

# Epilogos Charities, Inc. 2022 Annual Report for Christ the King Church

2022 was a very successful year for Epilogos Charities. This year marked a return to normal operations for the organization. We were able to resume all of our programs that were paused during the pandemic.

We extend our thanks to the parishioners and clergy at Christ the King Church for your long-standing, generous support of Epilogos.



#### **STRATEGIC PLANNING MEETING**

Epilogos Executive Director Graciela Martinez and Administrative Assistant Keily Guzman traveled to Concord, NH in July to meet with the Board of Directors to update our Strategic Plan. Sue Haas has been our guide through the process of the initial development of the plan and subsequent updates. We have a solid plan in place for the next three years. We will be focusing on expanding and enhancing existing programs in San José Villanueva.

We were thrilled to welcome Graciela and Keily back to New Hampshire where they spoke at Christ the King Church and met with many Epilogos supporters.



## **EDUCATION**

Education continues to be a primary focus for Epilogos. We know that education provides hope for the future for students and their families.

With the generous support of Epilogos donors in 2022 we provided scholarships to:

- o 50 High School Students
- o 61 Grade 2-9 Students
- 9 Students with Special needs
- o 4 College Students
- 5 Classrooms were adopted providing teachers and students supplies for their classrooms
- Funding for Teacher for Special Needs students and an Administrative Assistant

In 2022 all classes resumed with in-person learning. We provided scholarships to all students who were in need, and we provided supports to students, teachers, and families to help them navigate the return to in-person education.

Thanks to the initiative from a family at Christ the King we currently provide scholarships for four college students who are getting degrees in law, teaching and engineering. All four students work in the community, and they also volunteer with Epilogos.



Senora Tita with some of our students and their parents



#### **EPILOGOS STAFF**

In 2022 we were fortunate to add permanent staff in San José Villanueva to continue to grow the organization and provide help for all our local projects. Joining Graciela and Keily, are Ruben Guzman, Miguel Flores, and Kervin Sanchez. They have all been affiliated with Epilogos for many years, but now they are full-time members of the team.

## **BUILDING CASA DIGNAS**

Epilogos volunteers and community members built **5 casa dignas** in 2022! It all started with a very ambitious February trip when 3 homes were built.

We had generous donors provide the funding for the houses and a hard-working group of 25 volunteers working alongside many locals to provide the labor. Two of the houses were funded by two families from Christ the King.



If you would like to fund a *casa digna*, please contact Christ the King parishioner Ignatius MacLellan.

#### **FEBRUARY 2022 VOLUNTEER TRIP**

Thankfully we were able to resume our annual February volunteer trip in 2022. A group of students and adults from the Concord, NH area spent a week building houses, seeing the sites in San Salvador and immersing themselves in Salvadoran culture.

Among the group were many members of the Christ the King Parish and Bishop Brady students.



### **NEW ROOF ASSISTANCE FOR SISTER PARISH**

Christ the King Church parishioners helped their sister parish in San José Villanueva complete the funding for a new roof for the church complex.



Padre Marco, Mike and Susie Jenkins and CTK parishioners

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