

ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO PHILIPPINE MEDICAL MISSION 2018 ANNUAL REPORT



(ANAWIM)

Mission and History

St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission (SCBPMM) is an all-volunteer, 501(c)3 organization, dedicated to promoting the inherent right of the poor and underprivileged in the Philippines, to receive basic and adequate health care, food and shelter as well as to empower them, through education and other forms of assistance, to become responsible and productive members of society. The organization was founded in 1999 as the Philippine Medical Mission (PMM), an outreach project of the Social Justice Ministry at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church in Arlington, VA. It was the brainchild of two dedicated Filipino American volunteers, Maricel Bretault and Celia Coronado. In 2005, PMM obtained its tax-exempt 501(c)3 status and became SCBPMM.

To accomplish its mission, SCBPMM works in partnership with established non-profit organizations in the Philippines. SCBPMM undertakes fundraising activities to support its partners' poverty alleviation and medical outreach projects and programs.

We have six regular partners, who submit proposals for funding every year. During times of natural disasters and calamities in the Philippines, SCBPMM also assists other well-established NGOs. At times, the SCBPMM Board also approves special funding for certain established organizations. Every November, the Board meets to decide which projects will be supported for the following year.



(Sr. Janette, RNDM teaching Manobo kids)

List of provinces in the Philippines served by SCBPMM's partners:

ANAWIM Lay Missions Foundation – Montalban, Rizal, in Luzon

Archbishop Gabriel M. Reyes Memorial Foundation, Inc. (AGMRMFI) – Aklan, in the Visayas

Child Hope Asia Philippines (CHAP) – Metro Manila, in Luzon

Foundation of our Lady of Peace Missions, Inc. (FOLPMI) – Paranaque, Metro Manila in Luzon

Religious of Notre Dame Missions (RNDM) – Kulaman, Sultan Kudarat, Cotabato, in Mindanao

Tulay ng Kabataan (TNK) – Smokey Mountain, Metro Manila, in Luzon



Letter from the SCBPMM Board of Directors

Dear Friends of Philippine Medical Mission,

It's amazing that it is now 2 decades since SCBPMM started at St. Charles Church. Since 1999, SCBPMM has raised more than a million dollars for projects serving the poorest of the poor in the Philippines.

It is only with God's grace, shining through the generosity of our donors, the hard work of our U.S. volunteers and the compassion of our partners in the Philippines that this is possible.

In 2018, we continued to work closely with our six regular partners -- The Foundation of Our Lady of Peace Mission; the Religious of Notre Dame of the Missions; Child Hope Asia Philippines; the Archbishop Gabriel M. Reyes Memorial Foundation; ANAWIM Lay Missions; and Tulay ng Kabataan.

Together, we share our talents and our treasure to help lift the burden of our fellow men and women across the seas.

Please take a moment to visit our site: www.scbphilippinemedicalmission.org for information on our mission, our partners, how to volunteer, and an opportunity to donate online.

We invite you to read on the achievements of SCBPMM in 2018. These reports were sent by our partners so you can see how your generosity and love has made these programs possible. We are always looking for new volunteers so if interested, please contact us!

May God bless us All.

Sincerely,

St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission Board of Directors

About Our Partners

ANAWIM LAY MISSIONS FOUNDATION (ANAWIM)

ANAWIM is a non-profit organization dedicated to giving comfort and dignity to the elderly during the advanced stages of their lives. It manages the ANAWIM Center in Montalban, Rizal, a home for the poor and abandoned elderly, orphans, and physically and mentally handicapped persons. The center provides shelter, food, clothing and medical care to all residents. ANAWIM was founded in the early 1990s by Bo Sanchez.

THE ARCHBISHOP GABRIEL M. REYES MEMORIAL FOUNDATION, INC. (AGMRMFI)

AGMRMFI was founded in 1977 and is a non-stock, non-profit foundation which aims to provide development assistance in Aklan, in the Visayas. Its programs include education for poor children, feeding centers, scholarships for higher education, rural leadership development, basic health and nutrition education and services and micro-finance to indigenous industries and small businesses for family self-sufficiency. The president is Dr. Rex Mendoza and executive director is Ms. Eloize Juliet G. Victoriano.



CHILDSHOPE ASIA PHILIPPINES (CHAP)

CHAP is a non-profit, non-governmental organization established to address the plight of street children in the Philippines, especially Metro Manila. It provides among others, basic education, provision of shelter, health care services including a mobile health clinic, livelihood training, and counseling support to street children. CHAP was founded in 1990. Dr. Harvey Carpio is the new executive director.



THE FOUNDATION OF OUR LADY OF PEACE, INC. (FOLPMI)

FOLPMI is a non-stock, non-profit, non-governmental institution serving the poor in Luzon through varied but integrated programs geared towards total development of individuals, families, and communities. Its projects include a hospital for the poor, feeding centers, livelihood projects, immunization programs, a shelter for female street children, and disaster/calamity relief. FOLPMI was founded in 1984 under the leadership of Sr. Eva Fidela Maamo, MD, SPC.

THE RELIGIOUS OF NOTRE DAME OF THE MISSIONS (RNDM)

RNDM is an order of religious Sisters who work with the indigenous tribe, the Dulangan Manobo, in the mountains of Cotabato, Mindanao and was founded in 1987. Their ministries include community development, basic health care services, hospitalization and medical assistance, health education, nutrition programs and provision of educational opportunities.



TULAY NG KABATAAN (TNK)

Tulay ng Kabataan is a non-profit organization based in Manila whose mission is to take care of street children with no families, scavenger children working in dumpsites, children living in slum areas, and poor pregnant mothers who need prenatal healthcare. Founded in 1998 by a Jesuit priest, Fr. John Francois Thomas, TNK provides poor children shelter, health care, education and nutrition. The goal of TNK is to give back to each child dignity and self-confidence and also to help him/her reach the fullness of human vocation. The executive director is Rev. Fr. Matthieu Dauchez and the communications manager is Elise Cruse.

PARTNER ACTIVITIES IN 2018

ANAWIM LAY MISSIONS

Title of the Project: Elderly Medical & Nutritional Supplement

Implementation Period: January to March 2018

Amount of Grant Received for this project from SCBPMM: US\$7,000



Located in Sitio Tanag, Montalban, in the province of Rizal, ANAWIM Lay Missions provides shelter, food, clothing, medical and dental care to 68 elderly residents. ANAWIM's mission is to give dignity and comfort to poor, sick and abandoned older people.

- Medical Consultation is done by a volunteer doctor in the center every week or more often when the need arises.
- Medicines of the elderly are properly administered by the nursing services department, i.e., care giving & nursing volunteers.
- Physical therapy and reflexology were given to paralyzed residents.
- Morning Prayer and exercises are done every day.
- Foods are cooked and served to the elderly according to the specification of volunteer nutritionist.
- Prayer meeting is done every Wednesday to address their spiritual needs.
- Daily Mass being officiated by our Parish Priest or his assistant.
- Counseling is given by a volunteer nun and social workers to address the emotional needs of the elderly that may affect their medical conditions.
- Medical charts are documented daily.



ARCHBISHOP GABRIEL M. REYES MEMORIAL FOUNDATION
Title of Project: Community Based Supplemental Feeding Project (BULIG AKLAN)

Implementation Period: February 2018 to January 2019

Grant given by SCBPMM in late 2017 for this project: \$7,040

Pagsanghan Annex School of Mangan Elementary School was the site for the 2018 Community-Based Health and Nutrition Program - Supplemental Feeding Project sponsored by St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission (SCBPMM) and the Archbishop G.M. Reyes Memorial Foundation (AGMRMF) which benefited 60 malnourished students (40 underweight, 13 wasted and 7 severely wasted) from kindergarten to Grade 4. Pagsanghan Annex School is in a remote little agricultural village with no public transportation system. It does not receive full funding support from the Department of Education of Aklan Province because its documents are still in process. So most often, teachers carry the burden of providing school supplies to their pupils (writing paper, notebooks, pencils) so their students can attend classes and take their exams.



The Supplemental Feeding Project funded by SCBPMM in partnership with AGMRMF very effectively improved the nutritional and health status of the 60 children who were provided one nutritious meal daily during class days. In addition, the teachers and parents credit the program for increase in academic performance of the children. During the field visit of Ms. Cecile Motus, the SCBPMM coordinator, together with the President of the Board of Trustees of AGMRMFI, Fiscal Philipp Kimpo on February 11, 2019, evaluation comments from the President of the Parents and Teachers Association mentioned, “Because of the Supplemental Feeding Project

our children are healthier and have gained weight. Many used to come to school hungry because they had no food for breakfast at home.” The head teacher said, “Attendance of the school children improved exponentially. Absenteeism was rampant before the project entered the school. Now, because of the nutritious meal prepared by volunteer parents daily, almost always school attendance was 100%.” Another teacher noted that, “Class participation has greatly improved. Before this Supplemental Feeding Project started, the students were lethargic, were always sleepy because they were hungry. Now, the children are excited to come to class, they have more energy to actively participate in classroom activities and excitedly volunteer responses at class and even play in the yard during recess. They used to doze at their desk during lunch break because they had no food for lunch.” Another teacher was excited to share, “The children also showed improvement in their grades. “



Volunteer parents have learned how to prepare simple nutritious meals for their families. Most have planted vegetable gardens and as their counterpart in this project, bring their vegetable produce to include in the meals served to the 60 children; thus, the meals always have organic, freshly picked vegetables. These vegetable gardens have been big sources of healthy meals for their own families as well. “

The Barangay Council, Head Teacher and teachers of Pagsanghan Annex, and parents would like to express their gratitude to St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission for the big help extended to the children. The 2018 Year-End Report shows that the 60 malnourished children are now healthy and normal in

weight, enthusiastic about continuing their schooling in School Year 2019-2020. The 2019 Community Based Health and Nutrition Program – Supplemental Feeding Project of SCBPMM-AGMRMF will continue for a second and last year at Pagsanjan Annex Elementary School with a different set of 50 malnourished children selected by a team of Barangay Nutrition Scholars, school staff, parents and community leaders. Implementation will follow a very effective collaborative approach between Archbishop G. M. Reyes Memorial Foundation, the Pagsanjan Barangay Council and the Pagsanjan Annex School Parents and Teachers Association.



CHILD HOPE ASIA PHILIPPINES

Title of the Project: Mobile Health Clinic

Implementation Period: July 2017 – June 2018

Amount of Grant Received for this project from SCBPMM: \$7,249

The Mobile Health Clinic (MHC) Project was created based on the belief that health and education always go hand-in-hand. Under this project, a dedicated team composed of a medical doctor and a mobile clinic driver, together with Junior Health Workers and volunteers, visits the different areas where Childhope operates, and reaches out to children needing health services. The Mobile Health Clinic van itself is complete with the necessary medicines and supplements, supplies, and equipment to address common health problems of street children.



From July 2017 to June 2018, there were one thousand three hundred and forty three (1343) medical consultations conducted inside the Mobile Health Clinic for Childhope's beneficiaries and their family members. During these consultations, they received preventive and curative health services for free. An additional five

hundred and nine (509) first aid and wound care services were given by the Junior Health Workers, who also assisted one hundred and fifty eight (158) of their fellow street children in personal hygiene and home remedies for their illnesses.



FOUNDATION OF OUR LADY OF PEACE MISSION, INC.

Title of the Project: Supplemental Feeding for Malnourished Children of the Fisherman's Village (Sitio Wawa, Barangay Longos, Bacoor , Cavite and Sitio Santo Nino, Barangay NBBS, Navota City)

Implementation period: January - June 2018

Amount of Grant received for this project from SCBPMM: \$7,000

A total of sixty (60) children, all 5 years old and under, were the direct beneficiaries of this once daily feeding program. When they started the program, most of the children were malnourished and underweight. At the end of the program, half of the children reached weight status considered "normal" on the basis of the Nutritional Council of the Philippines standards of weight of children by age.

The parents of these children were also trained on: the food pyramid; importance of proper nutrition in the diet of their children; prevention of malnutrition; the value of immunization, hygiene, deworming and sanitation; buying cheap but nutritious food; food preparation and maternal and childcare.

Parents also helped with food preparation; food distribution; attending to the feeding of children; cleaning up the tables and floors; washing dishes and safekeeping of supplies in the daycare where the feeding program is held. Parent leaders mobilized the children, identified qualified children under the area coordinator's supervision; and assisted in regular weighing of the children and during seminars.

FOLPMI partnered with the Paranaque local government nutritionist; the Nutrition council of the Philippines and the Department of Social Welfare and Development for Standardization and Accreditation.

RELIGIOUS OF NOTRE DAME MISSIONS

Title of the Project: Medical Assistance and Health Education for the Dulangan Menubo Tribe

Implementation Period: January 1-December 31, 2018

Amount of Grant Received for this project from SCBPMM: \$ 7,000

- 151 Dulangan Menubo patients provided medical, diagnostic, hospital and transportation assistance including emergency ambulance service.
- 24 Dulangan Menubo patients/watchers provided with accommodation and food.
- 20 Dulangan Menubo health volunteers provided health training.
- 10 tribal communities are closely monitored and provided health education and awareness.
- 10 vulnerable and severely malnourished children provided nutrition assistance and health monitoring.



(RNDM sisters provide medical assistance to Manobo community members)



RNDM report: This child is one of our Nutrition program beneficiaries. He was accepted in the program because the mother and the child were both undernourished. Having a cleft lip, he also has difficulty with breastfeeding, so we are providing him with milk powder prescribed by the doctor. After encouraging the Nutrition beneficiaries to have herbal garden, this family planted vegetables in their backyard. The little boy's starting weight was 3 kg, and it is now 7kg after 6 months. According to his mother, she mixes the vegetables from their backyard garden with her child's food which is why he is brighter and beautiful now. We have forwarded the name of the child to the Rural Health Unit in charge should he be old enough for a cleft palate operation. To prepare him for operation, we are encouraging the mother to feed the boy with nutritious food.



This child was brought by his grandmother from a distant village. The child had difficulty breathing and was almost pale white. He was not crying anymore either nor opening his eyes. There was no doctor in the local hospital and he needed to be rushed to the Provincial hospital 3 hours from Kulaman. There was no available

vehicle through the local government because it was a Sunday. So they came to Delesan Kailawan to ask for help. RNDM assisted them by providing their transportation needs. They were attended to in the Provincial Hospital and the child was given medical care. According to the grandmother, the child was diagnosed with Leukemia. He was discharged after a week and came back to the center to ask help because the teenage mother was not well and the child cannot breastfeed. We accepted him to be one of our Nutrition beneficiaries. Now, the child looks healthier and has slowly gained color.



(RNDM skills training)



(RNDM providing medical care to villagers)



(Class regarding health, nutrition and herbal preparations)



(RNDM sister visiting families in the village)

TULAY NG KABATAAN

Title of the Project: A day care center (in Santo Niño, Tondo, Metro Manila) for poor children in shanties areas of Metro Manila: Education, health care, feeding and nutrition.

Implementation Period: School Year 2017-2018

Amount of Grant Received from SCBPMM for the Project \$7,000



(Father Matthieu Dauchez with TNK preschoolers)



In Santo Niño TNK center, 70 children aged 0 to 6 years old are daily beneficiaries.

At the start of school year 2017-2018, 54 children were enrolled in early childhood education in the TNK Daycare center. Pre-schooling classes and tutorial services are offered to children on a daily basis. The main objective is to prepare children for formal schooling.

- 67 children received nurse checkups. Common ailments were fever and diarrhea.
- 24 children received medical checkups and were provided necessary medications.



These children, all from poor families, were also fed regular meals during the school year. Twenty-two (22) of these children were malnourished when they started the program.



SCBPMM EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Christmas Campaign 2018

Participated in International Monetary Fund Helping Hands employee fundraising campaign.

Participated in World Bank Community Connections employee fund raising campaign.



AGMRMFI

Visits to Partners in 2018 - St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission affirms the great work that our partners perform in some of the most under-resourced areas and communities in the Philippines. Every year since 1999, the U.S.-based members of SCBPMM have kept close contact with the various partners in the Philippines. Through phone calls, email reports, and site visits, SCBPMM has been able to monitor its partners' activities and projects.



TNK team



TO OUR DONORS

We would like to thank all those who have made donations in 2018 and in previous years. All gifts of time, talent and treasure to help with the projects of SCBPMM are deeply appreciated. It is only because of you that we are able to continue the mission of SCBPMM.

2018 Major sources of SCBPMM revenue:

World Bank Community Connections Employee Giving

International Monetary Fund Helping Hands Campaign

IMF Civic Program

SCBPMM Leadership

SCBPMM is managed by a volunteer Board of Directors and by a core of committed volunteers of various backgrounds. Through SCBPMM, volunteers provide their special knowledge and expertise to fulfill the mission of the organization. The Board meets twice a year and the core group meets every quarter or as needed.

Board of Directors

Peggy Carrington

Emeterio Roa III

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Jan Martin

Vanessa Lagera

Officers

Treasurer – Peggy Carrington

Secretary - Linda Tan Roll

Administrative Assistant - Pamela Michalegko

Bookkeeper – Elizabeth Medina-Tata

Partner Coordinators – Maricel Bretault and Cecile Motus

Core Volunteers:

THANK YOU VERY MUCH TO ALL VOLUNTEERS. WITHOUT YOUR HARD WORK, SCBPMM WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO DO ALL ITS GOOD WORKS.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

DONATE

Donations to SCBPMM are tax deductible. Checks should be made out to St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission (or simply, SCBPMM) and mailed to:

St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission
P.O. Box 101923
Arlington, VA 22201-9998

If you would like to donate to a specific partner, or for a specific project, please indicate that in the memo line of your check.

You can also make a secure online donation through PayPal on our website:

www.scbphilippinemedicalmission.org



(RNDM sister teaching a class)



VOLUNTEER

We welcome all volunteers of various backgrounds and skills, with or without experience. We are willing to train, and there are many diverse opportunities to help. For students or interns, we would be happy to write your school about how you volunteered with us.

Contact us at pmm@stcharleschurch.org [Like us on Facebook!](#)

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FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 2018
In US Dollars

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Operating Revenues:	
General donations	\$ 41,914
Restricted donations	3,341
Interest income	88
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	\$ 45,343
Expenses:	
Program Services-Distributions	\$ 53,175
Office	\$ 572
Professional fees	4,000
Fundraising costs	299
Total supporting services	\$ 4,871
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES	\$ 58,046
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	\$ 12,703

PROGRAM SERVICES-DISTRIBUTIONS

Childhope Asia Philippines	9,175
FOLPMI	4,000
The Religious of Notre Dame of the Missions	8,000
ANAWIM Lay Missions Foundation	8,000
AGRMFI	8,000
Tulay Ng Kabataan	16,000
Total Distributions	\$ 53,175

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

Cash and cash equivalents	\$66,109
Total Assets	\$66,109
Net assets	
Restricted net assets	\$23,482
Unrestricted net assets	42,627
Total net assets	\$66,109
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$66,109



(Tulay ng Kabataan 2018 Graduation in the slums)

THANK YOU!