

# **Meeting Children's Needs Around The World**

## **2009 Annual Report**

**FEEDING HUNGRY CHILDREN**

# **A WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT**

During the fiscal year 2009, FHC implemented its philosophy of helping to meet the educational needs of needy children in three key areas of the world; Central America, Asia and America.

Focusing on a goal to enhance efficiency and effectiveness in all program activities, to improve procedures and methods of response while maintaining quality control in our major field operations. The resulting effect has enabled us to strengthen our ability to network with other likeminded agencies to multiply our capability to serve the neediest people in our project areas.

FHC is dedicated to the acquisition and utilization of every available resource to facilitate implementation of programs designed to elevate the quality of life for desperate needy children throughout the world and here in America. Disadvantaged children are a priority concern for FHC's lifesaving assistance.

FHC recognizes the importance of educational training for children of preschool age. It is generally recognized that children of this age group develop the majority of the character traits that they will maintain throughout their lives. The educational trainings provided to these children are vital and necessary for long-term sustainable solutions to the lingering problems of poverty that inflict the communities they come from.

The benefits of FHC services provide the educational necessities which are basic to all human development, and are successful in reaching the targeted beneficiaries by increasing the level of awareness on educational needs, family relationships, community participation, and by expanding the level of involvement for recipients in the various interventions.

# Feeding Hungry Children

## Meeting Children's Needs in

### America

FHC has strategic partnerships with 12 projects in Northern & Southern Arizona that enhance the goals of educating children and providing these children with a better opportunity for a successful future.

Study after study has determined that children who do not receive a nutritional meal before going to school are handicapped in their learning ability.

CEMF distributed 815,778 pounds of nutritious food with a value of \$1,223,667 to families with malnourished children through our 5 projects. We helped 16,315 families with over 627,521 meals. Native American and School aged children who are suffering the hardship of poverty and who are desperate for nutritious food was our priorities this past year.

Our food distribution program has enabled our projects to shift money from buying supplemental nutritional food for the children they serve to educational supplies, training aids and tuition scholarships thus not only enhancing the educational program but also providing more educational opportunities for needy children.

# Meeting Children's Needs In ASIA

## I. CHILDREN'S SCHOOLS

### 1.) BICOL REGION

Five (5) Programs are found in the town of Bula, province of Camarines Sur and one (1) in Labo, Camarines Norte. These are the San Ramon Children's Hope, San Miguel Children's hope, Libmanan Children's Hope, Bagumbayan Children's Hope, Fabrica Children's Hope and Miracle Life Rhema School, Inc. with a total of 750 children. It has been a great success and a fruitful blessing to the recipients and the family as well – with the continuous operation of The Children's Schools in the Bicol Region

1. Fabrica – The barangay (village) of Fabrica Belongs to one of the four (4) biggest barangays (villages) in the town of Bula, in the province of Camarines Sur. The population is about Four Thousand Five Hundred (4,500). Main source of income is farming. Seventy percent (70%) of the total population gets their means form farming, while twenty percent (20%) from fishing, and only ten percent (10%) from hog raising.

The Project started in this village in 1994 through a simple feeding program and was able to set up a small cooperative for women. In 1996, a Day Care Program started. Since 1996 almost two hundred forty (240) poor children were provided free education by the Day Care Project.

For this school year, there are Fifty-Three (53) pupils for Kinder 1 and Kinder 2.

2. San Ramon – The village of San Ramon has a population of five thousand (5000). It is one of the four biggest villages of the town of Bula. Ninety percent (90%) of the total population main source of income is farming and ten percent (10%) is net fishing.

The project started in San Ramon in 1991. The services offered then were feeding, sponsorship and livelihood program through micro lending. It was in 1996 when the Day Care Program started in this village with Kinder I and Kinder II. There were one hundred sixty eight (168) children provided with free education since the program started in this village.

For this school year, there are 19 pupils for Kinder 2

3. San Miguel – The village of San Miguel is also surrounded by an open field. It has a population of one thousand seven hundred thirty (1730). People's main sources of livelihood are farming, duck raising and fishing. The Project in San Miguel started in 1995 through the Family Planning Program. In 1996, the Day Care Program started in this community. Since 1996, there were approximately 165 children provided with free education through this Sponsorship Program.

For this school year, there are 40 pupils for Kindergarten.

San Miguel is one of the typhoon prone area and one of the depressed areas in the town of Bula. Almost every year, the Day Care Center is always affected by floods and heavy rains.

# **BOARD MEMBERS AND OFFICERS**

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## Feeding Hungry Children

### Governing Board

### Term of Office

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1 Year

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1 Year

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1 Year

### Board Meetings

Dates \_\_\_\_\_

Time

Places

Jan 9<sup>th</sup> 2010

7:00 P.M.

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