



INTERNATIONAL Humanitarian Hope Society

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OUR MANDATE

International Humanitarian Hope Society has a mandate to help orphanages and children's homes in different parts of the world. We provide opportunities for volunteers to come along and help with projects abroad. This has proven to be an unforgettable experience of giving love and help to some desperate situations.

Through your donation or help with fund raising, we are able to accomplish much.

Dear friends and partners of International Humanitarian Hope Society,

We are excited to bring you a small capsule of the work we have accomplished this past year, and a glimpse into the future of what we are planning. 2016 has been another exciting year for the team of IHHS! Each year we attempt to broaden our horizons and continue to be proactive in approaching the needs before us. Here is what 2016 looked like!

NAIROBI, KENYA

Each year in March we travel to Nairobi, Kenya to visit our school, medical clinic and orphanage. We are convinced that with an education, the children will not fall back into the slums (where they presently come from) and will go on to post secondary education. This year has proven so. Moses graduated from Lighthouse academy with tremendous marks and qualified for entry to the most prestigious university in Nairobi. He is presently studying to be a Marine Engineer. Thank you to the donor who sponsored his entry! Another young man Louis, was chosen to receive a scholarship to Harvard University. These young people are getting the best education and going on to be champions in their nation!

Another great and exciting announcement this year....Lighthouse Academy has been chosen as a pilot project for BRCK, giving the children a chance to study from tablets which hold their school curriculum, and are solar operated...here's what Forbes Magazine said..

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/tobyshapshak/2015/09/22/this-brck-will-revolutionize-education-in-africa/#75aee3bb5f87>. This year we were able to raise enough money to buy 40 more tablets at a cost of \$268 each. Many more tablets are needed, so we will continue to partner with this project. Thank you to the partners who gave so generously to make this possible.



Moses



Louis



Children and their New tablets!

CEBU, PHILIPPINES

In October we went to Cebu, Philippines to visit the Cure Foundation. They continue to construct safe homes in the mountains of Cebu as more and more children are being rescued. There are well over 20 children ages 2-12 who are presently living in the homes. We found such wonderful, sweet children so lovingly cared for and most of all, there was a happy atmosphere in their homes. We applaud the amazing workers and director Bart, for their tireless efforts to make this a safe and happy environment for the children. Presently they are fencing the yard for the safety of the children and \$35,000usd is needed to finish this project.



Cebu - Safe house



Bart



Cebu

SANYA, CHINA

We visited the Bright Connection, a home for physically and mentally challenged children. Each time we visit we see vast improvements in some of the children. They receive ongoing physio therapy and some of the children also receive education. There are 42 children in this home with full time loving care.



Sanja, China



SOMETHING NEW

This is a new project for IHHS... a baby orphanage in Shanghai, China. This orphanage has over 40 children from newborn to 2 years old. We have already supplied vitamins for the children, which was their pressing need. The Healing Home is located on the outskirts of Shanghai. February 2018 we will take a small group to volunteer in this home. More info to follow on the website.



NEWS OF EXPANSION

We are very excited to see IHHS expanding to the USA this year. We will have an office there, through which you can channel your donations and receive receipts for tax purposes. We will work in conjunction with both countries on group trips and projects. We anticipate greater expansion and new horizons. More information will be available on our website in the months ahead.



As we move into 2017 we have been anticipating for some great and marvelous opportunities this year. We are not slowing down but accelerating to meet more needs as God directs. Thank you for your ongoing support for the work of IHHS around the world. There are so many stories to tell and miracles we encounter as we travel. We want you to know that you are making a huge difference in the lives of children around the world.

As we go on into our second decade of the existence of IHHS we certainly know that a supernatural power has guided and directed our paths. Thank you for believing in the work we are doing. We want to make more changes in the lives of many dear children in this world. This year our travels will take us to Nairobi, Kenya in March and October-November to Philippines, China, Vietnam and Thailand. We covet your prayers!

God bless you,

Evelyn Picklyk, President and Founder
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Thank you for hearing my heart and supporting IHHS in so many of these endeavors. Our desire is to bring love and care to the children who have "no voice" in our world. Your support has made a BIG difference... a world away. We can't do everything, but we can do something to change the world, one heart at a time...one child at a time.

Sincerely,

Evelyn Picklyk
President/Founder

