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2025 IMPACT AND THE NEXT STEP FORWARD

A YEAR OF IMPACT

YOUR GIFTS AT WORK

In 2025, your support helped complete meaningful projects across World's Children programs around the world—each one meeting a practical need and creating more stability for children and the leaders who care for them. Together, these projects improved safety at Balavikasita Girls' Home in India with a new guard gate, garden, and tree farm; expanded learning and play at Bridge of Hope in Ethiopia through a new library, technology center, and playground; and helped Mab's Haven in Zambia prepare their new girls' home and receive a much-needed passenger van.

You also strengthened schools and homes in Tanzania, Rwanda, Kenya, and Baja through water collection, transportation, staff housing, farming, kitchen improvements, textbooks, technology, and daily-care essentials. Each completed project represents more than a finished task—it is a step toward safer homes, stronger programs, and brighter futures for the children World's Children serves.



“

This is greatly appreciated from us on behalf of the children we serve. Thank you for extending grace and favor upon us. We don't know where we would have been or what we would have done without you - Alfred at Macecall

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LOVE IN ACTION



New student textbooks and teacher guides are giving classrooms at Saviour King stronger tools for learning.



A new kitchen is replacing the aging wood-fire structure with a safer, stronger space to prepare daily meals at Macecall.



A new garden and tree farm are helping Balavikasita grow food, beauty, and sustainability.



A new computer, projector, and washing machine are supporting learning, daily care, and practical needs at Nueva Creación.



The new Mab's Haven home is nearly ready, with essential systems, furnishings, and safety features now in place.



Farming areas cleared and fenced for multiple homes to grow sustainable sources of food.



A new safety guard gate now helps protect the girls at Balavikasita in the heart of a busy city.



New chickens, rabbits, sheep, goats and cows are providing protein for children.



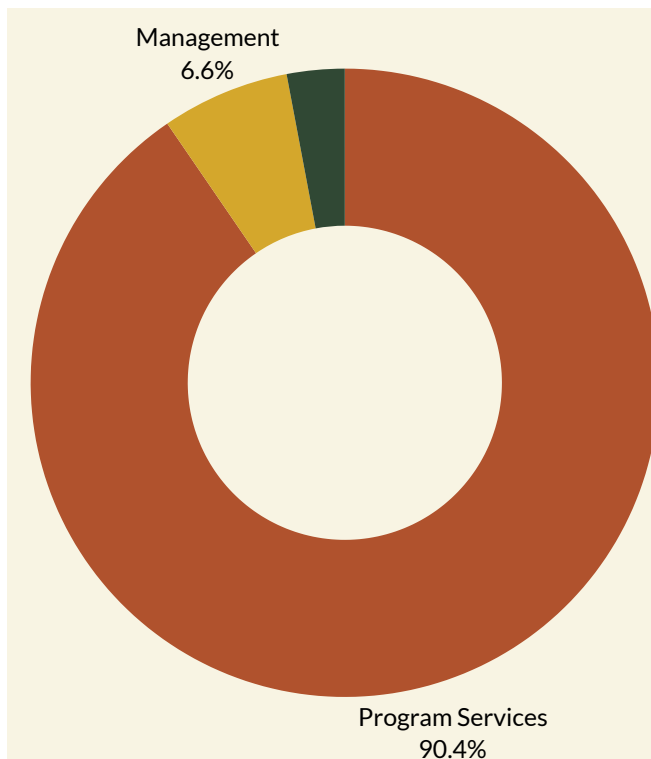
A shipping container transformed into staff quarters and a sick bay now provides safer care and rest at Garden of Eden.

FINANCIAL PICTURE



OVERVIEW

Revenue	\$848,528
Expenses	\$792,308
Funds to Homes Included under Expenses in Programs	\$415,180
Net Assets Year End	\$1,053,223



EXPENSES

Program Services	\$716,572
Management	\$52,236
Fundraising	\$23,500

FUNDS TO HOMES

Child Sponsorship	\$212,022
Student Scholarships	\$70,180
Projects	\$54,345
Home/Program Sponsorship	\$61,083
Celebrations	\$17,550

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President Trista Slowik, Secretary Fanny Ruelas, Treasurer Matt Parzybok, Directors: Loretta Worthington, Laasya Yenduri, Shannon Miller, John Paul Manuku



“No words can ever measure up to the kindness and generosity of your donors, but one thing we can be certain about is that their names are forever engraved on our hearts and their story will be told for generations to come!”

♡ Lloyd & Mable- Mab's Haven



“A big thank you for the support towards the programs. We are overjoyed! This is an overflow of blessings! We are excited to see excitement from our children and staff. This is indeed empowering and creating a big impact and expansion of the home.”

♡ Thomas & Beatrice- Garden of Eden

“Your generosity means the world to me. Now I am able to visit kids at their different schools and homes more times than I used to do and my life is going to change for I have transportation that will significantly reduce time taken to reach where I went by foot. World's Children you are a blessing to many and I personally am one of so many!”

♡ Peter- Rwanda Future Builders



Launch the Next Generation

Supporting young adults through college, career training, and leadership development



That bridge where the system saw only a wall is the Kuna Nuru Leadership Academy.

Here, we don't just teach; we ignite. We move the classroom into the real world through a "learning through doing" model. Our students don't just study leadership; they practice it. They are embedded in real-world apprenticeships with expert mentors, building the social capital and professional networks that the exam system denies them. They work in small "families" called Advisories, where they are finally seen, heard, and supported. The Kuna Nuru Leadership Academy serves as a transformative six-month lifeline, transitioning youth from the margins of society into the pulse of professional life.

Big Picture Learning Kenya Innovates a New Path Forward

In the heart of Nairobi's informal settlements, brilliance is everywhere. It is in the resourcefulness of a young person navigating a crowded market and the resilience of a family building a life from nothing. But for too many, that brilliance is met with a closed door.

In Kenya, the national secondary examination acts as a final gatekeeper. If you don't pass, the system tells you that your journey has ended. For a young person in Kibera or Kawangware, a single test score can lead to a lifetime of "invisible" labor, where their potential is ignored because they lack a piece of paper.

Big Picture Learning Kenya (BPL Kenya) was born to rewrite that story.



Scholarship Students Waiting for a Sponsor

The next step in their journey begins with someone like you

These students have already overcome incredible obstacles to reach this moment. Now they are ready to continue their education, develop their skills, and build independent futures. Your sponsorship provides the support they need to stay in school and pursue the opportunities they've earned.

Sujatha Saini - Diploma in Fashion Design 2028



Sujatha has a truly inspiring story of overcoming extreme adversity to chase her dreams. As a child, Sujatha was abused, forced into child labor, and not allowed to go to school for years. It wasn't until she came

to Balavikasitha Orphanage at 12 years old that she even began learning to read and write. She slowly began to gain confidence in her academic and artistic abilities, thanks to Shobha and Uttam at Balavikasitha, and now dreams of taking a fashion design course. In her own words: "My dream [is] to become a successful fashion entrepreneur and I am excited that I will achieve my goals."

Vanishree "Vani" BSc. Radiology 2028



Vanishree has received prizes for her essay writing and you can see it in the incredible application letter she sent us. Vani is working toward a Bachelor's Degree in Radiology. In her own words:

"From my childhood, life has been very difficult for my family. I lost my father when I was very young and since then my mother has been struggling alone to take care of our family. I always dreamed of completing my education and becoming successful in life through hard work and dedication. I chose [to study] Radiology because I want to serve people with compassion and care in the medical field."

Teja Bathupalli - BA in Business 2029



Teja is fully orphaned and is very motivated and driven to complete his education to create a future for himself. Teja is making the most of this opportunity, thanks to being

taken in by Shobha and Uttam at Balavikasitha Orphanage, and hopes to earn a business degree. Shobha describes Teja as "a very humble, sincere, and hard-working boy." She continues, "As Teja is an orphan and has no one to look after him in life, he is requesting World's Children to support him."

Freeda Jancy - BSc.Nursing 2029



Freeda just graduated from high school and now dreams of getting a degree and becoming a nurse. Her parents are loving and hard-working but simply can't afford to send her to college.

In her letter, Freeda says, "From my childhood, I have dreamed of becoming a nurse. I wish to serve the sick, and poor, and the suffering people with love, compassion, and dedication." Together, we can help Freeda realize her dream.

Ashwini Senthil Kumar - BSc. 2029



Ashwini's story is such a beautiful example of exactly what World's Children and the Sacred Heart homes in southern India are working to achieve every day. Ashwini and her brother were abandoned

as children and turned into orphans with no hope. Ashwini tells her story better than I ever could: "It has not been an easy journey, but with the help of kind people like you, I have found strength and hope to move forward. My dream is to become a Doctor of Anesthesia. I want to bring comfort to those who are undergoing surgeries or in pain."

Jenet Michael Raj- B. Tech Engineering 2029



Although her parents have always encouraged her education, serious health challenges have made it impossible for them to continue supporting her financially. She has already

completed the first year of college toward her Bachelor's of Technology Degree in Engineering and needs our help to continue. "I kindly request you to grant me a scholarship for my second year," Jenet writes, "I will be very grateful to you and never forget you in my life."

Purity Lubonga - Diploma Comm Health 2028



Purity dreams of becoming a Community Health Officer. She comes from a large and very poor family who has been helped by community health services as she grew up,

She also received one of the most enthusiastic recommendation letters we have seen, from Wendy at Garden of Eden. Wendy says, "Purity's character truly stands out. She is a lovely, caring, and jovial young woman. In her free time, she faithfully returns to the school to serve in any way she can whether it is cooking, cleaning, managing the library, or assisting with administrative tasks. She often speaks about her desire to give back to the place that gave her a chance to dream, and she lives this out through her actions."

Karunya David - BSc. in Nursing 2029



Karunya comes from a deeply impoverished family. Though they have encouraged her to work hard for her future, her parents are struggling just to keep food on the table.

"Even though I have the desire and determination to study further, the lack of financial support is becoming a great obstacle to achieving my dream," says Karunya. Her dream is to go to nursing college and to become a nurse. "I wish to serve sick and needy people with care and compassion in the future."

Auxiliya Sundhar - B. Phys Assistant 2029



Auxiliya has lived at Nirmala Home for six years since her father passed away. She is excited to continue her education by enrolling in courses to become a medical assistant. In her own words:

"I believe this course will help me achieve my ambition and become responsible in supporting my family. Without kind-hearted support, it will become impossible for me to continue my studies and fulfill my dreams." Auxiliya has overcome so much already and just needs a boost to finish her education and go into adulthood armed for success.

Jaysari Palani - BSc. Data Science 2028



Jayasri is one of three sisters who grew up together at Nirmala Girls' Home in southern India. She just graduated from high school with very high marks and is a very dedicated student.

"I am a dedicated, obedient, and sincere student who always strives to do my best in studies and maintain good discipline in life," says Jaysari. "I strongly believe that education is the key to building a bright future and helping my family come out of financial struggles." With your help, Jaysari will realize her dream to go to college and study Data Science.

Aaron Antony Silwaidhas - B. Engineering 2030



Aaron has lived the past ten years at Fatima Home in southern India since his father died of a heart attack. His mother has been a major source of inspiration as Aaron works diligently toward his future each day. "My mother suffered a lot to take care of us," Aaron tells us in his scholarship letter. He hopes to support himself and his mother by earning a Bachelor's of Technology in Engineering degree.

Kevin Uldan Sekar - BSc. Nursing 2030



Kevin has lived at Happy Home for Children in India for 12 years and was a sponsored child for much of that time, but he does not have a sponsor anymore to support him through college and through the final steps to become a successful adult. Kevin is working toward a Bachelor's of Science in Nursing Degree, both because there is so much need and because he wants to help those in need. "I will help poor and needy people, this is my sincere wish," writes Kevin.

“By anchoring every experience in their individual interests, we cultivate a professional spark from simple curiosity. You see this transformation in Samantha, who arrived as a shy newcomer and is now a confident Salon Manager. You see it in Maina, who chose the path of a college student and provider over the risks of the street. And you see it in Abigail, a catalyst for justice who realized: "I am the leader I've been waiting for."”

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\$55 a month sends one of these students to college or job training for a year!



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