



“God’s Little Lighthouse”

Fishhoek, South Africa

“GO MAD” - Go Make A Difference

Project Type: children’s Home

Monthly Financial Need: \$700

“GO MAD” is a ministry which partners Barnabas Charities, Inc. with ATAIM ministry of South Africa.

The goal is to find and document projects which are in a survival mode and look for a group who can sponsor/adopt that project which would elevate them to a thriving mode. We believe for a project to be healthy, they need:

1. Hope (Jesus)
2. Clean Water
3. Clothes
4. Food
5. Education

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History & Background

A lady named Pam Keightley started God’s Little Lighthouse in 1990 with a vision of to “Teach children the Love of God.” This is a program that runs as not only a pre-school, but also an after school program and a holiday program for children. They have approximately 90 children each day and run it with 6 volunteers.

The children who come here do not have social skills and lack self esteem. Many of them come from abusive family surroundings as well. God’s Little Lighthouse works on the above things as well as teach the children English. Pam runs this program and asks each parent to pay for their children to be there. However, if they do not have the money, she still accepts them and takes care of them. They operate in a house that is in dire need of maintenance. Out of 6 toilets, only 2 work.



They could use all new playground equipment. Most of what they have is broken.

This could be so much more with just some ongoing upkeep. One area that needs work is the playground equipment. Most of the equipment is broken and/or very old and missing pieces.

This is a project that you immediately tell does an incredible job with the children. The one consistent thing that you see is children smiling and just plain happy. This is one of the goals of Pam and it is stressed in every activity through out each day.

A great project for a group to take on who could come periodically to do maintenance work. The walls need painting as well as every room in the house needs some upkeep.

Pam is one who never asks for handouts or help. She believes God will provide the money when needed. Gaps in her care are maintenance, food from time to time, playground equipment, and teams that can not only do upkeep but who can do programs with the children.

Current Needs

Many things are needed to get this project into a thriving mode and out of a survival mode. They are:

- \$700 ongoing support to allow the project to fill in the gaps when needed and to allow for money for ongoing maintenance
- Teams to come and do maintenance work as well as provide programs for the children
- Playground Equipment
- Plumbing help to fix the bathrooms and toilets
- Help to change the kitchen to make it more efficient
- Toys and books for the children



You will see the children always smiling. What a testimony about the program.