

WHERE YOUR GIFTS MADE A DIFFERENCE

2024

When you take a global view of our world, natural disasters occur every week. When you add war, civil wars, and ethnic conflict, slower-moving disasters continue to fester each day. Larger disasters are captured by our news media, and word of these tragedies is brought into our homes. It is difficult to imagine the suffering of those whose lives are forever changed. However, many needs of our world—whether in a neighboring state or half the world away—remain uncovered by our news media. With our extensive network of international and domestic partners, American Baptists can—and do—make a difference wherever and whenever disaster strikes.

Here’s where your gifts made a difference in 2024.

EMERGENCY RELIEF GRANTS



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COUNTRY	SITUATION CALLING FOR A RESPONSE
Burundi	Free Baptist Church of Burundi - Flood Relief
Cuba	Fraternidad de Iglesias Bautistas de Cuba - Hurricane Relief
Cuba	Convención Bautista de Cuba Oriental - Hurricane Relief
DR Congo.....	Heal Africa - Food Assistance to IDPs in Goma
India.....	Kuki Baptist Convention - Ethnic Violence
Lebanon.....	Resurrection Church of Beirut - Lebanese Refugees
Lebanon.....	Beirut Baptist School - Support for Lebanese Refugees
Liberia.....	Liberia Tribal Baptist Convention - Rain Storm Relief
Myanmar.....	Mekong Minority Foundation - Civil Strife Relief
Myanmar.....	Mekong Minority Foundation - Flood Relief
Philippines.....	Companion with the Poor - Flood Relief in Manila
Rwanda.....	Seira Community Church - Storm Relief
Spain.....	Unión Evangélica Bautista España - Flood Relief
Sri Lanka	Lanka Evangelical Alliance Development Service - Flood Relief
Thailand	Thailand Baptist Missionary Fellowship - Flood Relief

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STATE	SITUATION CALLING FOR A RESPONSE
AZ	Monte Vista Cross Cultural Church, Phoenix: Good Samaritan Program- Responding to the Southern Border Crisis
FL	Mt. Olivet Development Corporation, Fort Lauderdale: Hurricane Helene Statewide Disaster Relief and Recovery Effort
MA.....	Massachusetts Baptist Multicultural Ministries, Lowell: Emergency Assistance to migrants bused from Texas to Boston
MD.....	American Baptist Churches of the South, Windsor Mill: Hurricane Milton Emergency Disaster Outreach
NE	American Baptist Churches of Nebraska, Omaha: Elkhorn Nebraska Tornado
TX.....	The Hope 3741 Ministries, Houston: 2024 May Floods, Derecho & Hurricane Beryl
WV	American Baptist Men, Parkersburg: Hurricane Helene Recovery



In addition to emergency relief, One Great Hour of Sharing also provided funds for development projects – projects which address chronic needs – in the following countries and states listed below and highlighted on the next page.

GRANTS FOR DEVELOPMENT & MINISTRY TO DISPLACED PERSONS

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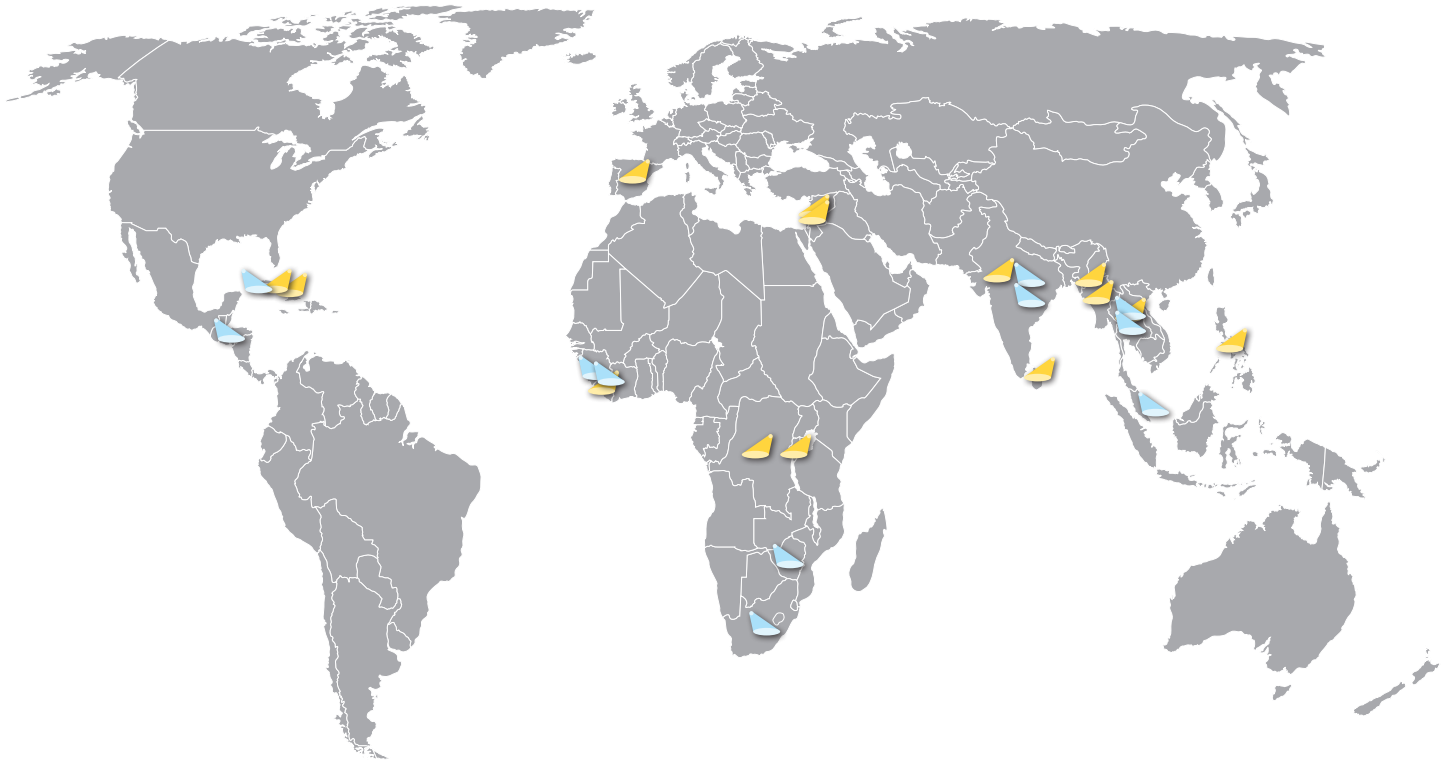
COUNTRY	MINISTRY
Cuba	IM Global Consultant Mylinda Baits: Restorative Arts Program
India.....	Arunachal Baptist Church Council (ABCC): SEVA KENDRA Skills Training Center
India.....	North East India Christian University (NECU): Furnishings for Women's Hostel
Latin America.....	Various Partners: Talita Cumi Girls Club Program
Liberia	Lott Carey Baptist Mission School: Renovation of Elementary Classroom Building
Malaysia	Judson Bible College: Teacher Training
South Africa	Baptist Union of South Africa: Women's Dept Standing Together Against Gender Based Violence
Sierra Leone	Baptist Convention of Sierra Leone: Restoring BCSL Headquarters
Thailand	New Life Center Foundation: Facilities Repairs and Improvements
Thailand	Integrated Ministries for Ethnic Minorities Foundation (IMEMF) - Promote Independence & Strengthen Families in Northern Thailand
Zimbabwe.....	Trees of Peace Africa: Community Development Through Peacebuilding - Phase 2

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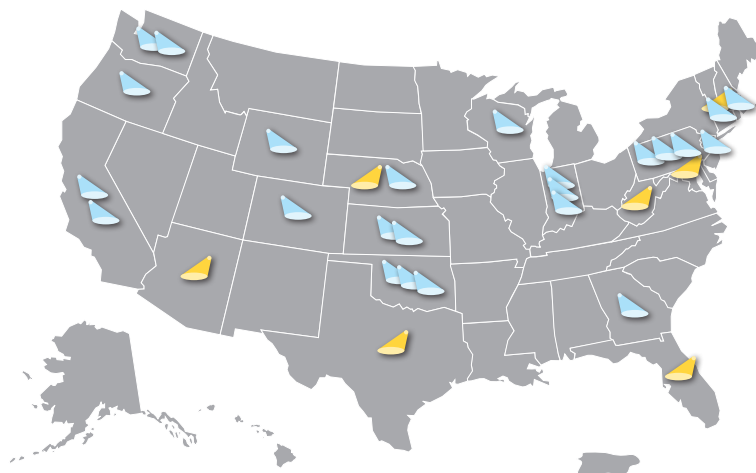
STATE	MINISTRY
CA	Oakland Baptist Mission Baptist Church, Oakland: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
CA	First Baptist Church, Maywood: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
CO	God's Will Christian Fellowship, Denver: Food and Shelter Grant
CT	First Baptist Church in New Haven, New Haven: The Mika Project
GA	Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Atlanta: Food and Shelter Grant
IN.....	Iglesia Bautista Betesda, Indianapolis: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
IN.....	Hope for Tomorrow, Indianapolis: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
IN.....	Tu Refugio Seguro, North Vernon: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
KS.....	Stitching Change, Kansas City: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
KS.....	Burmese Community of Kansas, Kansas City: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
MA.....	First Nepali Baptist Church, Boston: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
MT	First Crow Indian Baptist Church, Lodge Grass: Food and Shelter Grant
NE	First Baptist Church of Lincoln, Lincoln: Food and Shelter Grant
NJ	Bethel Haitian Baptist Church, Union: ESL Program
OK	All Tribes Baptist Church, Geary: Food and Shelter Grant
OK	Wichita Community Church, Anadarko: Food and Shelter Grant
OK	Watonga Indian Baptist Church, Watonga: Food and Shelter Grant
OR.....	Eloheh Indigenous Center, Yamill: A Well for Water
PA.....	American Baptist Women's Ministry, King of Prussia: M.A.D. Youth Collective Summer Camp
PA.....	Rankin Christian Center, Rankin: Food and Shelter Grant
PA.....	First Baptist Church of Philadelphia, Philadelphia: Food and Shelter Grant
WA	First Baptist Comunidad Cristiana, Yakima: Housing for Disadvantaged and At-Risk Youth
WA	First Baptist Comunidad Cristiana, Yakima: Refugee and Immigration Ministry Grant
WI	Milwaukee Christian Center, Milwaukee: Building Opportunities for Young People Program



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Development grants: 
Emergency Relief grants: 