

# ST. CHARLES BORRROMEO PHILIPPINE MEDICAL MISSION 2023 ANNUAL REPORT



## 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, and 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. Once a year, we invite these organizations to submit proposals for funding their poverty alleviation and medical outreach programs. During times of natural disasters and calamities in the Philippines, SCBPMM also assists well-established NGOs working for relief and rehabilitation of affected communities. SCBPMM undertakes fundraising activities to support its projects and programs.

Every November, the Board meets to decide which projects will be supported for the following year.

### Programs supported by SCBPMM:

Health and shelter for **abandoned elderly**: ANAWIM Lay Missions Foundation – Montalban, Rizal, in Luzon

Health and education for **street children**: Childhope Asia Philippines (CHAP) – Metro Manila, in Luzon

Education and feeding of **poor children in the slums**: Tulay ng Kabataan (TNK) – Smokey Mountain, Metro Manila, in Luzon.

Medicines for **children with cancer**: Cancer Warriors Foundation (CWFI) – Lipa City, Batangas, in Luzon.

Food assistance for **poor Aeta communities**: Foundation of our Lady of Peace Missions, Inc. (FOLPMI) – Paranaque, Metro Manila in Luzon and Sitio Gala, Zambales in Luzon.

Health assistance for **Dulangan Manobo Tribe**: Religious of Notre Dame Missions (RNDM) – Kulaman, Sultan Kudarat, Cotabato, in Mindanao.

Assistance for **poor senior citizens and children with special needs**: Archbishop Gabriel M. Reyes Memorial Foundation, Inc. (AGMRMFI) – Aklan, in the Visayas.

Relief and Rehabilitation for **poor communities after natural disasters (fire) and during pandemic**: Tulay ng Kabataan, Metro Manila, in Luzon.



June 2024

Dear Friends of the St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission,

*This year, St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission is celebrating its 25th year in operation. Through the years, we have faced challenges; we have had to say farewell to friends leaving; and we have welcomed new members, volunteers, and donors who continue to support our mission. We have grown from supporting one organization in the Philippines in our initial years, to supporting up to eight projects from eligible NGOs every year. The first projects we funded were mostly medical missions and feeding centers; and now, the projects we fund include basic health care for street children; food, vitamins, and medicine for the abandoned elderly; health care programs for indigenous peoples; feeding centers for malnourished children; and free chemo for poor children with cancer.*

*SCBPMM continues to dedicate itself to promoting the inherent right of the poor in the Philippines to receive basic and adequate health care and to empower them, through education, to become responsible and productive members of society. Keep in mind that one out of every four Filipinos subsists below the poverty line. With little or no medical insurance plans available for the majority of the population, millions of Filipinos are in desperate need of basic nutrition and health care. All of you - our members, volunteers, and loyal donors -make it possible to support projects that help to alleviate these needs.*

*In this report you will be able to read in more detail about the projects that SCBPMM supports. Also, please take a minute to visit our website at [www.scbphilippinemedicalmission.org](http://www.scbphilippinemedicalmission.org) and our Facebook page, St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission, for on-going updates.*

Thank you so much for your generosity, and may God grant you and your loved ones peace, hope and happiness.

Sincerely,

Peggy Carrington, President

## SCBPMM SUMMARY OF PROGRAM REPORTS 2023

<b>PARTNER ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>AMOUNT AWARDED IN 2023</b>	<b>BENEFICIARIES/OTHER IMPACT</b>	<b>PLANNED PROGRAM</b>
CHILDHOPE ASIA PHILIPPINES  (Jan- Jul 2023)	\$7,500	Basic health and medical services delivered to 1119 street children and youth (medical check-up, wound care, medicines and vitamin supplements, hygiene kit, etc.).	Klinikalye: Mobile Health Clinic.
CANCER WARRIORS FOUNDATION  (Jan – June 2023)	\$7,500	Provide treatment assistance to 19 patients with hard mass cancer: 6 Hodgskin lumphoma, 3 brain tumor, and others with unspecified kinds of lymphoma. Treatment included surgeries, chemotherapy, radiation, CT scans, MRI, blood transfusions.	Operation Bukol
ANAWIM CENTER of the ANAWIM LAY MISSIONS FOUNDATION (ALMS) INC.  (Jan-March 2023)	\$7,500	Basic health, medical and nutritional care were provided to 71 elderly residents. This has promoted a healthy and happy life to the elderly residents.  Improves emotional and physical aspects of life with daily exercises, counseling, prayer life, farm activities, and visits to parks and wildlife.	Elderly Medical & Nutritional Supplements.
ARCHBISHOP GABRIEL M. REYES MEMORAIL FOUNDATION, INC.  (Jan – June 2023)	\$7,500	40 indigent schoolchildren with special needs with hearing and visual impairments were served. 5 children were given hearing aids.	Medical assistance for In-School Indigent Children with Special Needs
RELIGIOUS OF THE NOTRE DAME OF THE MISSIONS  (Jan – July 2023)	\$7,500	Manobo women, Community Health workers and Manobo girls received training on leadership and basic management skills as well as nutrition awareness and health training. Communities provided with livestock and poultry livelihood	Capacity Building and Health Formation for Women and Community for Manobo Dulangan Tribe in Kulaman, Sultan Kudarat



		training and backyard garden development. Potable water installed for one community.	
TULAY NG KABATAAN (Jan – June 2023)	\$7,500	Provision of education, health care, food and nutrition to poor children in Fish Port Complex. The number of beneficiaries increased as more poverty resulted from the pandemic. Health and educational activities resumed after the lockdown and daily feeding is provided continuously. There were 236 children served.	Saint Clare of Assisi Daycare Center in Market Slums (fish port complex, Navotas, Metro Manila).
FOUNDATION OF OUR LADY OF PEACE MISSION (June – July 2023)	\$7,500	24 indigent patients received free cataract surgery. They received pre-operative evaluation and post-operative care. Improved vision and quality of life as benefits of the project.	The Vision Project
ATENEO CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (Jan – Aug 2023)	\$7,500	Address nutritional needs through distribution of weekly food packs consisting of root crops, vegetables and fruits. Beneficiaries are 77 children and 13 young pregnant women. A total of 400+ individuals benefitted from the program. Farmers who sell their produce also benefit from the program.	Food Packs Program for Children in 90 Poorest Families in the Hilltop Open Space Community, Lagro, Quezon City.

## **ABOUT THE ORGANIZATIONS WE PARTNERED WITH IN 2023**

### **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, which is 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 Mrs. Delia Mariano and executive director is Ms. Eloize Juliet G. Victoriano.

### **CHILDHOPE 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 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, 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 without 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 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.

## **Cancer Warriors Foundation Inc. (CWFI)**

Cancer Warriors Foundation Inc., (CWFI), Batangas was launched in Lipa City in June 2008 to assist in the treatment and care of poor and disadvantaged kids with cancer. A group of volunteers headed by Bishop Marcelino Maralit, Jr., and Dr. Mayie Salvador initially spearheaded the assistance to 33 kids with cancer. The Foundation also extends educational assistance by granting scholarships for a warrior or a family member to study and develop capabilities to be able to earn a living. In 2019, as part of our 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary thanksgiving celebration, SCBPMM awarded the Celia Coronado Memorial Grant in the amount of \$20,000 to Cancer Warriors Foundation of Batangas.





**Ateneo Center for Educational Development (ACED):**

ACED was established in 1997 to spearhead the Ateneo de Manila University's mission to close the poverty gap and improve quality of life among the poor through improving public basic education in scale. ACED engages individuals and institutions to support its mission.

## OUR PROGRAMS:

### ANAWIM LAY MISSIONS

**Title of the Project: ANAWIM ELDERLY MEDICAL AND NUTRITIONAL SUPPLEMENT**

**Implementation Period: January to February 2023**

**Grant given by SCBPMM for this project: US \$7,500**



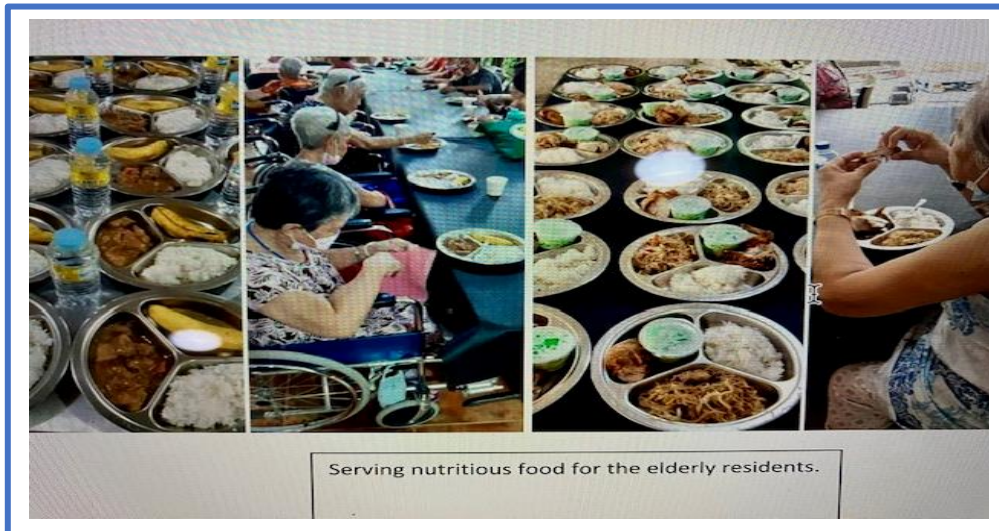
Every month, the elderly residents come together to celebrate the gift of life of their co-elderly for the whole month.

Mother's day celebration to dear mothers in Anawim.

Excerpts from Anawim Report:

The SCBPMM donation supported the purchase of vitamins and maintenance medications of 71 elderly residents for 3 months. Each resident is provided nutritious meals promoting healthy and happy lives. Their health is monitored by our committed and loving caregivers. Aside from this, Anawim also offers programs like daily exercise (Zumba Dance) and day tours to different places such as parks, wildlife sanctuaries and farms. Anawim also provides its residents with assistance in grooming, monitoring of vital signs, daily vitamins and medications including flu, covid and pneumococcal vaccines, infection control and counseling.





## **ARCHBISHOP GABRIEL M. REYES MEMORIAL FOUNDATION**

Title of the Project: MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR IN-SCHOOL INDIGENT CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Implementation Period: January – June 2023

Grant given by SCBPMM for this project: US \$7,500

As of December 31, 2023, the project was able to serve 40 indigent school children with special needs presently enrolled in the only public school in Aklan that offers special education, the Kalibo Integrated Special Education Center or KISEC. The most common impairments of beneficiaries were hearing and visual disabilities. They were given priority with the purpose of enabling these children to improve learning skills and facilitate their participation in mainstream society.

All 40 beneficiaries underwent diagnostic tests and medical evaluation by specialists in hearing and visual impairments. Of the 10 visually impaired, 5 beneficiaries, 2 boys and 3 girls ages from 10 to 13 years old, have availed of correction eye lenses. The other 5 beneficiaries are candidates for eye surgery and further observation for treatment are all players of the Provincial and West Visayan Sports Competition for Differently Abled Children. The operation will be scheduled after the competition and will be reported to SCBPMM in the 2024 Project End Report.



All the 30 hearing impaired beneficiaries were evaluated for the most appropriate hearing aids. The 30 beneficiaries were assessed according to the possibility of improving their hearing abilities with the use of aids. Eleven (11) beneficiaries did not need hearing aids due to the severity of their impairment. The Foundation included them in the continuing counseling program for parents and guardians, vitamin supplementation, traveling allowance from home to school and other forms of assistance they may need.

The increase in prices of hearing aids affected the number of beneficiaries who can avail themselves of the assistance. Of the 30 beneficiaries assessed, only 5 can be funded under the Project and 14 will be proposed for funding in the 2024 project proposals to SCBPMM and to other agencies.

### **CHILDHOPE ASIA PHILIPPINES**

Title of the Project: KLINIKALYE: MOBILE HEALTH CLINIC

Implementation Period: January to July 2023

Grant given by SCBPMM for this project: \$7,500

From January to December 2023, there were 1,119 medical consultations under the KliniKalye Mobile Health Clinic Project, which is 119 above the annual target. During clinics, the patients were provided with the following services:

1. medical consultations
2. physical examinations (for face-to-face consultations)
3. wound care (for face-to-face consultations)
4. complete medicines
5. multivitamins and minerals supplements for at least one month
6. medical supplies for wound care

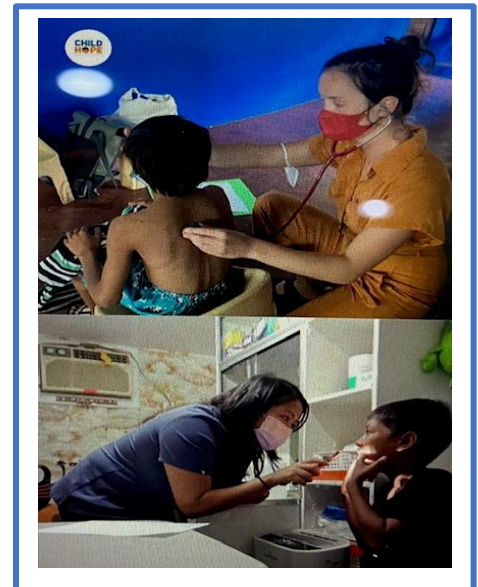
Only 188 or 16.8% of the consultations this year were Well Child Consultations. During these consultations, medical counseling revolved around ways to prevent illnesses and injuries, including proper wearing of masks, proper hygiene, and road safety.

Based on the nutritional status monitoring done in the first and third quarters of the year, 76% of the beneficiaries had a normal BMI-for-height, whereas only 64% had normal height-for-age.

Eight-four (84) beneficiaries were provided additional assistance for:

1. diagnostic procedures
2. dental procedures
3. referrals to hospital / specialist
4. corrective eyeglasses

Health is affected by several factors. In the case of street children, it cuts across issues like children's rights, education, and child protection, to name a few. Therefore, it is important that we work with different sectors of society to properly address health problems of vulnerable groups. With advocacy and active participation in promoting health with different stakeholders (academic, business, civil society groups, the government itself), we make sure that health is put as a top priority. For this year, two groups of stakeholders, specifically the academic (Ateneo School of Medicine and Public Health) and group and individual health volunteers (including a nurse's volunteer group, a medical student organization, and 2 family medicine residents-in-training) played a pivotal role in augmenting the primary health services we provided to our beneficiaries.



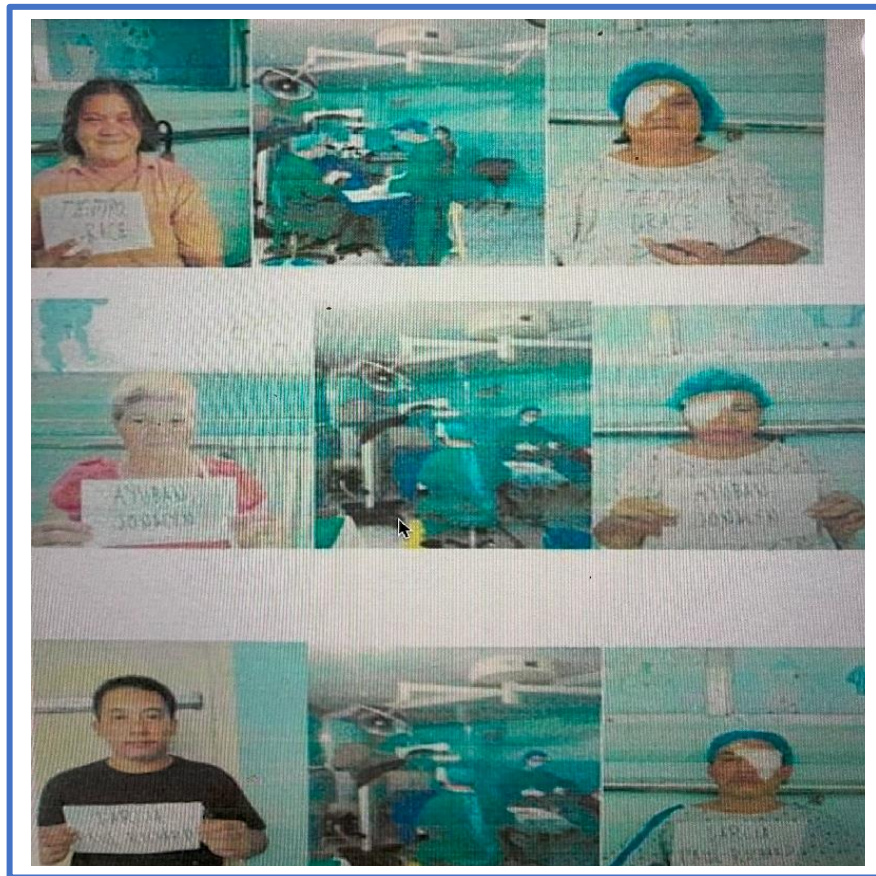
**FOUNDATION OF OUR LADY OF PEACE MISSION, INC.**

Title of the Project: THE VISION PROJECT

Implementation Period: January - June 2023

Grant given by SCBPMM for this project: \$7,500

Through The Vision Project, FOLPMI Eye Center was able to provide 24 very poor patients much needed cataract surgery. The SCBPMM grant of \$7,500 also provided, among others, eye examinations, laboratory tests, physical examination by internal medicine specialists for surgical clearance, stipends for 2 nurses assisting in the surgeries and office supplies for the project. The doctors are happy to report 100% successful outcomes for these 24 surgeries with 75% of patients returning to some form of work or economically productive life as they were blind and disabled with cataracts before the surgery.



## **RELIGIOUS OF NOTRE DAME MISSIONS**

Title of the Project: CAPACITY BUILDING AND HEALTH TRAINING FOR WOMEN AND COMMUNITY OF THE DULANGAN MANOBO TRIBE IN THE REMOTE MUNICIPALITY OF SENATOR NINOY AQUINO (KULAMAN) SUTAN KUDARAT

Implementation Period: January to July 2023

Grant given by SCBPMM for this project: \$7,500

Excerpts from the report sent by RNDM:

The Delesan Kailawan (which means “cultural heritage home and also home of the good people”) Center, with the help of the nuns of RNDM, continue to provide livelihood training to the community members of the Dulangan Manobo tribe.

There were 45 women who trained in Banana Chips production, while another group of 25 women were trained in bead-work handicraft and sewing. Unfortunately, the extreme heat of El Nino has affected the banana fruit production, so the banana chips production ceased. We will reevaluate the situation in the first and second quarters of 2025.

This year has been challenging with difficulty passing national licensure exams for our recent graduates. Out of 10 Licensure Examination for Teachers or LET examinees last 2023 who were assisted by the center, only 1 passed the licensure examination. We are still awaiting the results of the 12 LET examinees who took the March 2024 examination. No one passed the Midwifery licensure examination. It continues to be difficult for Manobo professionals to pass such examinations due to lack of exposure to mainstream education and medical practices.

Soap-making training has been conducted in 10 communities that are served by the Community Health Workers.

There were 50 parents who joined the goat-raising training program conducted by 3 Manobo men who were trained in goat-raising. There were 10 recipients of goats among the participants. Rabbit livestock raising was deemed not feasible due to lack of market for them. The Manobos were not keen to use them as food source either. There were water shortages in the villages where backyard gardening was implemented. Due to lack of rain, the gardens ceased to be operational. Available water was reserved for human and livestock consumption and usage. The water source that was developed through the assistance of SCBPMM in one village has been helpful in providing water for the community. The nutrition fund has assisted



the ministry in augmenting the cost of providing nutritious food to 50 Manobo girls under our care. All of them seriously applied themselves to their studies and have kept well some experienced colds, cough and chicken pox. One child has been given additional nutrition, being underweight. The main lesson that we have learned in project implementation is the importance of the inclusion of the Manobos in every step so that there is an increased ownership of the project. The success of the project implementation hinged largely on this. Now, we have appointed Elsie Bandala Avela to be the Community Engagement Officer (CEO) of Delesan Kailawan. She coordinates the activities of the center. This year, the main challenge that we encountered was the effects of El Nino which were felt especially in the second half of 2023. Its effect is ongoing, affecting the food supply of the municipality. There is a “silent hunger” in the communities right now that we are just beginning to explore. If farmers are not able to plant in the first and second quarter of 2024, the situation of food shortage will continue in the Manobo communities, especially that the prices of commodities have increased drastically. We are grateful to the St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission for reaching out to these vulnerable communities.



## **TULAY NG KABATAAN**

Title of the Project: PROVIDING EDUCATION, HEALTHCARE, DAILY MEALS TO THE CHILDREN OF ST. CLARE OF ASSISI DAY CARE CENTER (LOCATED IN MARKET SLUMS OF FISH PORT COMPLEX, NAVOTAS, METRO MANILA)

Implementation Period: January to June 2023

Grant given by SCBPMM for this project: \$7,500

### Health Initiatives:

The health team operating in the Market 3 center comprised a nurse (foreign long-term volunteer) and three community workers residing in the slum areas. From July to October 2023, regular health check-ups were conducted for beneficiaries, including treatments, deworming, and screenings. In November and December 2023, nurse check-ups were extended to 100 beneficiaries of the nutrition program, with a focus on educating mothers on hygiene, nutrition, and vaccination importance. Notably, 23 group medical check-ups were organized at the health center, and deworming was administered to 17 children.

### Nutrition Programs:

From July to August 2023, nutrition workers underwent training, focusing on children's daily diet. Weekly weighing sessions were conducted to monitor the progress of undernourished children. In October 2023, mass weighing sessions were organized to enroll new feeding beneficiaries, alongside family profile surveys. The nutrition services also extended to monitoring the health of Franklin during his hospitalization.

### Education Efforts:

In August and September 2023, the education department enrolled new children under 5 for preschool and those aged 6 and over for support classes. The new school year, 2023-2024, commenced in mid-September 2023. By December 2023, all enrolled children participated in a Christmas party at the center and engaged in hygiene activities led by Biomerieux.

Despite ongoing challenges posed by pervasive poverty, Tulay ng Kabataan successfully continues its missions in this disadvantaged community. Tulay ng Kabataan thanks SCBPMM for being instrumental in sustaining these vital services to the underprivileged, reflecting a shared commitment to improving lives and fostering hope in the face of adversity.



## **ATENEO CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Title of the Project: FOOD PACKS PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN OF 92 POOREST

Implementation Period: January to September 2023

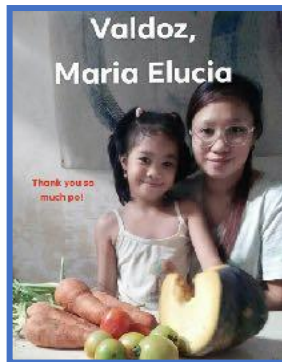
Grant given by SCBPMM for this project: \$7,500

In 2022-2023 PMM provided a grant of \$7,500 to the Ateneo Center for Educational Development (ACED) in Metro Manila. The grant project provided food packs with an assortment of vegetables, fruits, and root crops to the 90 poorest families in the Hilltop Open Space Community in Lagro, Quezon City. The food packs were distributed by a team from the community, and eventually more than 400 individuals benefited from the program. Beneficiaries reported on the effectiveness of the program in reducing malnutrition and promoting a healthy lifestyle through a more varied diet. For example, there were improvements in the children's weight and nutrition, and fewer instances of illnesses requiring medical care. The program also provided parenting and child development workshops to the beneficiaries.



Recipients expressed gratitude for the food packs and the opportunity to provide healthy meals to their families. The distribution team sometimes went out of their way to deliver the packs to those in the community who had difficulty getting to the distribution sites. Families and community members receiving the food also reported a benefit to their overall financial situation, due to money they were able to re-allocate to other essential needs.

The grant funds were used to purchase vegetables and root crops from local farmers for the food packs, as well as additional expenses such as transportation and office space.



Few of the happy beneficiary-children of the program with the vegetables they received.





## **CANCER WARRIORS FOUNDATION, INC., BATANGAS (CWFI BATS)**

Title of the Project: OPERATION BUKOL

Implementation Period: January to June 2023

Grant given by SCBPMM for this project: \$7,500



Operation Bukol, a project initiated by the Cancer Warriors Foundation of Batangas and supported by St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission, aims to provide crucial assistance to children battling various forms of cancer in the Batangas region. The project received a donation of \$7,500 from St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission, enabling it to extend aid to numerous young patients in need.

Among the beneficiaries, H (names concealed for privacy), aged 16, fought Hodgkin's Lymphoma relentlessly, undergoing multiple sessions of CT planning and radiation. Despite facing relapse, she remained in ongoing treatment. J, also diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma at 14, successfully completed his treatment, marking a significant milestone in his journey. However, tragically, K, aged 24, lost his battle to lymphoma in January 2023, despite extensive medical intervention.

Other recipients included M, J, and A, each confronting their respective diagnoses with unwavering courage. However, one of the children sadly succumbed to brain tumor complications in October 2023.

Several patients, including J, J, P, and C, continued their ongoing battles against osteosarcoma and lymphoma, demonstrating remarkable resilience in the face of adversity.

The project also extended support to individuals like K, who tragically passed away due to Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia, and R, who faced a relapse of lymphoma. A survivor of brain tumor, M, received assistance for various medical procedures and treatments, showcasing the project's commitment to aiding both survivors and those facing relapses.

In total, the expenses incurred for medical procedures, treatments, and support amounted to ₱393,805.83, highlighting the substantial financial burden associated with battling cancer. Operation Bukol stood as a beacon of hope, offering vital assistance and solidarity to children and young adults bravely fighting against cancer in Batangas.



## **SCBPMM EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

### Christmas Campaign 2023

Participated in International Monetary Fund Helping Hands employee fundraising campaign.

Participated in World Bank Community Connections employee fund raising.

Communications with Partners in 2023 - 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. In April 2023, board member Juliet Teodosio made a site visit to one of our beneficiaries, ACED program at Hilltop community in Largo, Novaliches, Quezon City. In June 2023, board member Marcel Bretault visited Tulay ng Kabataan in Manila.

## **TO OUR DONORS**

We would like to thank ALL of you who have made donations in 2023 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 can continue the mission of SCBPMM.

### 2023 Major sources of SCBPMM revenue:

World Bank Community Connections Employee Giving  
International Monetary Fund Giving Together Campaign

## **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**

Maricel Bretault

Cristina Cruz

Vanessa Lagera

Alice Lieberman

Fernando Manibog

Jan Martin

Juliet Teodosio

### **Officers**

President: Peggy Carrington

Treasurer – Aurora Murphy

Secretary – Vanessa Lagera

### **Other Core Volunteers**

Administrative Assistant - Pamela Michalegko

Bookkeeper – Daniel Smith

Partner Coordinators – Maricel Bretault, Cecile Motus, Armida San Jose, Inday Feranil, Fernando Manibog, Juliet Teodosio

Social Media: Francis Molina, Lloyd Celis



**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](http://www.scbphilippinemedicalmission.org).

### **VOLUNTEER**

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

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

Facebook Page: St. Charles Borromeo Philippine Medical Mission

**SCBPMM**  
**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**  
**December 31, 2023**

<b>Cash</b>	<b><u>59,439</u></b>
<b>Net Assets</b>	
Without Donor Restrictions	56,889
With Donor Restrictions	<u>2,550</u>
	<b><u>59,439</u></b>

**SCBPMM**  
**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**  
**For the year ended December 31, 2023**

<b>Revenues</b>	
Donations	
Without Restrictions	55,670
With Restrictions	6,225
In-Kind	322
	<u>62,217</u>
Interest Income	4
<b>Total</b>	<b><u>62,221</u></b>
<b>Distribution/Expenses</b>	
<b>Program Services</b>	
Distributions	37,500
Charges and fees	492
	<u>37,992</u>
<b>Support Services</b>	
Fundraising	447
Management and general	6,139
	<u>6,585</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b><u>44,577</u></b>
<b>Change in Net Assets</b>	<b>17,644</b>
<b>Net Assets, December 31, 2022</b>	<b><u>41,795</u></b>
<b>Net Assets, December 31, 2023</b>	<b><u>59,439</u></b>



THANK YOU!