

# JOURNEY

#### CHCA MISSIONS UPDATE



March 2018

#### **PARTNERSHIP**

Ecclesiastes 4:9, "Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their toil."

GO...that was the word we heard over five years ago! But my original call came the summer of 2003 - God told me clear - "it is not all about me, they (the children in Barahona) are crying out to be set free". When God calls us ...there is always a time of preparation. Ten years was my personal preparation period before the big move to Dominican Republic in March 2013. Five years ago, I truly didn't comprehend "the call" on my family's life. - it seemed simple enough...GO, and that is exactly what we did. Not having all the answers, or all the plans in place...but one thing we had was GREAT FAITH.





2013

2018

Deuteronomy 31: 6

Be strong and courageous; don't be terrified or afraid...For it is the Lord your God who goes with you; He will not leave you nor forsake.

Over the years this scripture has been a great source of encouragement...when I didn't feel strong or courageous but afraid and extremely anxious about the vision that was handed to me. The greatest of this calling is what keeps me humble — I am constantly reminded that it is not my abilities, skills or wisdom that is accomplishing the work in Barahona at Eden Christian Centre; however, it is all the grace and help from the Lord Jesus Christ and our <u>partners</u> who have faithfully prayed, sowed and worked alongside us these past years. No one person can get the glory for ALL the successes we have experienced; it is the collaboration of so many individuals, and of course the <u>goodness</u> and <u>faithfulness</u> of our Lord Jesus Christ.







2017

When our program started over 15 years ago, we were only able to facilitate children with one meal a day and spiritual teaching; however, we have grown so much that we now have a staff of 9 individuals locally. Many families in Barahona believe that children should be working to help with the day-to-day responsibilities that inevitably continue the cycle of poverty- financially, emotionally and spiritually. Christian Hope Community Association (CHCA) has been and continues to advocate for the children of this community to receive an education and take advantage of opportunities that weren't afforded to their parents. To-date, there are now 56 students enrolled. Through the prayers, and financial support of sponsors and donors, and the dedication of CHCA's passionate staff, this community has come to see the tangible difference in the lives of the children who were previously enrolled in ECC school; kids who could not read or write have gone on to pursue Secondary schooling, something that is a rarity in Barahona.



2018

As a ministry that is continuing to grow and expand (projected new classroom for 14 students opening September 2018, construction of two more classroom, a computer lab and a library projected for fall 2019), I am overjoyed to present you with the opportunity to become a monthly sponsor of one of our classrooms at Eden Christian Centre. Together we will be doing our part to break the cycle of poverty through the love of Jesus Christ and a quality education.

#### Proverbs 19:17

Whoever is kind to the poor lends to the LORD, and He will reward them for what they have done.

#### Option 1:

\$30/monthly \$360/yearly

# Option 2:

\$100/monthly \$1200/yearly

# Option 3:

\$300/monthly \$3600/yearly

## Option 4:

\$600/monthly \$7200/yearly

## Option 5:

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\$\_\_\_\_\_ other monthly amount

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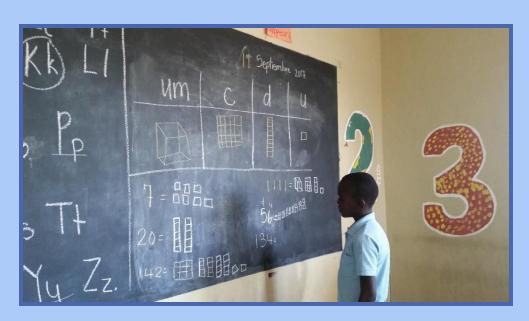
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On behalf of our team, students and the communities that we serve in Barahona, we again thank you for choosing to partner with us. Together we are equipping students with the two most important weapons: <u>The Word of God and a quality education</u>.

Sincerely,



Kenisha Taylor-Paradys An Ambassador of the Kingdom of God



EVERY CHILD DESERVE ACCESS TO THE GOSPEL AND A QUALITY EDUCATION.