



*Revealing Hope.
Restoring Life.*

GLOBAL AID NETWORK

ANNUAL REPORT

JULY 1, 2023 - JUNE 30, 2024

OUR MISSION

Global Aid Network (GAiN) helps to reveal hope and restore life through relief and development initiatives for people living in crisis, poverty and injustice. Compelled by love, rooted in faith, and driven by an unshakeable belief in human dignity, GAiN partners with vulnerable communities to bring about lasting whole-person transformation.



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MESSAGE FROM THE CEO

Aaron Rogers

As I look back on this past fiscal year, I can clearly see God’s hand at work. Whether it was delivering pallets of food to Ukraine or responding to crises around the globe, His presence has marked every step. I’m deeply grateful for His unending love and faithfulness—often reflected through partners like you—who choose to bring light and hope into the darkest places, opening doors for physical, spiritual, social, and economic restoration.

This year was particularly meaningful as we celebrated 25 years of ministry—a milestone made possible only through God’s grace and the steadfast partnership of people like you. Leading Global Aid Network (GAiN) Canada through another year of opportunities has been a privilege.

Our ministry partners have continued to give generously and engage wholeheartedly with our mission, fueling our shared commitment to reveal hope and restore life to people living in crisis.

One of the greatest encouragements this year has been seeing our teams reach unreached and unengaged people groups in our partner countries. With upgraded drilling technology in our Water for Life Initiative, we’ve been able to go deeper—both into the ground to find clean water and into areas once thought inaccessible. Reports from the field tell of not just access to safe water, but of hearts in these remote villages opening to the gospel.

We’ve also strengthened our partnerships with GAiN offices worldwide, allowing us to expand our global impact. Together, we’ve delivered shipments of critical supplies into war-affected Ukraine, and we’re working strategically to extend clean water access—and the Living Water of Jesus Christ—into new nations. Alongside this, we have been empowering women living in generational poverty, equipping them with the tools

and opportunities needed to break cycles of hardship and build a future filled with dignity and hope.

These moments give me hope and vision for the future. In the coming year, we will continue to partner globally, refine our strategies, and prayerfully seek the people God is calling to join our mission. Whatever we put our hands to—whether it is expanding into new regions, serving vulnerable communities, or creating sustainable solutions—we do it all in the name of Christ.

We step into this next season with great expectation, trusting that God will continue to move in powerful ways. Thank you for walking this journey with us—and for helping us bring hope where it’s needed most.

Serving with you,

Aaron

Aaron Rogers
Executive Director & CEO
Global Aid Network (GAiN) Canada

YOUR IMPACT:



5
CONTAINERS

2,008,200
OF FOOD SERVINGS WITH A VALUE OF
\$292,864

19,962 LOANS
DISPERSED



308 CHILDREN
SPONSORED

102 WOMEN
SPONSORED

7 VOLUNTEERS
ENGAGED WITH GAIN

202,000 PEOPLE
HAVE ACCESS TO SAFE WATER

202 WATER WELLS

19,344
ATTENDED HYGIENE &
SANITATION TRAINING



Through the local church:

177 NEW CHURCH
PLANTS

21 SIMPLE CHURCH
STRUCTURES BUILT

116,381 PEOPLE
HEARD ABOUT JESUS

23,867 PEOPLE DECIDED
TO FOLLOW THE TEACHINGS OF
JESUS CHRIST

11,706 PEOPLE ARE LEARNING
ABOUT THEIR FAITH



FINDING STRENGTH IN FAMILY



“This is evidence of God’s love and care in [our] lives. [I am] very grateful to everyone who is involved in this good deed.” ~Raissa

For two years we have brought aid and support to the people of Ukraine as they continue to navigate the war. Current stats report that there are 5.9 million Ukrainian refugees recorded across Europe and 3.7 million internally displaced people (IDPs) in Ukraine. Simply put, there are still millions of people in dire need of practical provision, such as food and shelter, especially since we are in the midst of winter.

Our local partners on the ground recently encountered two women, Raissa and Violetta, who have both been profoundly impacted by GAIN’s work. Although the women live over 600 km apart and do not know each other, both share similar stories of finding hope in a time of overwhelming loss and hardship.

Raissa Kelb is a 39-year-old woman who lives with her husband and children in Kherson. Despite the danger of staying there during the period of occupation by Russian troops, her family remained because both she and her husband are in charge of caring for their elderly parents. Raissa works as a hairdresser while her husband works in the municipal service of the city.

Due to the massive explosion of the Kakhovka reservoir, Raissa’s house completely flooded and became unusable, causing city authorities to resettle their family in a hostel. The four of them huddle in the same room and share a kitchen with 16 other families. Life is not easy, wages have fallen and the chances of saving enough money to repair their house or buy a new home are slim. But Raissa has not lost hope for a better life—she is inspired by the fact that people from all over the world are helping the people of Kherson. Since receiving aid from GAIN, she now has the resources to feed her family for some time.

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Violetta Chizhevskaya (30 years old) lives in Kharkov and raises her children, Ilya (5 years old) and Dasha (4 years old) by herself. Like many residents of Kharkov, the family was left homeless and forced to rent an apartment. Violetta is a practical psychologist, but since the beginning of the war, her client demand has significantly decreased. Earnings are hardly enough for utilities and rent.

Therefore, when help came from GAIN, Violetta was exceedingly thankful. She was already thinking about buying shoes for her children, so it was perfect timing when GAIN arrived with brand new sneakers for her kids. Additionally, the family received a food package. The children were especially pleased with the sweets!



“This help [has] not only met [my] material needs but [has] also strengthened [my] faith in human kindness and God’s love.” ~Violetta

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Raissa and Violetta are two women of incredible strength and grit, supporting the needs of their families in a time when their own lives are at risk. Losing their homes and barely scraping together enough funds to make ends meet is difficult and taxing, which is why it gives GAIN such great joy to be able to bless their families with practical aid. Their stories remind us that while many people are surviving each day, the need for basic necessities, like food, shelter and adequate clothing, is still prevalent. As an organization, we are devoted to seeing health and vitality permeate Ukraine once again and look ahead to many more months of bringing humanitarian aid and the love of Christ to those we encounter on the ground.

PUSHING THE LIMITS



Through Global Aid Network’s Economic Empowerment strategy, women in Paraguay are pushing past the limits of what they believed to be possible for their lives. No longer are they enslaved to the cruel cycle of poverty that leaves them desperate and empty-handed. Instead, they are being freed to enjoy the gift of financial stability, spiritually rich community and hope for their families and future.

Maria Lorena is one such woman who was empowered to thrive as both a budding entrepreneur and mother with the resources to care for her loved ones. Before learning about Diaconia, our partner organization in Paraguay, she endeavored to provide for her three children by selling bead jewelry and different accessories from her home. Starting out, she bought hair bows to sell to the other parents at her children’s school. Even though her business barely generated any income, it was something.

One day, she heard about a vocational training course that could teach her how to make the bows herself, which would allow her to save the money she spent on buying them. She signed up right away!

“I love the way the professor teaches,” Maria Lorena shared. *“She is very professional and now thanks to Diaconia, I am learning to make bows myself and [am] going to have a larger profit margin.”*

Maria Lorena loves that she can make more creative and personalized products for different occasions.

“I can’t believe how beautiful they turn out!” she said. *“I’m so proud of my progress and I love coming to the course to distract myself, enjoy the company, and learn from the experiences of other women.”*

Maria Lorena looks forward to signing up for additional vocational training courses and using her new marketable skills to provide a better quality of life for her three children.

The program places a high value on community and operates out of the belief that people flourish best when they are surrounded by an encouraging support system. This value is what shaped Mariana Serna’s life into one of joy, confidence and empowerment.

Before connecting with Diaconia, Mariana Serna had problems maintaining her minimarket. She didn’t have enough money to cover her personal needs and the needs of the business. One day, she was invited to be part of a Trust Group, a place of community and encouragement where women come together weekly to champion each other as entrepreneurs. Mariana was also given a micro-loan, a lump sum of money that she could use to help boost the productivity of her minimarket.

Thanks to the consistent support of her Trust Group, Mariana was not only able to repay her loan, but managed to grow her business and pay off various expenses. Having never had the opportunity to study at university, she also used the money generated from her business to fulfill her dream of studying.

“In each cycle I am able to recharge my business and have more products. People from my neighborhood already know my store and come to buy my products. Many women from my neighborhood also began to join a Diaconia group. I tell all women to be encouraged . . . with something small God can do many things and surprise us. You just have to have faith and perseverance.”

The power of her Trust Group’s support and friendship was instrumental in Mariana’s journey towards financial stability. She can now enjoy running her minimarket, socializing with her community and dreaming up new goals and aspirations for the future.

Maria and Mariana are experiencing freedom—freedom both in the program’s values of empowerment, education and community and also in Jesus. By receiving the financial and relational support, a solid foundation has been laid for them to continue growing not only as entrepreneurs, but as strong, courageous women of God.

Currently, there are 7,283 microfinance clients and 415 Trust Groups that are being positively impacted by our Economic Empowerment work in partnership with Diaconia. Recent reports also show that there are 243 active volunteer chaplains who are providing spiritual mentorship and support to clients as well as 7,268 women who have received vocational training. The continuous growth is an encouraging indicator that this ministry is truly altering the course of thousands of lives in Paraguay.

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VOCATIONAL
TRAINING

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MICROFINANCE
CLIENTS

415 TRUST
GROUPS

243
CHAPLAINS

FRIDGES & FANS



**36
TINY HOUSES
FOR
146
PEOPLE
WITHOUT
SHELTER**

Ever since the enormous earthquake in February of 2023, Turkey and Syria have been struggling to move forward. The degree of devastation is intense and has pushed tens of thousands of people into an ongoing state of desperation and need.

We have continued our work with our partner on the ground in order to provide aid for those without proper living conditions. Reports show that over three

million individuals are displaced within Turkey. Only an estimated 700,000 of these people have been moved to container houses, which are nothing more than empty, portable containers set up as temporary forms of shelter. These structures lack a bathroom or kitchen and have hardly any electricity, which was extremely trying in the summer months as temperatures were reaching highs of 35 degrees celsius. Some individuals were able to scrape together enough money to buy a mattress or sofa, or had one donated to them by an NGO, but the numbers are few.

One of our partners relayed a story of a family living in one of these container houses:

"Contacts in Istanbul informed us of a family living in Hatay who were in need of help, so some members of our team visited them. It was a family with small babies. Their house had collapsed. All their neighbours had been killed by the earthquake. All except them. They now live with two other families in a single container house. Three families crammed into one container. They have nothing, they have lost everything. One of the big needs we identified was an air conditioner, a fridge and a washing machine".

In an effort to alleviate some of people's discomfort, GAI N and our partner organization sought to provide fans and refrigerators to people living in these container houses. Within days, our teams were able to identify several dozen families living in these difficult conditions and in need of aid. During one distribution, our partners on the ground, accompanied by a governor of the city, encountered an elderly couple in their sixties in the village of Hatay. It was a blisteringly hot 44° day and as the team handed them the fridge, the couple graciously offered the team members a seat and some bottled water.

The elderly man pointed to a pile of rubble, the remains of their house where

a lifetime of memories and experiences are now buried. In spite of everything, they were happy and grateful for the house they have now, which they have been gradually building with their own hands after the earthquake.

Our partner said, *"The heat was extreme and this is a big problem for families like the one we have visited. Not only is it very difficult to withstand the temperatures in a home that is not conditioned for it, but the food does not last long before rotting."*

Giving the elderly couple a refrigerator has not only boosted their spirits, but it has improved their health by allowing them to keep food without fearing it will spoil and make them sick.

"Meeting this couple makes us think about how interesting it is to see the different responses to the tragedy that each family has: some turn to help others, others focus on improving their situation, and others remain paralyzed without knowing what to do," our partner shared.

A fridge may not seem like much, but to these survivors, it has symbolized love and reminded them that there are people out there who care for their wellbeing. To date, our teams on the ground have distributed 75 fans and 75 refrigerators, as well as 8,600 litres of bottled water, 860 food boxes and 1,506 health care kits. They also distributed two large transports of GIK, including essentials such as toilet paper, clothes, blankets and mattresses.

One of our main focuses has been the building of tiny homes for people. Our partners have built 36 tiny houses for approximately 146 people without shelter, all constructed with the purpose of giving people a starting point for which to rebuild their life. The goal is to continue providing homes like this for many more families, as there is a long list of people eagerly waiting to receive one.

The disaster relief we have brought to Turkey and Syria can feel like a small droplet of help in a sea of devastation and need. Yet knowing the hope that can seep out of our lives into those we touch spurs us to keep going. In Jeremiah 29:11, God declares, *"For I know the plans I have for you' declares the Lord. 'Plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you a hope and a future."*

**75
FANS
75
REFRIGERATORS
8,600
LITRES OF BOTTLED WATER
860
FOOD BOXES
1,506
HEALTH CARE KITS**

We speak this promise over the nations of Turkey and Syria, for He who promised is faithful.



HISTORICAL MOMENT



GAiN continues to see extraordinary transformation through the Water for Life Initiative in Benin, Togo and Tanzania. The successful provision of 3,231 wells across all the countries we have worked in means that approximately 3,231,000 people are enjoying a healthier way of life!

David Lee, GAiN's WFLI Environmental Programs and Data Specialist, recently travelled to Togo to connect with some of the communities and facilitate training for the field staff. Thanks to a cancelled flight, he was able to visit an additional village called Agnidjé, located about one hour from the capital city of Lomé. It was there that he witnessed the vibrant hope and excitement of a community awaiting their first deep-capped water well.

"I saw the anticipation in the people's eyes as the drilling rig hammered away bit by bit. They were

really looking forward to the day that the well would be finished," David recalled.

He shared that as he walked around the village, there were pits of varying sizes filled with bright green water. The pits were either hand dug wells that tapped into unclean surface-level groundwater or rainwater collection pits that gathered water saturated with soil and manure. This was the village's sole source of water.

"We wouldn't even want to touch that water, let alone use it," David said.

Next to one of the water pits, David spoke to a middle-aged gentleman named Gilbert, who was happy to see the GAiN team visit and drill a well. Gilbert said that he had lived in the village for his entire life, over 40 years. He also shared that people in Agnidjé would use the unclean

water from the pits in the village for irrigation and flushing. In order to drink, cook, clean, or wash, they would have to travel 5 km away to another village to buy clean water. Some people used a motorcycle, which cost money. Others, especially women and children, had to walk 10 km round trip every day carrying 50 litres of water on their shoulders or heads. Sometimes the water would spill, leaving less than half the amount when they returned.

The process of Agnidjé receiving a well all began when Gilbert talked with a pastor in the region, who was already familiar with GAiN. His church was the fruit of another church that GAiN had helped plant while providing a well from a different village. The pastor shared with Gilbert that GAiN provides wells for communities in need. Realizing that this well could change everything, Gilbert reached out to see if a team could come and help his village.

Gilbert explained that a few months ago, a team from GAiN did some assessments to determine if sub-surface, uncontaminated water was present in the village. When the team successfully found water deep in the ground, everyone in the village was filled with joy

"I cannot describe in words how happy and how hopeful Gilbert and everyone in Agnidjé was watching that drilling rig pound inch by inch closer to clean water," David shared. *"After 40 years of living in Agnidjé, he witnessed flowing water spring up from the ground of his homeland for the first time."*

There are few experiences more profound than watching an entire community transform through the presence of clean running water. With every bucketful, physical bodies are restored, community relationships are strengthened and hope for the future is renewed. To establish both physically and relationally healthy communities in all of our partner countries, GAiN has trained 262,394 individuals in proper hygiene and sanitation practices and engaged 73,416 people in discussion on gender

roles and domestic abuse. Additionally, we have planted a total of 1,090 church plants and ensured that 43,399 people receive further discipleship in their faith.

"This is the most significant event to have happened in Agnidjé since Agnidjé existed," Gilbert expressed. *"This must go in the history books of our land that this day is the day we finally had water. The day we have hope, the day our lives are transformed, and the day we can hope for a better future. Praise be to God Almighty who provides, who listens to our prayers, and who sustains everything! We thank God for the blessing which is the ministry of GAiN."*

The overflowing joy and gratitude of people like Gilbert spur us on to continue doing the work we know that God has given us to do. Slowly but surely, the beauty of clean water and the restorative message of Jesus' love are altering the course of these countries forever.

11,244
PEOPLE MADE
DECISIONS TO
FOLLOW JESUS

65 CHURCH PLANTS

57,480 PEOPLE HAVE BEEN
INTRODUCED TO JESUS' LOVE

12 CHURCH BUILDINGS
HAVE BEEN CONSTRUCTED

3,521 ADULTS
HAVE ATTENDED FOLLOW-
UP GROUPS TO **DIVE DEEPER**
INTO THEIR FAITH

THE CENTRE OF IT ALL

PASTOR FRANCIS SHARED THAT THESE ARE

“LIFE-GIVING STRATEGIES..IT GATHERS ALL OF US TOGETHER..THAT HELPS EQUIP US MORE.”

45% OF VILLAGE ATTENDS NEW CHURCH



It has been a challenging yet highly fruitful season for our *JESUS* Film Church Planting Strategy (JFCPS) teams in Liberia and Sierra Leone as we continue to reach unreached, unengaged people groups (UUPGs). In the midst of political and religious tensions as well as the ongoing difficulty of travelling to these remote areas, our dedicated teams have managed to make significant strides in establishing relationships and sharing the gospel with these communities.

The Manya people of Liberia are a UPG that our teams have been diligently trying to reach, as they have a unique and complex set of struggles in society. Because of unresolved issues related to tribal violence that occurred 400 years ago, the Manya are shunned by other tribes in Liberia. Many converted to Islam, which offered them a sense of unity and belonging in the wake of their isolation from other people groups.

Therefore, the Manya tribe is now primarily associated with Islam. When a Manya person becomes a Christian, it is considered such an affront to their beliefs that they are forced to leave their village for fear of losing their lives. They must also change their name and self-isolate, making it very difficult for fellow Manya believers to find each other.

This past November, our teams visited the village of Nyanwendzu in northern Liberia. Previously, we had planted a church in this village and built a simple structure for them to gather inside. We have now also pledged to provide zinc sheeting so the church will be able to meet during the rainy season.

As we chatted with members of the Nyanwendzu village's church, they openly shared about how the Lord has impacted them and their community. Of the 78 people who live in this small village, 35 of them attend the newly-planted church!

Although the village is primarily made up of the Loma tribe, the team asked if villagers were open to allowing members of other tribes to live in their community. Their immediate answer was a resounding “yes”. Villagers even expressed a willingness to allow Manya tribal members to live with them.

When we asked if they would consider planting a granddaughter church in a nearby Manya village, they immediately replied, “Yes! We don't have any problem with that, as God's grace is for everyone.”

The Nyanwendzu village's attitude of grace and hospitality towards the Manya people is astounding and completely goes against the grain of tribal culture in Liberia. Their openness to people who are shunned by their own Muslim-dominated villages makes this community a city on a hill, a safe haven for the outcasts of society. It is also a demonstration of the unconditional love of Christ, which overrides all religious tensions, cultural barriers and relational divides.

In Sierra Leone, we are encouraged by how our church mobilization strategy is equipping pastors with the tools and resources needed to establish new churches in the area. Pastor Francis, who works at Zion City Assembly church in Matru Jong, spoke to us about how the strategy has had an incredible impact on his ministry.

“They gave us training in [a] seminar. It was very good, after which we were encouraged that we needed to establish churches,” he shared.

Pastor Francis explained that during the training, the JFCPS team showed them the *JESUS* Film and *Walking With Jesus* film series and encouraged them to use it as a tool for evangelism. He then went on to host his own showing and invited his village to come and hear the gospel message!

“We were able to bring this film set and people were there. The community came. They looked at the film. The film (Walking With Jesus, Africa) was educational and it captured a lot of Sierra Leonean context,” Pastor Francis said.

He explained that because the film was in the village's cultural context, the message resonated with many people!

In regards to the JFCPS training, Pastor Francis said, *“These are life-giving strategies. They gather all of us together . . . and we share information, we share ideas together as pastors. That helps equip us more.”*

It is a delight to know that because of the JFCPS seminars and training materials, pastors are growing in the confidence and spiritual maturity needed to plant churches. Pastor Francis's testimony highlights the importance of being continuously equipped and discipled as a leader, as well as the value of meeting together as a community of pastors to support and champion one another.

Our hearts are deeply encouraged by the impact that our ministry has had on communities in Liberia and Sierra Leone this past year. Since 2011, GAIN and JFCPS have planted 1,548 churches across both countries. Additionally, they have shown the *JESUS* Film and *Walking with Jesus* to 840,590 people and witnessed 93,778 of these individuals receive Christ. Of the group who became Christians, 35,699 people have chosen to receive further discipleship in the basics of their faith.

Without the gracious hand of God upon the ministry of our local church partnerships, none of these beautiful stories of grace and growth would be possible. We give thanks for the ongoing work that He is doing in Liberia and Sierra Leone to transform broken communities into light-filled cities on a hill.

BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO MOURN

Morocco is still reeling from the devastating 6.8 magnitude earthquake that struck the western side of the country this past September. Not only were 2,900 people killed and another 5,500 injured, but many remote villages in the Atlas Mountains as well as historic parts of the city of Marrakech were completely obliterated. After conducting an assessment on the ground, GAIN concluded that the need for shelter and blankets was of utmost importance and has since delivered aid to many people affected by the disaster.

Our teams have travelled and distributed aid in various parts of western Morocco and continue to encounter all sorts of people who are eager to share their stories. In one village south of Marrakesh, team members gave a relief package to a 12-year-old boy named Idir, whose life was turned upside down by the violent upheaval of the earthquake. He told the team about how he lost everything he owned and everyone he loved, including both of his parents and his brothers. Today, he lives in a tent with four women who each lost their husbands.

"I continue to speak with my father even though he is no longer around because I miss him so much," Idir shared.

Despite the crushing loss of his family and home, Idir continues to have hope for the future. He dreams of studying and participating in sports and hopes that one day, he will be a worldwide journalist so that everybody will know what he and his country have lived through.

Idir is one of many people in Morocco who have received some form of aid from GAIN. According to recent stats, we have successfully constructed 50 transitional shelters for families, giving them a sense of home and security in the midst of an uncertain time. We have also implemented 25 latrines and distributed 20 large tents, 65 emergency tarps and 600 packages of necessities like food and clothing.

Although our efforts feel small in the wake of such overwhelming loss and hardship, we pray that by meeting



**50
TRANSITIONAL
SHELTERS,
25 LATRINES, 20
LARGE TENTS, 65
EMERGENCY TARPS
& 600 PACKAGES**

some of the immediate needs of the people of Morocco, they will gain a measure of hope and strength for the days to come. Our desire is to one day look back and see Morocco as a country that overcame the darkest of days and is now marked by peace, stability and restoration.

See the Impact: **LIFE TEAMS**



UP CLOSE AND IN AWE

This past fall, a LIFE team of five participants flew to Benin for a 10 day trip to experience the work of GAIIn's Water for Life Initiative (WFLI). The team immersed themselves in the hands-on work of the well process while engaging with the day-to-day activities and rhythms of village culture. The blend of manual labor, relationship building with villagers and time spent with the GAIIn Benin staff all contributed to a deeper understanding and appreciation for what the Lord is doing through the water program.

During a typical day on the LIFE trip, the morning kicked off with team devotions and a quick breakfast before driving for about two hours into the villages. Once there, team members were enveloped in a series of activities, ranging from laying a cement pad to exploring the village to chatting with locals about how life has changed since receiving a well from GAIIn. The GAIIn Benin team served as guides throughout the trip, answering questions and demonstrating how different parts of the well process was done.

"I found it staggering that the Benin GAIIn team would go through all that hard work disguised as water suppliers while they really want to win souls for Jesus," said Marius Schultz, a member of the LIFE team. *"That is being disciples of Jesus on a different level!"*

Frikkie Greyling, leader of the team, added, *"I was impressed with the dedication of the GAIIn Benin team working under very difficult circumstances. They were always smiling."*

One of the greatest joys of the trip was witnessing a village receive clean water for the first time. All the children stayed home from school that day to watch as the GAIIn Benin team put the finishing touches on the well, flushing out sand and installing the pipes. As big bursts of water exploded into the air, people gasped and women ran forward to fill their metal bowls.

"The air was thick with anticipation and excitement," said Sarah Rhea, a member of the LIFE team. *"One woman we talked to said they used to walk two hours round trip to get water! Now there's perfectly clean water right in the middle of their village. It's such a relief for them."*



Later on that night, DRIME performed and the JESUS Film was shown, leading many people to give their hearts to the Lord. As people came forward to receive Christ, the pastor of the local church and members of the DRIME and GAIIn Benin team prayed for and chatted with villagers about the gospel. Everyone was invited to attend the local church

the following Sunday to continue the conversation of what becoming a Christian means.

"The GAIIn Benin team are so servant hearted and gospel motivated," team member Sarah Overmyer shared. Seeing how the Benin team connected with members of the village so intentionally revealed GAIIn's heart to show the love and tenderness of Christ to all.



Another key takeaway of the trip was forming relationships and memories with other members of the LIFE team. Going through long hot days and having the chance to lean on one another and debrief at the close of each day was a meaningful and helpful routine for the group.

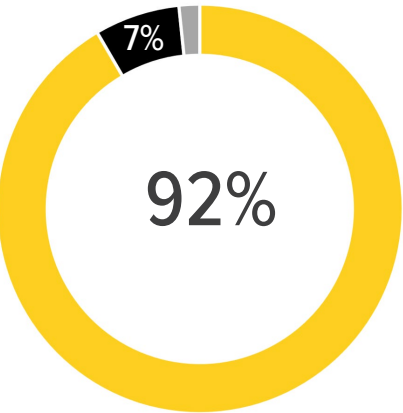
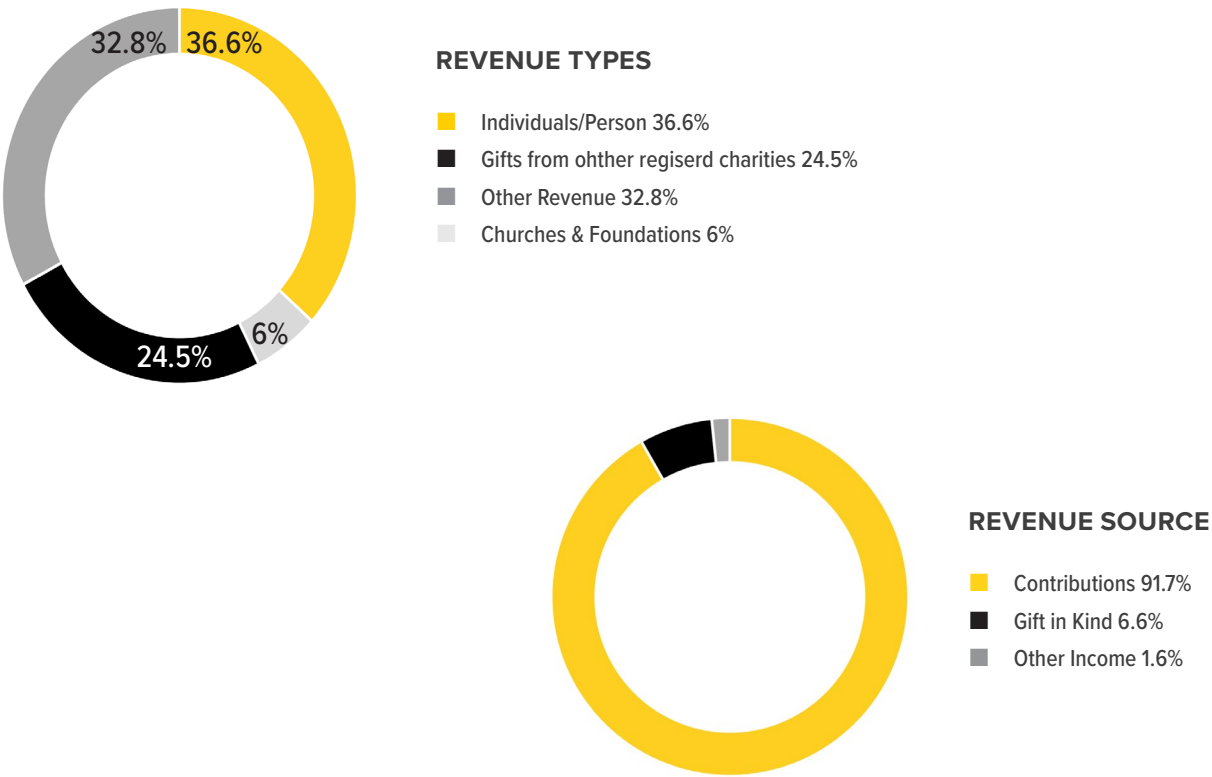
"One of my highlights was definitely the team. We supported each other well and had a lot of fun together!" Sarah Overmyer said.

The team all agreed there is nothing like witnessing the work of GAIIn in person. From the beginning stages of seeing the drilling rig pound into the ground all the way to the moment when crystal clear water flows out of the well's spout, there is an undeniable sense of clarity and awe.

"You realize how stunning the gift of clean water really is," Sarah Rhea shared. *"It changes everything – health, relationships, how people spend their time. It finally clicks when you are there on the ground, watching it all happen."*

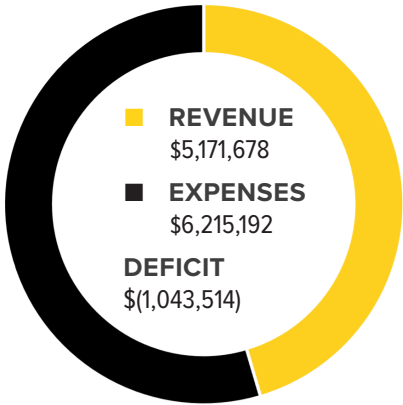


FINANCIAL STATEMENTS



YOUR DONATIONS

- Programs 92%
- Administration 7%
- Fundraising 2%



Statement of Financial Position

June 30, 2024, with comparative information for 2023

	2024	2023
Current Assets:		
Cash	\$ 969,467	\$ 1,959,084
Accounts receivable	100,030	63,569
Short-term investments	301,379	288,000
Inventory	173,689	192,252
Prepaid expenses and deposits	13,870	-
	1,558,435	2,502,905
Capital assets	13,618	12,726
	\$ 1,572,053	\$ 2,515,631
Current Liabilities & Fund Balances		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 130,471	\$ 41,045
Due to related entities	80,842	63,252
	211,313	104,297
General fund	1,347,122	2,398,608
Capital asset fund	13,618	12,726
	1,360,740	2,411,334
Guarantee		
	\$ 1,572,053	\$ 2,515,631

Statement of Operations

Year ended June 30, 2024, with comparative information for 2023

	General Fund	Capital Fund	Total 2024	Total 2023
Revenue:				
Contributions	\$ 4,744,215	\$ -	\$ 4,744,215	\$ 5,297,459
Gifts-in-kind contributions	343,431	-	343,431	547,785
Other Income	84,032	-	84,032	91,239
	5,171,678	-	5,171,678	5,936,483
Expenses:				
Relief and development	5,697,599	-	5,697,599	5,393,711
Child and youth development and assistance	-	-	-	183,957
	5,697,599	-	5,697,599	5,577,668
Fundraising	102,478	-	102,478	107,018
Administration	415,115	7,080	422,195	502,853
	6,215,192	7,080	6,222,272	6,187,539
Deficiency of revenue over expenses	\$ (1,043,514)	(\$ 7,080)	\$ (1,050,594)	\$ (251,056)

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