



2025 IMPACT REPORT

RESTORE FAMILY, RESTORE HOPE

“CONSIDER IT PURE JOY, MY BROTHERS AND SISTERS, WHENEVER YOU FACE TRIALS OF MANY KINDS, BECAUSE YOU KNOW THAT THE TESTING OF YOUR FAITH PRODUCES PERSEVERANCE. LET PERSEVERANCE FINISH ITS WORK SO THAT YOU MAY BE MATURE AND COMPLETE, NOT LACKING ANYTHING.” JAMES 1:2-4

VISION: A HAITI WHERE EVERY CHILD THRIVES IN A SAFE AND LOVING FAMILY, AS GOD INTENDED.

MISSION: REUNITING CHILDREN LIVING IN HAITIAN ORPHANAGES WITH THEIR LOVING FAMILIES AND PROVIDING SUPPORT TO EMPOWER THEM TO STAY TOGETHER.

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As you read this year's annual report, please know that as an organization we strive for best practices of protecting the stories of the children and families we serve. We want to share these stories with you in detail; however, we change the names in order to protect their privacy.

A LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Dear Friends and Faithful Supporters,

As I reflect on 2025, my heart is full. Full of gratitude, full of hope, and full of awe at what God has done through your partnership with Child Hope International. This has been a year marked by both tremendous progress and profound challenges, and through it all, your prayers, generosity and perseverance have made a real, lasting difference in the lives of families in Haiti.

The Ongoing Challenges of Serving in Haiti

This year has again reminded me how challenging—and essential—this work truly is. Haiti continues to face widespread instability, economic hardship, security concerns, and disruptions to everyday life. These realities make it extremely difficult for families to provide for themselves and for ministries like ours to operate smoothly. **“Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.”**

Yet, even in the midst of these trials, our resolve has only strengthened. We see every day how vital our presence is and how deeply families value the support made possible through your partnership.

A Deep and Heartfelt Thank You

To our donors, prayer partners, and advocates: thank you!

Your faithfulness is not taken for granted. Whether you gave financially, shared our mission with others, or prayed diligently for Haiti and for our team, you have been a lifeline. Your support has kept children in school, placed food on tables, provided medical hope, and strengthened families from the inside out.

We are incredibly grateful for the love and trust you extend to this ministry.

Looking Forward to 2026: Growing the Mission

As we plan for the coming year, we feel God leading us to continue our efforts towards training families within Haitian churches. In 2026, we hope to partner with local churches to launch and grow the *Families Count* program. Haiti’s vulnerable families need strong, faith-centered support systems that this program offers. By working directly with churches, we can identify families and empower them in faith, unity and reconciliation and encourage transformation from within their faith community.

To reach this goal, we will need increased financial support, committed prayer covering, and more churches - both in Haiti and the US - willing to stand in the gap for family reunification work. We invite you to join us as we take this step of faith.

Standing Together in Hope

As we celebrate all that God has done in 2025, we also look forward with expectation. The needs are great, but the potential for impact is even greater. With your continued support, 2026 can be a year of incredible growth, restoration, and hope for families across Haiti.

Thank you for walking with us, believing with us, and praying with us. May God bless you richly in the year ahead.

With gratitude and hope,

Spencer Reeves
Executive Director



EMPOWERING REUNIFIED FAMILIES

SUPPORTING FAMILIES AFTER REUNIFICATION

Thanks to your support, by 2022 we transitioned every child from our orphanage into the care of a safe, loving family. Today, these children are growing up with a sense of belonging that was missing before.

And your generosity continues to make a difference, providing the long-term support families need to stay together and thrive.

In 2025, because of you:

- 13 families received ongoing support, including medical, pastoral, educational, mental health, and social work services.
- 11,260 meals were provided to hungry families.
- 30 students attended school, from preschool to trade school.
- 4 students passed national exams and **graduated from high school!**

A Story of Family Support

This year, two sisters achieved milestones that once felt out of reach for their family. Joselinne made history in her family as the first to graduate from high school. Her younger sister, Wideline, also passed the official 9th grade exams.

For their mother, the moment carries deep meaning. Unable to read or write herself, she shared that Joselinne's graduation is a blessing and a source of pride for the entire family. Witnessing her children pursue opportunities she never had has reshaped what feels possible for her family.

For Joselinne, finishing high school is more than a personal achievement. It is a sign to her siblings that perseverance, support, and opportunity can open doors to a different future.



EQUIPPING ORPHANAGES & SOCIAL WORKERS TO PRIORITIZE FAMILIES

GUIDING ORPHANAGES TOWARD FAMILY-BASED SOLUTIONS

Drawing from our firsthand experience in family reunification, Child Hope International continued to provide practical, culturally grounded coaching to orphanages and social workers seeking to prioritize family-based care.

As we sharpened our focus on direct family preservation, our coaching services shifted from 25% of our budget in 2024 to 15% this year. Despite budget allocation changes, we have remained invested in Haiti's broader child protection network.

This year, your support enabled CHI to:

- Present during three Family Reunification training seminars in collaboration with the Haiti Family Care Network.
- Speak at the CAFO Summit on our Families Count program, equipping organizations considering a shift away from institutional care.



*Sustained Commitment
Amid Ongoing Instability*

In 2024, our Family Reunification and Child Protection workshops were held in person. In 2025, ongoing insecurity required a shift in approach. Through online collaboration with the Haiti Family Care Network, we were still able to reach social workers and child welfare professionals across the country.

Even in a challenging environment, leaders are seeking better solutions for children. The continued demand for training and consultation reflects a growing recognition that children belong in families whenever safely possible.



BRINGING THE CHURCH TO FAMILIES

REBUILDING FAMILIES WITH SPIRITUAL STRENGTH

Family restoration is about more than physical reunification. It is about spiritual renewal as well. This year, you helped bring the local church into homes across Haiti through consistent pastoral care, Bible-centered programs for children, and the launch of the *Families Count* pilot program.

Families Count is a Christ-centered, church-led parenting course designed to help families heal, grow, and prepare for reunification. Originally created for the U.S. foster care system by **Lifeline Children's Services**, we received permission to translate it into Haitian Creole and thoughtfully adapt it for the Haitian orphan care crisis.

Through *Families Count*, churches are equipped to walk alongside parents who desire to bring their children home, providing both biblical guidance and practical tools for parenting.

In 2025, because of you:

- Our staff pastor contacted every participating family weekly to lead devotions, pray, and offer spiritual encouragement.
- 11 children participated in a Bible memorization competition, celebrating God's Word together.
- 34 parents completed the 6-day *Families Count* training course. This year marked a significant milestone as parents not only expressed interest but completed the full course together.



The Church at the
Center of Family
Restoration

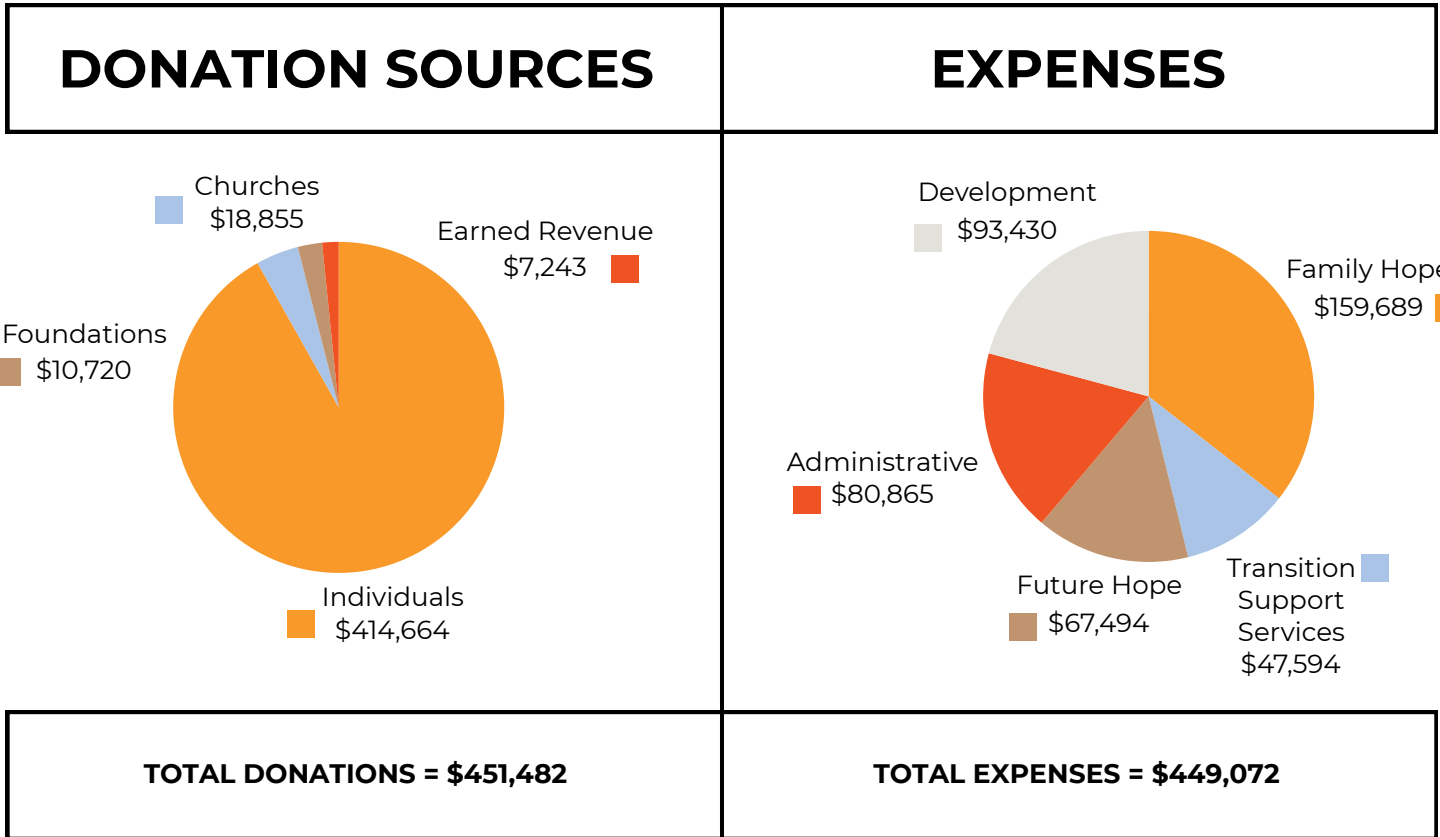
This year marked a major milestone as 34 parents completed the first *Families Count* training in Haiti after more than a year of prayer, translation, and preparation. The week was deeply participatory, with parents engaging Scripture, sharing openly, and expressing a desire to strengthen their families alongside local pastors. However, a lack of government oversight and trusted church relationships posed unexpected challenges that would limit the long-term effectiveness of the program.

In response, we shifted our focus to a community in the South where our staff have established relationships with churches, the government, and other family-focused organizations. This allows for closer follow-up and stronger collaboration.

The pilot reminded us that family restoration requires more than a curriculum. It requires trust, proximity, and consistent partnership with the local church and government in reunification work.

The launch of this program has been both fruitful and refining. Each step, even the unexpected ones, is helping us build a stronger foundation for lasting family restoration.

2025 FINANCIALS



Balance: \$2,410

In 2025, we closed the year with a modest budget surplus of \$2,410. This reflects careful stewardship, disciplined planning, and the faithfulness of donors who continued to give despite a year of economic uncertainty. While needs in the country remain significant, this surplus strengthens our ability to respond with wisdom and flexibility.

We remain realistic about the challenges ahead. Volatility in Haiti continues, and families still face rising costs and limited access to basic resources. In response, we are focused on thoughtful, strategic strengthening that prioritizes family preservation and long-term impact through programs like *Families Count*.

Please continue to pray for Child Hope International and for the partners who make this work possible. Monthly and major gifts remain essential to sustaining and expanding this work. Your generosity allows us to walk faithfully alongside Haitian families, today and into the future. Thank you for standing with us.



GET INVOLVED

Would you prayerfully consider partnering with us in one or more of the following ways?

- Pray for Haiti daily. Pray for children & families, our staff, the political situation, and God’s Spirit to move among the local church to stir a revival. Text PRAY to (805) 265-4288 to get a monthly reminder to pray!
- Introduce friends, family, and your church to the work of CHI. For more info, visit www.childhope.org/ambassadors
- Increase your monthly or annual support. Call our office for assistance (805) 845-1946.
- Include Child Hope International in your tax planning, estate planning, and donor advised gifts.

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