

158%

increase in foster care placements

20+

families graduated from our FPE program



Global Impact Report 2018

FINANCIAL RESULTS OF GENERAL OPERATIONS:

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	2018	2017
Adoption and Counseling	\$ 1,264,125	\$ 1,529,303
Investments and Other Revenue	38,301	39,405
Contributions	1,943,828	1,229,751

TOTAL REVENUE \$ 3,246,254 \$ 2,798,459

EXPENSES

	2018	2017
Adoption Services	\$ 114,101	\$ 128,063
Children's Services	3,167,098	2,655,581
Support and Fundraising	307,070	254,800

TOTAL EXPENSES \$ 3,588,269 \$ 3,038,444

RESULTS OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES SERVED:

FOSTER CARE/DOMESTIC ADOPTION

Foster Care Home Studies	287
Foster Care Placements	248
Domestic Adoptions Finalized	92

FAMILY PRESERVATION AND EMPOWERMENT (FPE)

Families Served	275
Families Graduated and Self-sustaining	20

REFUGEE

PUGNIDO I REFUGEE CAMP, GAMBELLA, ETHIOPIA

335 persons received training on mental health issues
435 persons received training on foster care/child rights

CÚCUTA, COLOMBIA

408 children and 732 adults served at Welcome Center
623 people trained on foster care/child rights

4,527 INDIVIDUALS EMPOWERED THROUGH TRAINING TO CREATE AWARENESS AND DELIVER SERVICES TO VULNERABLE CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Total Lives Impacted: 21,353

Albania • Cambodia • China • Colombia • Ethiopia • Ghana • Haiti • Romania • South Africa • South Korea • Zambia

Note: These statistics reflect the results of the general operations of Bethany Christian Services Global, LLC only. Our audited financial statements include investments and activity from other funds. You may request our audited financial statements by calling (800) BETHANY and asking for the accounting department.



GLOBAL FOSTER CARE

Sophonie* was born in the Haitian capital of Port-au-Prince. She spent her early childhood with her father, who worked hard to make ends meet for their family. But everyday life became a challenge. That's when the 7-year-old went to live with her mother instead.

Sophonie's mother struggled to take care of her. She waited for things to get better, but they didn't. Sophonie didn't feel safe and was desperate to go home.

She ran away, scared, and then she got lost.

When the Haitian police found her, they contacted Bethany. Through Bethany's foster care program in Haiti, Sophonie was cared for by safe, temporary foster families. For nine months, these loving families—trained by Bethany staff—committed to her care, protection, and comfort to provide stability through family-based care.

Bethany worked to locate Sophonie's family, and on Christmas Eve, she was reunified with her father.

"Seeing my girl again after nine months is my Christmas gift," he said. "I need nothing more from the Lord."

Sophonie is one of several children who thrived from family-based care services during 2018 in Haiti. Bethany's focused efforts on supporting at-risk Haitian children and families have experienced a 27% increase in children placed with loving foster parents.

**Photo identities changed for privacy*

GOALS FOR 2019/2020

- Expand the scope of refugee services provided to displaced families in Ethiopia and Colombia
- Broaden the number of children placed into family-based care from an orphanage setting across our Ethiopia, Ghana, and Haiti in-country foster care programs
- Establish foster care programming in Colombia for Colombian children and unaccompanied children of Venezuelan families
- Launch partnership with a Ugandan organization and local churches to provide family-based care services to children whose parents are in prison

GLOBAL REFUGEE

Amani's father was killed when soldiers attacked her village in South Sudan. In the ensuing chaos, as her family fled to Ethiopia, Amani was separated from her mother and siblings. Now 12-year-old Amani lives in a refugee camp with a neighbor from her home village.

Many children like her could tell a similar story. More than 24,000 children are living in a Gambella refugee camp without the stability or protection of a family.

Amani now has the stability and protection of a family, but she lives with the daily fear that she is not safe.

Food, clean water, and other vital resources are in short supply, and Amani knows other girls her age have been abused and trafficked. She struggles to imagine what her future will hold.

In late 2018, Bethany began providing services in Ethiopia's Gambella camp, where Amani lives. More than 700 people received training on grief counseling in addition to foster care and child rights. Mental health specialists are helping children and families process the trauma they've experienced. Foster care specialists are training safe adults, like Amani's neighbor, to be foster parents for unaccompanied children.

This is right where Bethany needs to be, bringing hope and healing to people facing life's hardest circumstances.



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