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Project Offering 2007



2007 Projects —Contributions received will fund the projects listed. The overflow offering will go to the *Train Them Now* initiative.

(Pictured: a little boy at Eden Garden Orphanage in Haiti)

ADVENT HOME YOUTH SERVICES INC.

\$75,000.00

This residential care program for boys ages 12-16 with ADHD, learning or behavior problems, needs improved staff housing. Funding will help to build homes for families who live and work at AH to encourage longer tenure and thus a more significant contribution to the program.

ADVENTIST SOUTHEAST ASIA PROJECTS

\$40,000.00

The youth evangelism training program in Vietnam, Thailand, Laos and Cambodia will be expanded. An additional 150 Vietnamese college-age students will be trained; and 1.19 acres of land will be purchased in Vietnam for a training site.

ADVENTIST SOUTHEAST ASIA PROJECTS

\$10,000.00

Cambodian literacy schools teach children and women at risk of being sold into the slave trade how to read, write and know Jesus. Within the slums in Phnom Penh a meal program will be implemented—fifty students attending the literacy school will receive one hot meal a day. Additional Feed & Read projects will be incorporated into the literacy schools in other areas.

CHINESE MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

\$20,000.00

The New Horizon Training Institute in China is the only Adventist training institute in 50 years for national Bible workers. A workshop/food industry building will be constructed and a healthy food program developed for hands-on training. Students can use the program at their mission sites.

COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS AND CIVIL LIBERTY

(Haiti Mission Outreach)

\$25,000.00

Haiti is very poor, with unschooled youth and an 80% unemployment rate. A need exists for truck and auto repair, machine work, electrical and electronic services and refrigeration. The G. R. Institute will offer a certificate in a trade and will teach Christian outreach. A certified journeyman will have no problem securing a good-paying job.

DAYSTAR ADVENTIST ACADEMY

\$25,000.00

A new boys' dormitory will help to meet the needs of a growing school—prospective students have been turned away because of a lack of space. The new cafeteria and girls' dormitory have already produced positive results with increased applications and enrollment.

E. A. SUTHERLAND EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION (EASEA)

\$10,000.00

EASEA is an accrediting agency and umbrella organization for self-supporting schools. Funding will be used to hire a person to develop a marketing program to produce added resources for improvement, high standards and quality education among member schools.

EDEN GARDEN ORPHANAGE

\$50,000.00

The second story of the girls' dormitory will be completed with the

funding received from the project offering this year. Expansion of will also be continued as funds allow.

FANANTENANA**\$8,000.00**

The project is entitled Books for All. Books will be printed for health evangelism campaigns in the cities of Madagascar and in the Indian Ocean islands.

FRONTLINE BUILDERS**\$10,000.00**

Frontline Builders works along side the church in remote regions of Central Africa. A headquarters office is needed—for planning, repair of equipment and gathering supplies. It will also serve as an outreach center where agriculture and evangelism training will take place for men and women who will go to unentered territories as missionaries.

GENERAL YOUTH CONFERENCE (GYC)**\$25,000.00****GOD'S HELPING HANDS, INC.****\$10,000.00**

Funding will help to build a medical and dental clinic in Northern Guatemala to provide free health care for the impoverished people. Space will be provided for a meeting room for health classes and evangelistic meetings.

GOSPEL OUTREACH - Canada**\$20,000.00**

The Gospel Outreach Canada sponsorship of 10 Bible workers in Nepal will accomplish a great harvest. In 2006, 190,000 Adventists were baptized in India—in excess of 100,000 of these baptisms were due to the efforts of US and Canada-sponsored Gospel Outreach Bible workers.

GOSPEL OUTREACH - China**\$42,500.00**

The grant will help to provide nearly one-half of the required funding to place the Conflict Series of books along with *Christ's Object Lessons* in every public library in China. The books have good illustrations and attractive binding. It is felt they will be readily received and used.

GOSPEL OUTREACH - Islam**\$32,500.00**

This gift will supply workers for a previously unentered nation in Sudan. A clan of Sabbath-keeping people has been raised. Funding will provide workers to mentor, disciple and help these interested people. No other work by our church exists in this nation at this time.

HEALTH MINISTRIES PROGRAM AT BOGENHOFEN**\$30,000.00**

In September, 2007, Bogenhofen, an Adventist senior college in Austria, will begin to offer a two and a half year health ministries program together with a degree in Medical Massage Therapy. A new extension to the cafeteria will accommodate classrooms and a therapy center.

HEART 'N HOME SEMINARS**\$7,000.00**

Funding will cover training and educational seminars offered in Third World countries for women's ministry and family life. Groups which demonstrate a strong commitment to the mission of the church will be the recipients of these programs. Young people and families all over the world have been blessed by the sharing of the gospel in this way.

HERITAGE ACADEMY**\$19,000.00**

To help meet the demand for Adventist television programming video production is being included in the curriculum. Needed equipment will be purchased to film, produce and edit a variety of programs for various television networks such as 3ABN and HOPE. On-location projects will capture young people in action for God.

IN HIS SERVICE AMIANAN INC.**\$25,000.00**

Focus is on the Amianan, northern province of Luzon in the Philippines. In order to prepare local people for mission work a school is being constructed on the mission campus in Ilocos Norte which already includes a church and a pavilion used for dorm, children's activities, and seminars. Training will begin this summer in the present pavilion.

FAMILY DEVELOPMENT

INTERNATIONAL**\$20,000.00**

Laymen in Africa are enthusiastic about soul winning, but they often lack training. This program will enable Kibidula Training Center to expand lay evangelism instruction in Tanzania as well as to provide the education for four new countries in the East Central Africa Division.

LAURELBROOK SANITARIUM AND SCHOOL INC.**\$25,000.00**

Laurelbrook is the oldest of the self-supporting academies, founded in 1950. The school building will be upgraded to meet current student needs and educational requirements. Former students are serving the Lord all over the world because of the Christian training received here.

LIFESTYLE TV (SWEDEN)**\$10,000.00**

The Gospel has been broadcast via satellite to 5,000,000 viewers across secular Scandinavia for more than a year. Increased production is needed. A make-shift studio in a dining room is serving as a studio—what is needed is a real studio. The grant this year will help make it happen.

MIRACLE MEADOWS SCHOOL**\$10,000.00**

The administration/school building will be enlarged with a 4,800 square foot major expansion to provide more classrooms, office space and an open reception area. MMS has grown—this expansion will help to better serve the youth and their families.

MISSIONARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (MAP)**\$60,000**

MAP helps provide modest financial support to those who have left the comforts of home to serve abroad. It also provides financial assistance for those visiting home on furlough—for some it would be impossible to come home to see family and friends without this help.

MOLDOVA HEALTH AND PREVENTIVE MEDICINE CENTER**\$20,000.00**

Funding will aid in the construction of an evolving health center and health ministry in Moldova Republic. Three former communist youth summer camp buildings will form the Sanitarium complex—one a kitchen, dining room and medical treatment rooms; one for patient housing; the third, staff living quarters.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE PREVENTION OF STARVATION**\$25,000.00**

Many have been baptized in Angola as a result of evangelism, and two churches are urgently needed. The churches to be built will give a sense of belonging to the members. Learning to know Christ brings people from abject poverty and ignorance to live more decent lives.

NIGERIA DESTITUTES PROGRAM**\$25,000.00**

This project includes building homes for the widows, orphans and homeless in Nigeria where the need is so great—doing something in the name of Christ which they cannot do for themselves. This is evangelism in reality and evangelism in action.

OCI LATIN AMERICA**\$20,000.00**

Funds will be used for Health Expo materials and equipment to establish an ongoing ministry with the Conferences and local churches in Colombia; and to support a full-time Bible worker for two years to follow up evangelism connected to the Health Expos. The hope is to make this a permanent program.

OKLAHOMA ACADEMY**\$50,000.00**

Oklahoma Academy celebrated its twenty-fifth year of operation last year. As the years have passed some of the trailers used for housing have deteriorated and need to be replaced. The grant will be used toward the building of a duplex to help supply much needed staff housing.

OUACHITA HILLS ACADEMY**\$25,000.00**

Ouachita Hills Academy and College is equipping its new auditorium with audio and video recording capabilities. This will facilitate the recording and streaming of quality, Christ-centered content already being produced and will also provide training for young people interested in a new two-year program being offered by the College in media production.

PEOPLE OF PERU PROJECT**\$25,000.00**

The crisis center for abused and abandoned girls has already impacted the lives of many children. A dormitory facility with increased capacity will be built for these girls. The goal is to give the girls a safe, clean, Christian home where they can learn about Jesus.

PERU PROJECTS INC.**\$5,000.00**

The Amazon Lay-Missionary Training School will provide two 3-week training sessions per year for Bible workers along the Ucayali and Amazon rivers. New church leaders will receive the necessary training to guide their new church congregation once the Bible worker moves on.

PROJECT PATCH**\$10,000.00**

Funds received will help to provide electrical power to a remote location outside Goldendale, Washington—500 acres gifted to PATCH—so it can be developed. A program will be designed to offer therapy for families in crisis. The facility will also be available for programs for gifted and talented children.

RADIO 74 INTERNATIONALE**\$10,000.00**

Volunteers for this lay-operated radio ministry work in cramped quarters—less than 800 square feet. A studio building will be built which can also house key volunteer staff. Industrial land is also to be purchased for FM, microwave and transmission antennas.

RIVERSIDE FARM INSTITUTE**\$50,000.00**

This grant will help to build a classroom and renovate the inadequate dormitory for male students at Riverside. Evangelistic materials for Bible workers will be provided; and a structure will be remodeled for use as a gym by the Lifestyle Center.

SPRINGS OF LIFE FOUNDATION**(Poland)****\$10,000.00**

NEWSTART has been very effective here. A new project is to set up a network of health clubs as an "entering wedge" where sharing the Gospel is difficult. Funding will provide advertising materials and the development of health presentations to equip lay people to share the health message.

THREE ANGELS' BROADCASTING NETWORK**\$150,000.00**

A current challenge for 3ABN is inadequate operating space—it has outgrown the physical capacity of the Call Center, seriously taxing the capability to meet viewers' needs of services. Funding will provide help to add 13,000 square feet of operating space.

WEIMAR INSTITUTE**\$25,000.00**

The campus chapel project will include a new front lockable entrance and exterior paint. The platform will be enlarged. An HVAC system and audiovisual system will be installed along with new windows, carpet and seating. New blinds and fresh paint will modernize the interior.

YOUR STORY HOUR (Chas tvoeogorasskaze on Russian Radio)**\$20,000.00**

An entire network of 30 stations located in key Russian markets will air Your Story Hour in an excellent Saturday morning time slot—with a potential audience of 25 million people. The funds will allow the programs to be modified to the requested 25 minutes, making programming available for 18 months.

YOUTH FOR JESUS**\$190,000.00**

The youth evangelism program began in Louisville in early spring with the arrival of Bible workers whose purpose was discovering Bible study interests. Your offerings will support this exciting ongoing youth program which culminates in evangelistic meetings at several sites in convention host cities just prior to each year's convention.

OVERFLOW OFFERING**DVD EVANGELISM — Train Them Now****Initiative**

Train Them Now is a joint effort of the General Conference and ASI to utilize lay members to train and equip other lay members to conduct evangelistic meetings using the multiple translations of the New Beginnings



DVD with contextualized pictures.

Among the projects – top, campus of the school for Chinese Ministries International; bottom row from left, the extension to the cafeteria for Bogenhofen's health program; youth evangelism in Southeast Asia; training will take place here for students in Haiti learning a trade.

The convention program will contain a colorful array of pictures depicting all of this year's projects!

