



## Motorcycles for Mailbox Club Workers in Africa

### The Mailbox Club [Completed Project #705]

When MPF provided **The Mailbox Club** (TMC) with funds for **5 motorcycles** in 2022, they were able to extend their ministry reach so thousands of more children could hear the gospel. Motorcycles continue to be the most **versatile and affordable mode of transportation** in many of Africa's cities, towns, and country sides where roads can be difficult to navigate due to rough terrain and drenching rainy seasons.

A national missionary in an undisclosed area reported that his new motorcycle enables him to avoid the dangerous main roads usually frequented by insurgents, allowing him to use back roads and footpaths. The reports below describe other ways your generous gifts have helped make it easier and safer for TMC missionaries to get **Bible study lessons** to children in five African countries.



#### KENYA

High transportation costs, which have sky-rocketed since COVID, is a challenge for TMC-Kenya. Their new motorcycle is ideal for short deliveries in the city as well as to rural areas. As you can see, they pack as many lessons on this bike as possible!



#### MALAWI

Thanks to the use of this motorcycle, new areas were accessed and several Bible Clubs were started in places where there are no roads.

When Cyclone Freddy hit Malawi in February 2023, it destroyed roads and separated communities, but the bike enabled TMC riders to travel across rivers without any problem!

#### LIBERIA

Most roads outside of cities and airports are made of gravel and are poorly maintained. During rainy season, these become mostly unusable for larger vehicles.

This motorcycle has been an important resource for the distribution of Mailbox Club Bible Study Lessons to the children of Liberia who live in rural areas.



#### ZAMBIA

This new motorcycle is helping the country coordinator reach out to even more boys and girls with Bible lessons by visiting TMC clubs and doing trainings in several villages.

*"Thank you, MPF [donors], for the invaluable part you are playing in reaching children for God's Kingdom in Zambia!"*

*-Zambia Coordinator*



#### TANZANIA

This new motorcycle has become indispensable to TMC workers when they teach in remote villages where cars cannot go, especially during the rainy season!

Workers also travel to schools in the Maasai area where many remote tribes live. Some Maasai children do not attend school, so they visit these villages with the Word of God, teaching children and their parents the importance of education, personal hygiene, good character, and more.

## Theological Institute Benefits From New MacBook

**ACTS Beyond** [Past Project #707 — Dominican Republic]

**Santiago Theological Seminary**, a ministry partner of ACTS Beyond in the DR, provides graduate-level theological and biblical education in Latin America.

Last fall, the seminary began implementing an undergraduate program lead by **Executive Director Pastor Alvaro Rodriguez**. Being the key person responsible for the day-to-day operations of the seminary, Pastor Alvaro handles all letters, accounting reports, virtual meetings, social networks, and more.

**ACTS Beyond** reached out to MPF with the need to replace Pastor Alvaro's ten-year-old laptop which was causing him a lot of technical difficulties. Thanks to your generous donations, MPF was able to provide the director with a **new MacBook Pro!**



*"We see the great provision of God in this donation and we are **immensely grateful** to you for being used by God for this blessing in our work of spreading healthy theological education throughout Latin America."*

*-Pastor Alvaro Rodriguez*

### Important Update on Project #727 for CLC Ministries:

This project was originally for a Keke bookmobile for the town of Bo, Sierra Leone. Due to some changes in personnel and other unforeseen circumstances, these funds will now be designated for the purchase of a **new generator** at the Freetown bookstore.

### **MEET OUR MINISTRY PARTNERS!**

MPF is working with several new ministry partners and we would like to introduce one to you...



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Founded in 1990 by Lebanese evangelist, Georges Housney, Horizons is based out of Beirut, Lebanon, and Boulder, Colorado, with over 140 staff and interns who evangelize, disciple, train, and equip Christians to reach out to the Muslim people.

*See flyer insert for our Giving Tuesday Fundraiser **Project #738***



# CURRENT OPEN PROJECTS

Each project is dependent on the financial support and prayers of God's people

**734** In Brazil, where **INTERNATIONAL COOPERATING MINISTRIES** trains national pastors, there is a rapidly growing need for Bible training resources. Many pastoral couples struggle to care for their congregations for lack of necessary tools, especially when it comes to Christian family counseling.

**BRAZIL**  
This project will equip Brazilian pastors to address problems in their own marriages and enable them to teach the material to their congregations. Financial help is needed to print booklets and purchase micro-SD cards loaded with ICM's *Family & Marriage* course. MPF is raising funds for **260 sets (two booklets and one micro-SD card)** at a cost of only \$24 per set. Will you consider sponsoring one or more sets to support pastors in Brazil?

**PROJECT COST:**  
**\$6,240**



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**735** **RISHAMA INTERNATIONAL** recently purchased 125 acres of farmland for the *Rishama Faith and Hope Christian Academy* with plans to raise crops for the school's 400 students and 27 staff members, greatly reducing their food expenses!

**NIGERIA**  
They also purchased a **Solis Tractor** offered to them for a reasonable price. Rishama paid over 85 percent of the purchase price but needs help paying off the balance. MPF is raising funds to pay that balance as well as to purchase attachments for the new tractor. This project will benefit the students and the surrounding community as the school shares the love of Jesus by helping their neighbors with their farming needs, also.

**Equipment Needed:**

Remaining Tractor Cost \$3,788; Plow \$866; Harrow \$866; Tractor Bucket \$1,082

**PROJECT COST:**  
**\$6,602**



**736** **AVANT MINISTRIES** glorifies God by helping others to enjoy His presence through the planting and developing of new churches in unreached areas of the world. In recent years, they have partnered with the Central American Theological Seminary in Guatemala, also called **SETECA**.

**GUATEMALA**  
For a school this size, large amounts of information are handled in the business office and academic department where it is crucial to have good equipment to continue training the next generation of Christian leaders. SETECA needs **two Dell laptops and two Dell desktop computers** to replace outdated ones and to supply newly hired staff with up-to-date equipment. Would you consider giving a gift to help fund this project?

**PROJECT COST:**  
**\$5,000**



**737** **CHRISTIAN AID MISSION** assists indigenous missionaries in some of the most difficult mission fields in the world, giving priority to unreached people groups. They support nearly 300 ministries in eight regions of the world: *New Tribes Mission of the Philippines (NTM)* is one of these ministries.

**PHILIPPINES**  
To prepare new indigenous missionaries for the field, NTM runs a School of Missions. Unfortunately, transportation to and from this school is often a challenge for students who typically live in remote areas lacking public transportation. A **ministry vehicle** would alleviate this challenge as well as provide students with a way of traveling to outlying villages for ministry outreach as part of their practical training.

**PROJECT COST:**  
**\$13,979**



**738** **SOURCE OF LIGHT MINISTRIES** evangelizes, trains workers, and plants churches worldwide through bible lessons which they print themselves. But in areas where most people are illiterate, SLM organizes house preaching and open-air evangelization. In Togo, twelve pastor/evangelists are preaching the gospel in hospitals, schools, prisons, towns, and villages. These men live quite a distance from one another and using public transportation is cost-prohibitive for them. SLM is asking for a grant to provide these pastors with a **12-passenger van** so they can safely and quickly transport Bible lesson materials into many places!

**TOGO**  
*A generous donor will match dollar-for-dollar any gift given until we reach our goal!*

**Giving Tuesday Project Cost:**  
**\$15,000**



**739** The **ONEWAY MINISTRIES** team in Ghana, West Africa, travels the entirety of the country to share the gospel to unreached people groups, many of whom live in remote areas. Their journeys often take them up to 300 miles away from their headquarters on unpaved roads that are prone to flooding and potholes. Their current truck breaks down frequently and is no longer reliable enough to use in remote regions. A **new pick-up truck** will be a blessing for this hard-working team!

**GHANA**

Join us in raising \$8,000 as part of a matching grant for OneWay Ministries!

**PROJECT COST:**  
**\$8,000**



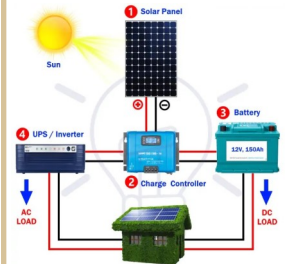
Ghana Ministry Team

**740** **REACHING AFRICA'S UNREACHED (RAU)**, a ministry that works in the West Nile region of Uganda, trains pastors and church leaders at their 26-acre site less than a mile from the South Sudan border. Their mission is to foster healthy growth among churches and their leaders and encourage them to be self-propagating, self-governing, and self-supporting.

**UGANDA**

RAU's Ministry House provides accommodations for missionaries and visiting teaching and medical teams. They recently added a living area for a new missionary family, but the solar power previously installed in the house is less than adequate for their needs and they are "limping along" with the current system. Please help us raise funds for a **solar power upgrade** so they can continue serving the church in Uganda.

**PROJECT COST:**  
**\$12,472**



**741** **INDOPARTNERS AGENCY** works in a region that is frequently hostile to Christianity. Through a digital evangelism system called Guide Online, they create evangelistic articles and videos, posting them on websites, FaceBook, and other social media outlets. They have 30 national staff who are responsible for content creation, promotion, and all communications with interested contacts. This ministry needs **two new laptop computers** for their Guide Online staff so they can continue to share the gospel with millions more people each year!

**SOUTHEAST ASIA**

**Equipment Need:** Lenovo Ideapad Gaming laptop (\$1,320) and HP 14S laptop (\$510)

**PROJECT COST:**  
**\$1,830**



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## 2023 FINISHED PROJECTS

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| <p><b>1) LIVE EAR MINISTRIES</b><br/>#718 Ministry vehicle</p> <p><b>2) MARINE REACH-FAMILY CARE CENTRE</b><br/>#719 Dental x-ray scanner &amp; laptop</p> <p><b>3) MIDDLE EAST MEDIA</b><br/>#720 Animation equipment for TV studio</p> <p><b>4) INDOPARTNERS AGENCY</b><br/>#721 Three laptops</p> <p><b>5) CHRISTIAN MISSION FOR THE DEAF</b><br/>#722 Roofing sheets &amp; structure</p> <p><b>6) EL ALFARERO</b><br/>#723 Food truck</p> | <p><b>7) FIELDS OF ABUNDANCE</b><br/>2022 Giving Tuesday Fundraiser<br/>#724 16-passenger van</p> <p><b>8) AFRICA INLAND MISSION</b><br/>#725 Computers, printers, and batteries</p> <p><b>9) BOLD HOPE</b><br/>#726 Teleconference System</p> <p><b>10) CLC Ministries</b> *See note on pg. 2<br/>#727 Keke Tricycle Bookmobile</p> <p><b>11) Living Hope Global Ministries</b><br/>#728 Dormitory &amp; Community Health Center</p> | <p><b>12) Child Evangelism Fellowship</b><br/>#729 Ministry Car</p> <p><b>13) THUNDERZOLL, INC.</b><br/>#730 Water purification system</p> <p><b>14) UIM Int'l: Rock Nest Ranch Bible Camp</b><br/>#731 25 Dorm mattresses</p> <p><b>15) ANANIAS HOUSE</b><br/>#732 Medical Equipment</p> <p><b>16) SAT-7</b><br/>#733 Full-frame Cinema Camera</p> |
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