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Serving Christ Ministries (SCM) is faith-based evangelical Christian organization providing spiritual and physical nourishment to suffering children, demonstrating God's love for them and improving their quality of life.

Beginning the 3rd School Year: in San Ignacio, Cayo District, Belize

I want to start off with grateful thanks to Randy, Sharon and Jennifer Barnes of Tuttle, OK. Without their tireless efforts to help me none of this would be possible. Thanks to the never-tiring work of Dr. Victor Gongora and his family, along with all the support from people like you, Serving Christ Ministries in San Ignacio, Belize has grown from a start of five (5) school children to nearly thirty (30). Each child receives a full egg breakfast each day before school



for free. At the recent board of directors meeting in August, we have finalized plans to expand operations in the 2013-2014 school year to offer breakfast to up to 60 children per day. We are in the process of approaching each of the three schools currently served and offering to take 20 children from each school. The board also approved working to establish mission trips and organized Vacation Bible School for the children so they can receive breakfast and lunch for a week or two after school is out, late June - early July 2014.



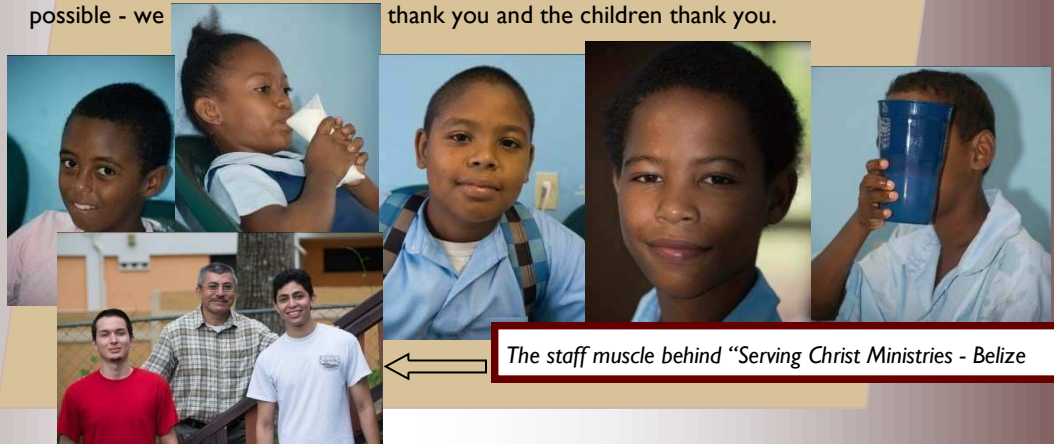
With your donations we were able to get some items to help the children get started in school. Mardel Christian & Education is a very

helpful place for acquiring some Christian supplies to help the children get started. You can see the Crayola Crayons and pencils, erasers, pencil sharpeners etc. Additionally we provided some Christian bookmarks, magnets and W.W.J.D. bracelets for the children as gifts. Each trip we also replenish the supply of NIV Bibles for distribution. They are very grateful and your continued support has made all this possible - we thank you and the children thank you.



"At a Glance"

- USA Corporate filing 2011: (501c3 IRS approved)
- 16 April 2012: Belize project opens, feeding 5 children from 3 schools - San Ignacio
- Belize Corp. est. May 2012
- 23 Oct. 2012: Scholarship program initiated-Ghana
- 13 Dec. 2012: Christmas celebration San Ignacio, now serving 28 children
- 1500 meals year's end 2012
- CY 2013 feeding 28 children/ day from three schools.
 - * St. Andrews
 - * Sacred heart
 - * Faith Nazarene
- Partnership established with (2) Ghana Churches 2013: St. James Church in Osu, Accra & Village Church in Yua, Ghana.
- MOU / partnership with non-profit in Ghana and Sankofa Foundation based in the Netherlands : Sankofa Family Poultry project for women and children;



The staff muscle behind "Serving Christ Ministries - Belize"

“Sankofa Family Poultry” Ghana: November-December 2013



Dr. Anthony Akunzule:

Director of Operations in Ghana

Ghana: Serving Christ Ministries (SCM) and Dr. Anthony Nosh Akunzule have established a multiple partnership with non-profit entities in Ghana and the Netherlands to bring help to children and families in Ghana. SCM is partnering with the following:

- ◆ Ghana Poultry Network (GAPNET)
- ◆ Sankofa Foundation - based in the Netherlands
- ◆ Asutsuare Women’s Development Society



“**Sankofa**” refers to a symbol used by the Akan people of Ghana. It symbolizes one taking from the past what is good and bringing it into the present in order to make positive progress through the benevolent use of knowledge. These Adinkra symbols are used by the Akan people to express proverbs and other philosophical ideas (pictured to the right). In partnership with GAPNET, SCM is working toward a November - December 2013 implementation to provide the Asutsuare community Women’s Development Society resources that will help women increase their family income and provide for their children and others. The beneficiaries of this project provide the feed, drinking and feeding troughs and SCM and GAPNET provide poultry, veterinary drugs, supervision, training and technical assistance etc. to establish the working business. The women then are able to provide eggs/meat to local children and families at a small cost. SCM has already provided funding and coordinated the work which began in July 2013 raising the birds for delivery.

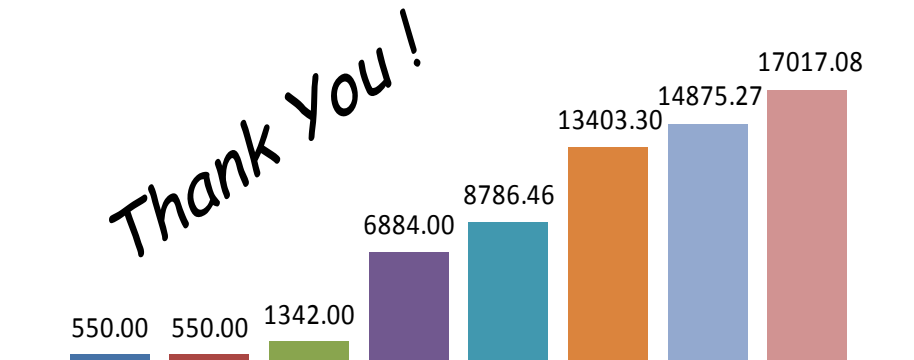


SCM is working with local organizations and local churches in Ghana to help assure each beneficiary of the “Sankofa Family Poultry” project becomes a self-sustaining entity in their village. Partnership with local organizations is essential to any capacity building effort. SCM, St. James Church in Osu, Accra, and the village church in Yua, are establishing such a partnership. SCM is helping these churches meet some of their own physical needs so the church in turn can continue to help others locally. This partnership provides SCM the conduit to be accepted locally thus help children and their families.



SCM-USA Donations CY 2013 to Date

■ Jan ■ Feb ■ March ■ April ■ May ■ June ■ July ■ August



Thank You!

SCM-USA Donation Running Total by Month

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DONATIONS: Keeping overhead low, ensuring maximum funding to projects; cash or checks can be mailed to the PO Box 1195, Tuttle, Oklahoma, 73089. No Board Members receive compensation - only the cook in Belize is paid a salary; all other funds go to direct project activities.

President: John E. Roberts: -

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(Isa 6:8) Also I heard the voice of the Lord saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, "Here am I, send me."