2018

Last December 17, we hosted a Christmas fellowship for our partners in the feeding ministry. We had fun, fellowship, games, as well as the sharing of testimonies. The volunteers and pastors were given gifts as tokens of appreciation for their diligence in serving the Lord among the communities they minister to.



CHRISTMAS GIFT GIVING FOR GRANNIES AND GRANDKIDS

December 2018

Last December 19, 2018, we visited 2 areas in Pampanga and gave gifts for 60 Senior Citizens and 60 kids. Our aim was to start a new feeding program and ministry among senior citizens. We were able to give these gifts to 2 communities in San Fernando. These gifts were attained thru the support of many of our brothers and sisters abroad. Many of them heard the gospel for the first time, experiencing the possibility of receiving the greatest gift of all this Christmas: Jesus.

2018 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

JANUARY TO NOVEMBER 2018

MONTHLY	CASH IN	CASH OUT
January	283,998.69	134,648.00
February	151,604.16	100,440.33
March	210,266.19	175,486.65
April	243,390.37	135,003.80
May	310,103.40	171,961.94
June	52,385.05	165971.73
July	226,815.89	398,785.93
August	672,301.20	194,417.07
September	107,131.00	97,858.81
October	101,391.24	120,831.66
November	69,383.00	240,161.66
December	For Completion	For Completion
TOTAL (as of Nov. 2018)	2,428,770.19	2,129,827.09

Recorded balance as of 31 Dec 2018	205,411.86
Less: Addt'l Expenses Incurred in 2017 Youth Camp	45,325.35
Actual Remaining Balance as of 31 Dec2017	160,086.51
Add: Cash-In from January to October 2018	2,428,770.19
Less: Cash-Out from January to October 2018	2,129,827.09
Remaining Balance as of 31 October 2018	298,943.10



BLESSED IS
THE ONE WHO
CONSIDERS
THE POOR!
IN THE DAY
OF TROUBLE
THE LORD
DELIVERS HIM

PSALM 41:1