



*"Then you will know the truth,
and the truth will set you free."*



Christian Dominican Medical Mission was founded on the concept that with Medical Care we could show compassion to the sick in the Dominican Republic. Showing Christ's love for them earns the right to share the Gospel by meeting their urgent need for medicine and the health care concerns they have. Throughout the year we host medical, dental, and eye clinics in the churches we work with.

Starting new churches has always been an active part of the CDMM outreach plan. This is a very time consuming undertaking often taking many years to get going to the point where local leaders are directing the growth of the church.

Starting new churches is exciting, challenging, and requires a lot of help. There are many aspects you could help with including evangelism, Sunday schools, acquisition of Bibles and other training aids, worship services, Bible studies, property acquisition, construction of church buildings: or social activities like movies, family night, VBS, and all of the Christian growth activities that will help the church body grow spiritually.

CDMM is involved with numerous weekly ministries for the entire family; men, women, children and youth. We provide Sunday School materials and plan special activities. Throughout the year we host different church retreats at New Hope Mission Center. Since 2008, every month youth leaders from every church gather together for Youth Leaders Training. During this time we train the youth and provide materials for youth group.

In 2014, we started a weekly bible study and recreation night with a group of young men training to be professional baseball players. Our goal is for these young men to have Christ in their hearts before going on to the major league, or if they return to their village we will have the opportunity to reach out to their communities through them and plant more churches bringing more people to Christ.

The prison ministry of CDMM is a redemptive outreach with the vision to transform the Dominican society through the lives of changed men. These men who were once a scorn and a burden, are finding purpose in life... a new chance to be responsible, useful and a blessing to their families and their communities. This is the life changing effect that only Christ can bring.

We are training and equipping the future leaders in the church of the Dominican Republic. We are disciple makers.

—Why Work in the D.R.—

*“Whoever is generous to the poor
lends to the LORD, and he will repay
him for his deed.”*

The Dominican Republic occupies the eastern two-thirds of the island of Hispaniola, which it shares with Haiti. Its area equals that of Vermont and New Hampshire combined. Ninety-five percent of the population claims to practice Roman Catholicism. Haitian migrants cross the porous border into the Dominican Republic to find work bringing witchcraft voodoo.

More than a third of the Dominican Republic lives on less than \$1.25 a day and over 20% of the country lives in extreme poverty. Most of the poverty in the Dominican Republic is concentrated in the rural areas. The rural poverty rate is about three times as high as the urban poverty rate.

We are called to help the poor and lost. We believe that God wants us to help the people of the Dominican Republic and Haiti. There is a spiritual battle in this country between good and evil. Many of the communities we work in have many Haitian immigrants. We are trying to help the next generation to step away from the evil. We are teaching the people of the Dominican that you need to have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and shine the light in everything that you do. With most people having a background in Roman Catholicism, it is normal for people to go to church once or twice a year and think they are saved because they were baptized as an infant. We are changing this idea, by equipping the future leaders to go out and make disciples of Christ.



MISSION STATEMENT

“Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything Jesus commanded.”

Our Goal is to earn the right to share the Gospel through all that we do. Making Life-long Christians that become Disciple- makers. We seek to save the lost and to direct them to a holistic level of health: body, mind, and soul; that they may become fruitful, diligent, Kingdom builders, Spiritual leaders, and examples to their communities, people of impeccable moral fiber, Spirit directed character, and sound judgment. Giving Christ the credit for all that they accomplish with their lives. We seek to establish new churches and develop expedient growth of existing churches.



— What we believe —

About the Bible

The Bible is the one true Word of God inspired by God both the Old and New Testament. It is complete infallible and needs no correction in any way. We speak where the Bible speaks, and are silent where the Bible is silent.

About Jesus Christ

God the son Jesus Christ, was born of a virgin. He was completely Man and completely God, he lived a perfect life without any sin. Christ died for our sins voluntarily for all the sins of all humanity once, and for all. He was buried, and on the third day he rose again. He will return to earth in the end time to judge all people.

About Salvation

Salvation is a free gift where we are forgiven of our sins, and receive the Holy Spirit, and the gift of eternal life in Heaven with God when we die. This is acquired by belief in Christ as the one and only Son of God and accepting Him as your personal Savior and Lord and being baptized.

About God

God of the Bible is the one and only God. Completely good existing in three persons: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. The Triune created the universe from nothing. God is the author of life, love, truth, intellect, and mercy. God is all powerful, all knowing, omnipresent, and completely faithful. God cannot lie, or sin in any way.

About the Holy Spirit

God the Holy Spirit has the Divine character of God, and Christ, and dwells in the soul of every Christian to help us produce fruit in our lives and to keep our focus on becoming better Christians as we mature.

About the Church

The Church is the body of Christ on earth, the community of believers throughout the world. Upon surrender to Christ, a person is adopted into the Church. In addition, the priesthood of all believers means each Christian is called to be a serving minister. The Church's mission is the Great Commission.

“Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”

DONNY & HANAH KLEIN



Donny was born and raised on the mission field in the Dominican Republic. He made the decision at age 7 to make Jesus the Lord and Savior of his life and was baptized into Christ. He was actively involved in Christian Dominican Medical Mission, with translating, helping with church programs, and hosting visiting teams. Donny was very involved in the Youth Leaders Training program throughout high school. He would always find ways to share the gospel. Donny has been training his whole life to continue in his parents footsteps to continue mission work. After

high school, he took Bible Institute classes while starting new ministries.

Hanah grew up in the church in the small town of Auburn, Illinois and made the decision at age 9 to make Jesus the Lord and Savior in her life and was baptized. Hanah was always very involved in her church and youth group. She looked for every opportunity to share Christ with her classmates. In 2008, Hanah went on her first mission trip to the Dominican Republic with her church. They were working with CDMM, building a house for a local church member that had just lost his house in a hurricane, and showing Christ's love with children through Vacation Bible School. She fell in love with the country and decided she wanted to be a missionary one day. Also during this trip Donny and Hanah became good friends and remained friends. Hanah continued going back to the Dominican Republic every other year and her and Donny's friendship continued to grow until they fell in love.

In 2015, Donny and Hanah were married and began working with Christian Dominican Medical Mission as partners. They have been working in the Dominican Republic since 2015 and love what they do. They started working in the small village of Salamanca winning hearts for Jesus. They started with just youth and children's programs, but now also have a weekly worship service where they have watched these youth mature into faithful Christians. Donny never imagined that he would be the pastor of a church and was nervous at age 20 to take on that responsibility, but he felt the call and said yes. Donny and Hanah are currently investing in a young man, training him and molding him into the future pastor of the church. Donny and Hanah were trained by Cindy to led the Youth Leaders Training program and equip the young leaders of the church. The goal is to build up leaders and disciples that will go out and make new disciples. Their job is to equip the future leaders in the church of the Dominican Republic. They are excited about planting more churches in unchurched villages and making more kingdom workers.

GARY & CINDY KLEIN



Gary and Cindy Klein were living the 'American dream' with a boat in the driveway and a beautiful house overlooking the Puget Sound in Tacoma, WA. Gary was an Elder at a local church and worked at the V.A. Hospital as a NP and Captain in the Air Force. While Cindy, a RN led a ladies Bible study along with teaching children's Sunday School, and kept the home as a mother of four with a fifth on the way... then God called them to be missionaries. In 1991, the Klein family moved down to the Dominican Republic with the goal to earn the right to share the Gospel by first caring for the physical needs of those hurting and then share about the healing love of God.

From the very beginning of the first evangelistic outreach clinic, it was clear that the battle was not against flesh and blood, but against evil forces. The presence of voodoo, spiritism and black magic was prevalent in the Dominican. Looking at health issues from a medical point of view, left Gary with an incomplete picture with what he was going to see and experience. Showing the Jesus movie, the evening they arrived at San Juan de la Maguana drew a crowd of hundreds of people. As people watched the movie, it was clear that many had never heard the story of Jesus Christ. They knew they had come to a place where people really needed the Lord. As the movie finished, twelve people raised their hand and came forward to accept Jesus as their personal Lord and Savior. The next day Gary worked into the night and treated 222 patients with a total of 30 accepting Christ! It was the beginning of an exciting period of mission work.

The mission has grown to include a much broader scope today. In addition to Medical Clinics, we are actively involved in church planting, leadership training, interactive youth and children's programs, prison ministry, sports clinics, and so much more.

Gary and Cindy have six grown children and nine grandchildren all of which are active in Christian ministry. Although Cindy cherishes the time she spends in the States with her grandchildren, she also loves ministering with Gary and their adult children in the Dominican Republic. Training her Dominican and Haitian spiritual children and grandchildren in the way they should go is her passion. She has known many of the ladies she ministers to throughout their adult lives and has been a Sunday School teacher and Youth Group leader to their children. She has an active woman's ministry, is the Sunday school administrator, a Sunday school teacher, VBS coordinator, Mission hostess, and helps with the other ministries as well.

After twenty-eight years, the focus is still on earning the right to share the gospel and bringing those who have come to know freedom in Christ into maturity as disciples. The mission has grown into a network of over twenty churches and is committed to helping them develop into independent mature churches.

DAVID KLEIN



When David was 8 years old, a missionary visited his home church with tales of sharing Christ in the African jungle. With a heart for evangelism and an adventurous spirit, David knew then that he wanted to be a missionary one day. As you can imagine, when his parents moved his family to the Dominican Republic just a few years later, he was thrilled.

The oldest of Gary and Cindy's children, David was active in ministry together with his father from the beginning years of their medical outreach. Everything from packing the van up just right, to setting up camp, to managing the sound equipment while local ministers preached and his father treated patients. And of course, the evangelism. Once David finished high school level in studies at home with his parents as his teachers, he studied Bible and Missions, first at Boise Bible College in Idaho, and later at Mid Atlantic Cristian University in Elizabeth City, North Carolina.

In recent years, David has been dedicated to his work in the Dominican prisons, rescuing the lost, baptizing hundreds, and helping guide them in becoming Godly men and leaders of their families and communities. Working together with inmate leaders at five different prisons, he has seen God transform lives and change hardened criminals into men who radiate love and peace in the world around them. He has also had the opportunity to work in training new prison guards at the national guard academy.

When David is not busy with ministry in the prisons, he works part time at a local scuba equipment service shop, and enjoys diving, camping, history, metal detecting, and riding his motorcycle.

LIBBY KINDER



I was born in 1952, the second oldest of the five Carlson children. Cindy is my younger sister and, even from the start, she was the most adventurous of all of us. It definitely takes faith and a sense of adventure to move off to a foreign land and become a missionary!

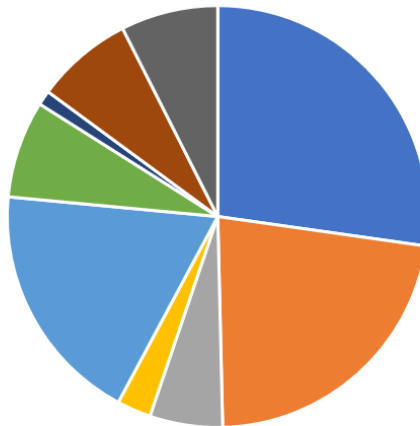
I was honored when Gary and Cindy asked me to be their Forwarding Agent. I was reluctant because I already had a full time job as an oil and gas accountant and 6 outstanding grandkids who keep me very busy. I like to spend my spare time at my cabin on the Medina River tubing down the river or kayaking with the grandkids. Cindy and Gary convinced me that I could do it and it wouldn't be that much work. Of coarse, I forgot that this was coming from two people who work harder than anyone I know. I am so blessed by being a part of this mission and look forward to retiring from my full time paying job in the fall and using my God given talents to be more help to CDMM and hopefully, be able to visit the Dominican Republic more often and serve beside the Kleins in some of their mission activities.

FUNDING

CDMM Total Monthly Expenses

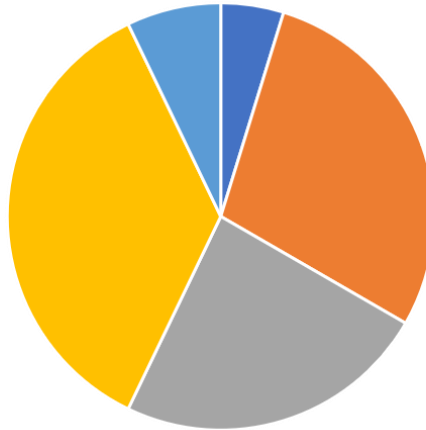
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Donny & Hanah
Personal Expenses
\$2,680 a month



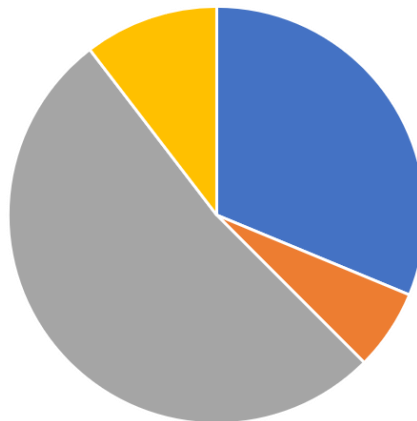
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- Food
- Health Insurance
- Phone & Internet
- Fundraising
- Personal
- Utilities
- Savings
- Givings

Ministry Expenses
\$4,200 a month



- Youth Leaders
- Church Plants
- Maintenance of Church Buildings
- Church Development
- Special Activities

Overall Mission
Expenses
\$4,800 a month



- Facility
- Outreach
- Other CDMM Missionary Salaries
- Vehicle Maintenance

“And my God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus.”

—SNAPSHOTS FROM THE DR—



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