

# IMPACT REPORT

2023

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# A YEAR-END REVIEW

**Dear Friend of BHM,**

We believe that Haiti is being transformed through the power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. And we're so grateful for the generosity of people like you who walk alongside us to impact thousands of people in Haiti for Christ.


**Let's take a look back at what your support has done in 2023. You've helped us to:**

- Educate over 28,000 children, providing them with a nurturing and supportive learning environment.
- Send over 1,000 Bibles to Haiti, supporting new believers, pastors, and hospital patients in their spiritual journey.
- Serve over 11,000 meals to hungry children, ensuring a holistic approach to education.

These are only a few highlights of all the impacts included in this report.

We appreciate your ongoing support of us and the Haitian community. Thank you for partnering with us to change lives, and we look forward to expanding our work with you in 2024!

**We are eternally grateful,**



Jeremy Griswold  
*Executive Director, USA*

# HEALTH

*Four ways God has been working at the Fermathe Hospital*

## 1

### **New Equipment for Laboratory and Emergency Room**

We made significant strides in upgrading hospital equipment and enhancing the quality of healthcare services. Key achievements include adding a dedicated room for minor surgeries to ensure more efficient and focused care. The laboratory's capabilities have been bolstered by the acquisition of two lab machines, allowing for a broader range of analyses. Additionally, five donated monitors were added in the Emergency Room, further modernizing our facilities.

## 2

### **Births and Surgeries Performed Amid Turmoil**

In a year marked by challenges and resilience, our hospital has successfully performed 241 surgeries, including 114 C-sections, 26 gynecological surgeries, 4 urology, 4 orthopedics, and 93 general surgeries. We've also welcomed new life with 357 births. Our commitment to accessible healthcare is further reflected in the 7,398 outpatient visits we've managed, a testament to our dedicated medical team's efforts in providing continuous care to the community.

## 3

### **Hospital Regains Self-Sustainability**

The BHM Hospital has experienced periods of self-sustainability, but recent challenges, particularly the soaring inflation rates, strained the hospital's operations. However, in 2023, the hospital stabilized, overcoming these hurdles to regain its self-sustainable status, reflecting the resilience and adaptability of the hospital in navigating through economic fluctuations.

## 4

### **Solar & Power Grid Project Started, 54% Funded**

Our goal is to significantly reduce our reliance on diesel fuel, ensuring a more reliable energy supply for the hospital. This pivotal initiative for sustainable energy use has reached an encouraging milestone with 54% of the required funding already secured. The initial planning phase is complete, and work to upgrade the power grid will begin in early 2024.

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# EDUCATION

*The many ways God has been working through the BHM Schools*

## 28,684

### Children Received Education from a BHM School

By the end of the 22/23 school year, we had the privilege of educating 28,208 children. This number saw a further increase to 28,684 by December 2023. These figures not only represent our growing reach but also our commitment to providing quality education to the youth of Haiti. Each student represents a future filled with potential and opportunity, and we are honored to play a part in their educational journey.

## 450

### Teachers Trained through Local Trainings

A cornerstone of our educational impact is the training of teachers, who are instrumental in shaping the minds of our students. In the past year, we have successfully trained 450 teachers. This training ensures that our educators are equipped with the latest teaching methodologies, skills, and knowledge to provide the best possible learning experience to our students.

## 3

### More Schools Fully Sponsored for 2024

These sponsorships are crucial as they provide these schools with the necessary resources to operate effectively and offer quality education. The support covers various needs, from infrastructure to learning materials, ensuring that students have a conducive learning environment. This milestone is a testament to the generosity of our donors and the collective effort to enhance education in Haiti.

## 11,463

### Meals Served to Hungry Children

Nutrition plays a vital role in a child's ability to learn and thrive. In our commitment to holistic education, we have served a total of 11,463 meals to our students. These meals ensure that children are not only educated but also nourished, addressing a fundamental need that allows them to focus on their studies. Providing meals is an essential part of our mission to create a nurturing and supportive educational environment.

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# FAITH

*Four ways God has been working through the local churches*

## 1

### **1,066 Bibles will be sent to Haiti after Giving Tuesday Campaign**

Our Giving Tuesday campaign was a resounding success, exceeding our goal of raising over \$10,000. This achievement means we are sending over 1,000 Bibles to Haiti. These Bibles will serve as vital resources for new believers, pastors, and hospital patients, offering guidance, comfort, and hope in the midst of hopelessness. We are deeply grateful to our BHM family for making this possible.

## 2

### **Mare-Rouge Church Commissions New Building to Expand Gospel**



## 3

### **42 People Profess Christ at Church Harvest Festival**

During the FERMATHE Baptist Church Annual Harvest Celebration, 42 individuals professed their faith in Christ. This event, marked by joy and gratitude, highlights the church's impactful outreach and evangelism efforts. The celebration, including water baptisms and the ordination of four new pastors, reflects the vibrant faith and growing spiritual community in FERMATHE. We praise God for His grace and the new souls welcomed into His kingdom.

## 4

### **Pastors Ordained to the Ministry and Serve Churches**

Multiple BHM pastors were ordained for ministry this year. They serve in the districts of Qui Croit Bongard, Williamson, and FERMATHE. Each pastor plays a pivotal role in the community, teaching about the life, death, and resurrection of Christ—and how his work upon the Cross helps to give hope in the midst of trouble. Please continue to pray for sustaining grace for these faithful pastors.

**[HELP PASTORS GET TRAINED](#)**

# We thank you for your ongoing support

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