

# EMMAUS HOUSE

# 2019

## YEAR IN REVIEW

The Haitian proverb, “Dèyè mòn gen mòn,” (behind mountains there are mountains) accurately describes Haiti. Preserving the climb up one mountain only leads you to the summit of the next one. This is what it feels like to work in Haiti. It keeps you humble, reliant on God, and keenly aware of your powerlessness in all of it.

Resilience is the ability to keep climbing and moving forward in the midst of hardships. The staff and youth of Emmaus House did just that in 2019. The ongoing political instability of last year resulted in gas and food shortages, as well as the shutdown of schools, banks, and businesses. The powerlessness to stop it resulted in a cloud of despair across the country. We had to sit down and decide that we would keep moving forward. So the tutor still came, visitors still came, Gerome rode a bike to work, our youth started businesses, looked for employment, connected with the local church and served their community. We chose to see this time of instability as an opportunity.

Resilience cannot exist without two things: a support system and hope. I want to personally thank you for providing both to our youth last year. The only reason our youth have the ability to be resilient when many in Haiti don't is because of the prayers, hope, and support you have given them as they climb these Haitian mountains one at a time.

Cap Haitien sits at the base of the mountains. Because of you, our youth can look them straight in the eye with the confidence they need to climb them, and the mountain behind them.

Tanya Pirtle  
Executive Director



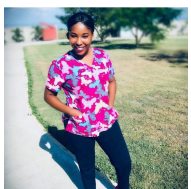
## The mission of Emmaus House is to transition orphaned youth into independent living in Haiti.

Here are just a few youth whose lives you impacted in 2019...



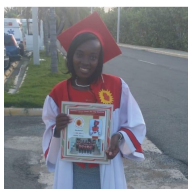
### Papouch

In 2019 Papouch started the launching phase at Emmaus House. After graduating from professional trade school he was unable to find employment, so with the mentorship of our accountant and administrator, Papouch was able to start a successful business and will be living independently by March.



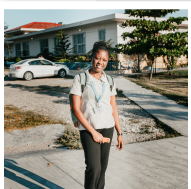
### Kencia

After struggling for over a year looking for employment, Kencia finally found a job she loves at a local medical clinic last fall. In addition to her new position, she also started a successful clothing business. Kencia is currently saving up for her first apartment and plans on moving into independence by March.



### Arianne

In December 2019 Arianne graduated from professional trade school where she studied to become an administrative assistant. She is currently finishing up her practicum and will soon be looking for full time employment as she enters the launch phase of our program.



### Merly

In December 2019, Merly was part of the 1st class of Physical Therapy students to graduate from the Faculté des Sciences de Réhabilitation de Léogâne. Before graduation, she was offered a 3-month contract at a hospital in Port au Prince. With the high demand for therapists in Haiti, she will be living independently soon.



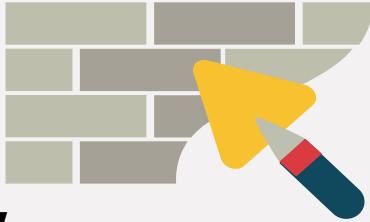
# A YEAR OF IMPACT

THANKS TO GENEROUS PARTNERS LIKE YOU!

## BUILDING

12

Men in Haiti were employed to build the security wall surrounding our new campus site.



## COMMUNITY

FIVE

Community service projects were led by the Emmaus youth: a youth rally at their local church, a youth basketball tournament, a medical clinic, and two Christmas programs for children.



## FUNDRAISERS

6

Churches partnered with Emmaus House to do a Giving Envelopes fundraiser and raised \$26,741 for a new youth home.

150

Gathered in Tennessee for the Out of The Darkness Gala to raise money for the new Emmaus House campus.



## YOUTH

24 youth served around Haiti



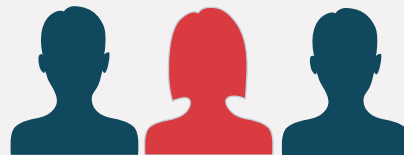
1 student found employment



TWO Students graduated secondary school

ONE Student graduated college with a degree in Physical Therapy

TWO Students graduated professional school



3 New new youth, referred by local church and school partners, moved into our residential homes.

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Youth committed their lives to Christ in baptism.



## STAFF

2 new staff positions were created in Haiti for both a Youth Minister & Accountant

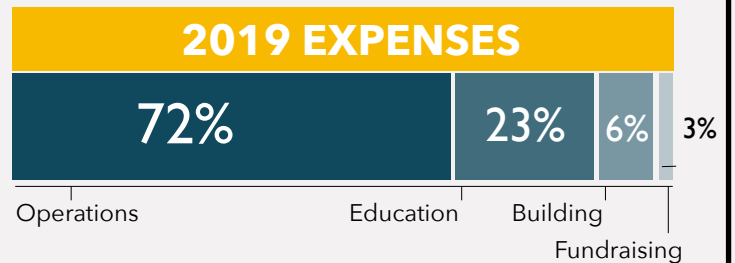
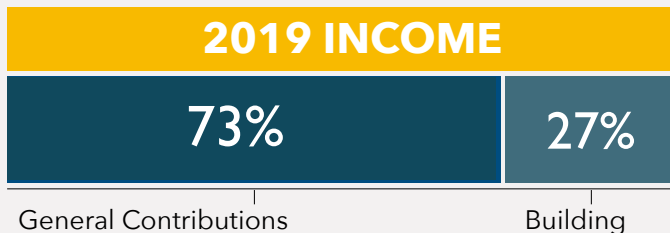
# 2019 FINANCIAL REVIEW

## INCOME

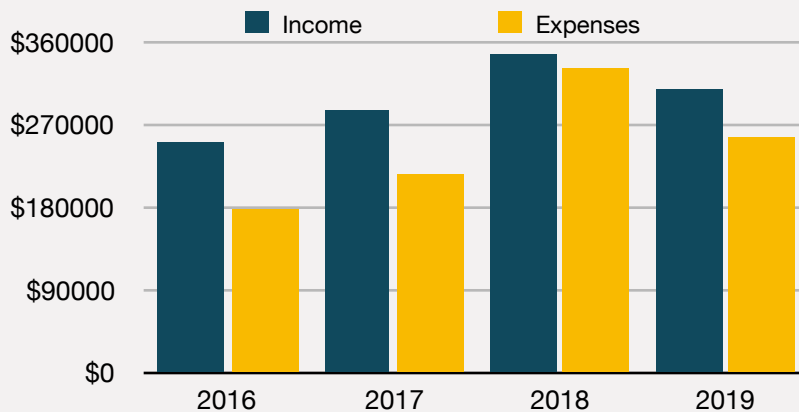
General Contributions	\$226,241.39
Building Campaign	\$81,837.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$308,078.89</b>

## EXPENSES

Programs & Operations	\$187,795.91
Building	\$16,683.39
Education	\$44,789.62
Fundraising	\$8,574.02
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$257,842.94</b>



## YEARLY GROWTH



## BUILDING CAMPAIGN

### TOTAL NEEDED:

\$632,500

### TOTAL RAISED:

\$286,980.50

## OUR 2019 PARTNERS:

**16** CHURCHES

**239** INDIVIDUALS

## 2020 FINANCIAL GOALS

	YEARLY GOAL	COMMITTED	STILL NEED
General Contributions	\$229,488	\$182,860	\$46,628
Building Campaign	\$200,000	\$0	\$200,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$429,488</b>	<b>\$182,860</b>	<b>\$246,628</b>

Financial budget for 2020 is based on a projection of 23 youth.



# 2020 GOALS

## ORGANIZATION GOALS

- Host a transition care conference stateside for Haitian organizations
- Welcome 2 new members to the board of directors
- Start a yearly sponsor trip to Haiti
- Engage at least 5 new churches to become ministry partners in 2020

## PROGRAM GOALS

- Transition 4 youth into independent living
- Intake 6 new youth
- Graduate 1 student from secondary school
- Establish a working mental health program for both youth and staff
- Start a basketball outreach program
- Build curriculum for spiritual development program

## BUILDING GOALS

- Complete construction of the security wall
- Complete the construction of the 1st youth home and transition boys from rental home to new campus
- Complete the bottom level of the administration building

Want to make an impact  
for Haitian youth in 2020?

**BECOME AN EMMAUS HOUSE PARTNER!**



### SPONSOR A YOUTH

Invest in the life of a young adult at Emmaus House by becoming a sponsor.

[www.emmaushousehaiti.org/youth-sponsorship](http://www.emmaushousehaiti.org/youth-sponsorship)



### BECOME A FINANCIAL PARTNER

Partner with Emmaus House to bring hope to orphaned Youth in Haiti.

[www.emmaushousehaiti.org/currentneeds](http://www.emmaushousehaiti.org/currentneeds)



### BUILD THE FUTURE

Help us grow our impact and expand our reach in Northern Haiti.

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