



HEALING HANDS
INTERNATIONAL
2022 ANNUAL REPORT



Grateful

Grateful is the word that comes to mind when I look back over the last 12 months. As a staff, we begin each year by setting bold goals, and I am constantly amazed by the way God shows up and shows out! You are an integral part of this incredible work. You continue to give selflessly so that others can experience God's healing grace, and it is beautiful to witness.

As you will quickly see in the following pages, 2022 was another record-breaking year. More people than ever before gained access to life-saving clean water. A record number of men, women and children were empowered with the skills to put healthy food on the table. Thousands of mothers earned the capital needed to send their children to school. And more joy was experienced by children this Christmas season.

We pray this report encourages and inspires you as we continue to partner together in this Kingdom work!

Humbled & Grateful!



Art Woods
President, HHI





Our Mission

To aid, equip, and empower those in need around the world in the name of Jesus Christ so they might experience God's healing grace.



30
Countries Reached



170
Wells Drilled



171
Wells Repaired



11,000+

Individuals trained in Hunger to Harvest



26,000

Magi Boxes Distributed



2,000+

Women Trained in Business



\$900,000+

Raised by 55 Walk4Water Events



4,600+

Walk4Water Walkers



4,000+

Volunteer Hours



16,000+

Dorcas Items Received



Countries Served

- Albania
- Austria
- Belarus
- Benin
- Burundi
- Croatia
- Dominican Republic
- Ethiopia
- Ghana
- Haiti
- Honduras
- India
- Ivory Coast
- Kenya
- Madagascar
- Malawi
- Mexico
- Moldova
- Nicaragua
- Nigeria
- Paraguay
- Philippines
- Poland
- Romania
- Uganda
- Ukraine
- United States
- Tanzania
- Zambia
- Zimbabwe







Clean Water

One of the essential components of good health is clean water. Water for drinking, washing hands, and cleaning is crucial. Nevertheless, the community of Dikpung in Ghana found itself, like many in the region, struggling to get the water it needed for basic life.

But now, the people of Dikpung have close access to clean water! With clean water, children are able to go to school. Women are empowered to raise healthier families.

As part of installing a new water well, each community receives training on well management and maintenance. These components ensure the wells will serve the community for a long time!

Now, women are empowered to serve in their communities by participating on their local water committee. These individuals are selected by the community, and they are tasked with keeping the area around the well clean, encouraging fellow community members to practice basic hygiene, and overseeing any needed well maintenance. Praise God for safe drinking water!

Hunger to Harvest

Doreen is a 25-year-old mother of three living just outside of Arua City in Uganda. Like most mothers living in developing countries, her first priority is finding the money to feed her children and send them to school. Her husband has another family, which means she feels very alone at times in trying to care for them.

However, hope is on the horizon. Doreen recently attended a Hunger to Harvest training in her community, and she has learned how to raise vegetables in a strategic manner. By utilizing drip irrigation, raised beds, and composting, she has transformed the success of her garden. Through the farming co-op, Doreen is able to save money from what she sells, and this money has allowed her to pay school fees and put food on the table. She is a part of a thriving community in which the members grow together and live as one in love!





Ukraine Conflict Response

Ukraine:

- 12,000 family buckets with essential items.
- A full container was sent filled with wool blankets, generators, sleeping bags, wool socks, water filters, feminine hygiene kits, diaper bags, buckets, and hygiene products.
- 1,000 MAGI boxes for displaced children.
- Purchased a large box truck and generator for an orphanage.
- Provided over 400 space heaters.

Romania:

- Partnered with the local church to provide daily food and supplies.
- Provided back to school supplies for 100+ displaced children.
- Funded water, food and blankets for a refugee centers near the border.

Albania:

- Provided coats, clothing, and blankets for 170 orphan children from Ukraine.

Moldova:

- Provided transport and food into a port city in Ukraine.
- Provided food and supplies to refugee centers.

Austria:

- Provided blankets, backpacks, and medicine for refugees.

Poland:

- Renovated the kitchen at the Sopot Church of Christ where they are making over a hundred meals a day for refugees staying on their property.
- School supplies, coats, shoes, and MAGI bags were provided for the refugee children living there.

Croatia:

- Partnered with a local church to house and feed refugees.
- Sponsored counseling services to refugees.





POLAND

UKRAINE

AUSTRIA

CROATIA

ROMANIA

MOLDOVA

ALBANIA

BE A CHANGE-MAKER

Give hope to a hurting world.





HHI is at a unique time in our history. We are blessed to stand on 30 years of integrity and excellence in international development. In the survey stages of our strategic-planning process, we heard time and time again that one of the greatest strengths of HHI is our trustworthiness and experience. For those who have been involved with this ministry since the early days, we have established ourselves as an authority.

As we look toward the next 30 years of this ministry, it is vitally important that we continue to maintain the trust we have worked so hard to build with our faithful donors while also gaining the attention and respect of a new generation. Throughout the survey process, we heard from many people that our logo and visual identity were in need of updating.

The next step in positioning HHI as a premier organization in Christian international development was to update our brand identity. We did not take

this process lightly and spent many months discussing and identifying what the HHI brand should convey. It is important to us that this new brand identity honors and maintains the integrity of our 30-year history while also presenting an updated and professional image for the future. We believe this mark accomplishes all of this.

As we worked with the branding company, they guided us through a process of identifying the “DNA” of HHI. What is most important? What is at our core? Throughout that discussion, we kept coming back to two concepts: **HHI exists to glorify God and to lift up/empower people. We believe this mark represents those two concepts in a clean, concise, and durable way.**

Additionally, our team has launched a new and improved website for you to engage with HHI! We believe this new site allows us to better share with you the incredible Kingdom work that is happening around the world. Check it out at hhi.org.

Women of Hope

Lavanya was an excellent student, but she couldn't afford to finish school. After completing her training at Prasanthi's Sewing Mission, she applied for a loan to start her tailoring business. In India, it is difficult for women to receive a loan, but with a certificate from a vocational school, it is almost guaranteed. "It is my dream to be just like Prasanthi and open a training center, so that I can help other women support their families too."

Lavanya's mother, Lakshmi, is an incredible businesswoman with a vision, but she lacked the funds to start any type of business until she received a small loan from Women of Hope. Now, a few short years later, she is able to expand her store.

Now, each of these women are able to better care for themselves and provide for their households. Additionally, they are each setting aside a portion of their earnings to send Lavanya's sister to school to receive her MBA. Because of the empowerment they have experienced through the Women of Hope program, cycles of poverty are being broken for their family and future generations.







MAGI

This beautiful smile belongs to Ashlyn, an eight-year-old student living in Arua, Uganda. Like so many students living in developing countries, Ashlyn's greatest need is for school supplies and clothing. Because of the MAGI Sponsor a Box program, Ashlyn and her classmates now have everything they need for a successful school year.

This MAGI distribution was led by members of the Arua Church of Christ. By empowering the local church members to shop, pack, and distribute the gifts, they are given the opportunity to demonstrate the love of Jesus to members of their community who are not yet Christians. One father had this to say after seeing the gifts his children were given, "I give thanks to God for having such a kind heart to me. I have truly believed that Jesus loves me, although I am still in darkness. I need to turn to God because of what he has done to my child. Thank you to the Church of Christ and also the MAGI team for not neglecting us."

Whether you packed a box yourself or sponsored a gift like this one in Uganda, your contribution is Making A Godly Impact!



Volunteers

One of the best things about HHI volunteers is their willingness to serve at a moment's notice. Because of the nature of the work we do, needs often arise that are urgent and require lots of hands to complete. Our faithful volunteers never fail to amaze us with their responsiveness.

Two great examples of this occurred this summer. Because of HHI's shipping experience, we had the opportunity to collect and transport 12,000+ emergency supply buckets to Ukrainian refugees throughout Eastern Europe. Churches, schools and businesses quickly responded and the

buckets came flooding in. But each bucket had to be loaded onto containers...individually. As you can imagine, this was labor intensive and sweaty work in June!

Volunteers ranging from age 12 to 80+ showed up over the course of several days and spent hours loading trucks. Not a single complaint was heard, but there were some laughs shared.

Weeks later, one of our partner organizations reached out with a request to partner with us to deliver MAGI gift boxes to refugee children impacted by the Ukraine conflict. Again, we had just a week to get the thousand boxes filled and ready to ship. In just four days, close to 100 volunteers showed up and worked tirelessly to deliver the joy of Christmas to children facing unimaginable circumstances.

That is the power of people who are loved coming together to show love to the world!





Transformational Villages

In the village of Tombolombo, Malawi, hundreds of lives are being transformed. Because of incredible international staff (like Mbweni Chirwa, pictured below), HHI has been able to invest in communities like this over the course of several years to bring about long-term change.

In 2019, HHI drilled a well in this community. Easy access to safe drinking water has opened doors for progress. Through Hunger to Harvest training and grants, there are now 700+ farmers involved in a successful co-op and a grain milling facility has been constructed.

Groups of women have formed Village Savings & Loan groups. With additional loan funds from the Women of Hope program, two of these groups have launched successful businesses: a bakery and a chicken co-op. The income from these businesses will allow these women to send their children to school, while also providing seed funding for future businesses.

All of these initiatives are happening around the property of the Tombolombo Church of Christ. This church has become a beacon of hope for the people living in this region. They know that God's people want them to have abundant life and many are coming to Jesus because of this. This is what transformation looks like. Physical needs are met and hearts are surrendered to the Gospel!





Your Impact

When you give to Healing Hands International, your gift serves to lift people up and empower them to lift others.

Thank you for allowing your hearts to be convicted and give to those in need around the world.

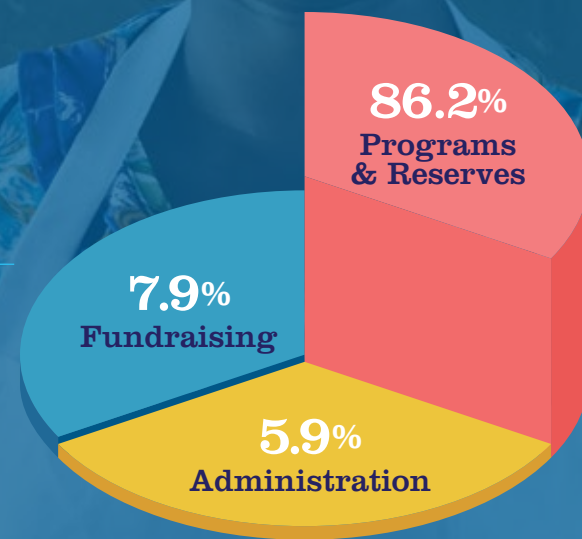
2022 Total Annual Revenue: \$7,497,165

2022 Expenses: \$5,734,844

A significant portion of the 2022 revenue was directed towards relief work in Ukraine. HHI's disaster relief model has always been twofold: to meet immediate needs AND to stick around to help rebuild after many other NGOs have left. This means that much of the revenue for this specific work will be spent over time.

2022 Endowment Revenue: (\$716,667)

Through the leadership of the Board of Directors and because of the incredible generosity of donors who want to ensure the future of this work, HHI established an endowment fund in 2021. The purpose and vision for this fund is that the income from this endowment will eventually cover all necessary overhead expenses, allowing 100% of your donations to be used for the programs you are passionate about! *Due to the current economic climate we are all experiencing, the Endowment has started its investment history with losses, but the strategic objective remains unchanged: long-term growth in order to provide financial support to HHI's operations and mission in perpetuity.*



Change Makers Community

Change Makers are a determined and driven community of monthly donors who are committed to bringing physical and spiritual transformation to communities in need. To families who walk miles for dirty water, it's a well close to home with sparkling clean water. To parents who are putting their children to bed hungry, it's tools and training to grow life-sustaining food. To a widow raising orphans, it's the opportunity to start a business that will provide reliable income. To a preacher in a remote village, it's a MAGI box that begins to develop a relationship between the family and the local church.

When you join the Change Makers community, you can be proud of the fact that you are making a real difference in real lives around the world.

Every dollar makes an impact.
Will you join us today?





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