



Supporting education

In the town of Bluefields SIFT sponsors children from poor families, enabling them to go to private church schools where they will receive a good education.

- **Please pray** that our sponsored children would persevere with their studies and receive support from their families.
- **Please pray** for the teachers at the schools attended by our students. Please pray that the children would have the chance to hear the Gospel in addition to studying.
- **Please pray** that Margaret Storey would be surrounded by God’s protection and remain healthy as she serves in Bluefields and responds to the needs that she encounters.
- **Please pray** that the education that our sponsored students receive will enable them to find good jobs and so be able to help their families.



Casa Rahab (Rahab’s House)

Casa Rahab is a Christian centre that provides support to young women who have been, or are at risk of being, involved in the sex trade in the city of Granada.

- **Give thanks** that the team are starting to see positive changes in the attitudes and behaviour of the young women.
- **Please pray** for continued protection for the team and all those who attend Casa Rahab.
- **Please pray** for Gabriela (left) as she supports the young women in their education and encourages them to complete their studies.
- **Please pray** that the craft activities organised by Jessica (right) would be therapeutic for the young women and would also teach them new life skills.
- **Please pray** that SIFT would receive enough funds to enable us to continue supporting this valuable project.



Healthcare on Ometepe

SIFT’s team of nurses, led by Dr Sandra Villagra, provide medical attention in three villages on the island of Ometepe. They dispense all medicines for free so that everyone can get the treatment they need.

- **Give thanks** that our medical team was able to give 3,671 consultations last year.
- **Please pray** that our team would experience good health and would have Godly wisdom to diagnose people’s conditions.
- **Please pray** that our team would have opportunities to pray with their patients and share the Gospel with them.
- **Please pray** for the ongoing provision of funds for our health clinics.
- **Please pray** that those who attend the group for expectant mothers would feel confident and supported as they approach their due dates.
- **Please pray** that the luncheon club at Las Pilas clinic would help to combat the loneliness that is felt by many elderly people and be a blessing to them.
- **Please pray** that the tourist industry on Ometepe would continue to recover following last year’s unrest.



Feeding Programme

The Feeding Programme provides between 40 and 50 children with high-vitamin milk and a nutritious meal to supplement their diets.

- **Give thanks** for the team of local Christians who faithfully run the Feeding Programme each week - Julita, Gabi, Max, Manuel and Porferio.
- **Please pray** that the ministry of the Feeding Programme would have a positive impact on both the physical and spiritual development of the children.
- **Please pray** that the children would enjoy their activities and take to heart what they hear from the Bible.
- **Please pray** that the mothers would also hear the good news of Jesus through the Bible studies led by Manuel.

