



# Annual Report 2020-2021



Every Home  
for Christ

EVERYHOME  
globalconcern LTD

Giving  
Hope in the Midst of Dark Days



# who are we?

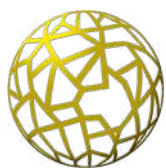
Every Home for Christ is a worldwide interdenominational Christian organisation working through national offices in some 152 countries around the world. Australia EHC is a totally independent “arm” of the ministry with its own staff, structure and Board of Directors and has registered two names - *Every Home for Christ* and *Every Home Global Concern Ltd*.

**1.** For 75 years the heartbeat of **Every Home for Christ** has been to deliver gospel literature to the world. We have found the most effective way to reach entire nations is for national workers to systematically map out and visit every home, so that everyone has the opportunity to receive a piece of gospel literature. The EHC worldwide 20-year goal is to reach every home on earth with a piece of gospel literature, including Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom. Our monthly newsletter highlights progress towards this goal with real stories of real people in many countries of the world.

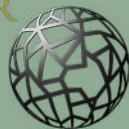
**2.** As we go home to home we are confronted with the needs of the poor and disadvantaged so the second goal is to help the poor, not just with a handout, but by educating, training and equipping men, women and children so that they can experience permanent change. **This Annual Report outlines how we are achieving our second goal, working through national EHC partners .. and the constraints that the Coronavirus has had on the way we have worked.**

## our values:

We value people  
We value partners  
We act in honesty & integrity  
We are grateful  
We are accountable  
Our motivation is Christian



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CODE

The Australian Council for International Development (ACFID) is the peak Council for Australian not for profit aid and development organisations. Every Home Global Concern is a member of ACFID and a signatory to the ACFID Code of Conduct, which is a voluntary, self-regulatory sector code of good practice. We are committed to and fully adhere to the ACFID Code of Conduct, conducting our work with transparency, accountability and integrity, helping to improve international development effectiveness and increase stakeholder trust. The Financial Statements in this report comply with the presentation & disclosure requirements of the ACFID Code of Conduct. For more information or to make a complaint, visit the ACFID website - <https://acfid.asn.au/>

# where do we work?



In 2020-21 through the generosity of men, women and churches, funds were raised and sent to -



**Bangladesh  
India  
Nepal  
Ethiopia  
Malawi  
Zambia  
Israel  
Spain  
China  
Brazil**

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Hope  
in the midst  
of Dark  
Days**

As you will read in this Annual Report, Covid-19 has affected the way we have assisted people as we have had to put the need for survival alongside what we already do.



**Thank you so much for your faithful support- both in prayer & finances ... Eric Leach, Executive Director**



# Giving Hope in the midst of Dark Days



thank  
you

**2020-2021  
OVERSEAS AID  
COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT  
PROGRAMS**

**1,017**

boys and girls from disadvantaged families given a primary school education

**5,671**

men, women & children with improved access to clean water and sanitation (wells and toilets)

**1,059**

men and women able to increase their income in a sustainable way

**12,888**

men, women and children in Africa with improved health and well-being and Covid-19 education

**1,310**

people learning how to adapt to changes in climate with 16,206 trees planted

**3,704**

men, women & children now able to eat 3 meals a day with increased nutrition & 97% reduction in malnutrition

**78%**

reduction in Malaria cases due to mosquito nets & malaria prevention education

**415**

vulnerable people included in training  
- 57 disabled, 124 widows, 234 elderly





Assisting the disabled



Caring for orphans under 5



Breeding goats and passing them on to other families



Providing clean water

# Giving Hope



In  
partnership  
with Malawi  
and Zambia  
EHC

**In spite of the impact of the Coronavirus in Africa,  
our work has adapted and continued.**

# Malawi and Zambia

*food security, , water & sanitation and income generation*

*A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT APPROACH*

## ZAMBIA EHC

Over this year, in the midst of farmer training, food security, wells, toilets, hygiene education, income generating groups and Covid-19 education, an emphasis has been placed on meeting the needs of especially marginalised people such as children, youth and the disabled. The project in Kazala developed three radio programs about these issues which were presented on a local radio station, reaching over 10,000 listeners. Along with community posters and T-shirts, these were aimed at the local Zambian population to educate them against child labour and early marriage, two of the problems affecting children in Zambian society.



The project is also aiming to empower 50 unemployed young people by teaching them skills in tailoring, carpentry, livestock and food processing. The Feeding Centre, which was completed by the local people this year to give orphans in the community care and daily maize porridge, will also be used as a venue for training sessions for the unemployed young people.

## MALAWI EHC

The project in Malapula village has been very beneficial in particular in changing the lives of women who had no specific skills to help their families out of poverty or to improve the nutrition disorders in their children. They had no way of earning an income and were only eating once a day, resulting in chronically ill children under five.

After the project started in the village both men and women were trained in nutrition, learning how to prepare well balanced food for their families. Food displays and demonstrations on food preparation educated the community and women's groups have now starting earning money by selling the goods they have baked and learning how to manage the money earned. Along with the building of shallow wells and eco - toilets and improving the quality and quantity of crops, tremendous successes have been seen in the areas of income and food security, nutrition, sanitation, hygiene and health, in spite of the pandemic.





# Giving Hope in the midst of Dark Days



Packaging food bags



Providing books for home schooling



*Bangladesh Covid Assistance*



In  
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with India EHC  
and Bangladesh  
EHC

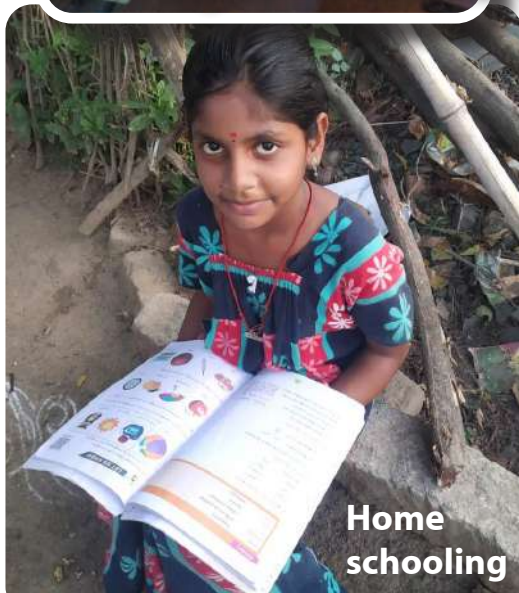
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our work has adapted and continued.**

# India and Bangladesh

*community development and Covid assistance*



**Training women at home**



**Home  
schooling**

In both India and Bangladesh our EHC partners have reported constantly on the dire Coronavirus situation in their country and the challenges this created. However, the school and sewing programs adapted to the situation and Every Home for Christ continued to pay the staff and provide school textbooks and materials. Although nationwide all schools were closed by their governments, the teachers faithfully visited the school children in their communities, sharing the day-to-day lessons with the children. Children, when possible, came to the school with their lessons and assignments to be checked by the teachers or communicated by phone.

Instead of providing meals each day at the schools, food and mask distribution was carried out by the staff and teachers (wearing protective clothing), sometimes arriving just as the family ran out of food. Sewing classes continued in small groups or at home and women were able to complete their training.

A number of government officials visited the Bangladesh communities to evaluate what was happening and were extremely happy with the work being done during the Coronavirus pandemic. One official investigated personally, asking women about their feelings. All the trainees gave a good report to the official who was very happy and awarded Bangladesh EHC a government Certificate of Appreciation, acknowledging the effectiveness of the work being done.

At the time of writing this, we can gratefully report that, although children and adults in our India & Bangladesh projects were infected with the Coronavirus, all have recovered and all children graduated to the next year of their schooling.



**Food ready for distribution**

*India Covid Assistance*



*for all those who  
gave funds to keep  
these families safe*



# Ethiopia Prison Ministry

In  
partnership with  
Eloi  
Ministries

Training & equipment that  
lead to sustainability

The Coronavirus Pandemic forced the work in Worabe Prison to be suspended but in nine other prisons Eloi Ministries was able to continue their work, resulting in the provision of soap and clothes alongside the skills training and education that will empower men, women and children to adjust to life outside the prisons.

**224** men and women trained in sewing skills

**5** women trained in hairdressing

**35** men and women trained in computer skills

**9** men and **10** women trained to work in a beauty salon

**62** men trained in metal welding skills

**66** men trained on a brick-making machine

Breadmaking continued in the Debrebrhane Prison

and **24** children were educated in the Gilgelbels Prison.



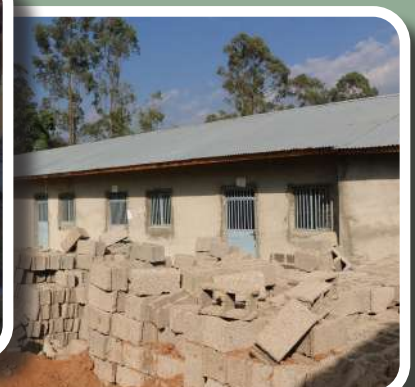
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Sewing Training



Welding Training



Brick Making



# Evaluation

*- an integral part of future planning*

## ZAMBIA EHC

As the 5 year Food Security Program in Zambia has just completed its third year, an independent Mid-term Evaluation was carried out by **KBS Development Consultancy** in Zambia to determine if the program was on-track to achieve its 5 year goals, particularly assessing the sustainability of the project and whether it is leading to long-term change.

The evaluation concluded that the project continued to be relevant, was effective in meeting its objectives, had been cost-effective and efficient and that the system of training lead farmers and forming village committees meant that the knowledge and skills learned would continue to promote improved farming beyond the lifespan of the project.

Major achievements had been improved farming technologies, the pass-on livestock program, the Savings Groups in rural areas which provided access to funds for the poor, especially for women, and the improved health and sanitation practices.

There had also been challenges to address such as insufficient funding, illiteracy, overcoming cultural values, long dry spells and an unstable currency causing high inflation. Covid-19 impacted negatively on field training and meetings which had to be held individually in homes.

This evaluation made a number of recommendations including the need to involve more young people, to revise the project plan and to train lead farmers how to overcome cultural barriers.



Training Lead Farmers



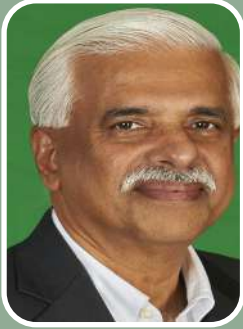
One of the village Savings Groups



Improving hygiene during Covid-19



# BOARD OF DIRECTORS



**Alex Thomas**  
**Board Chairman**  
B.A. in Political  
Science & History,  
G.Dip.Theology;  
Uniting Church  
Minister



**D'Arcy Watson**  
**Vice Chairman**  
BA in Theology,  
MA in Education  
for Special Needs;  
Retired teacher



**Davidson James**  
**Director**  
Hons), LL M(Tas),  
Dip.Tax(Monash),  
Notary Public,  
Solicitor



**Ken Koh**  
**Board Treasurer**  
B.Comm, BA,  
MPL, CPA, DFS  
Financial  
Management  
Consultant



**Eric Leach**  
**Executive Director**  
Founding  
and  
Executive Director  
45 years



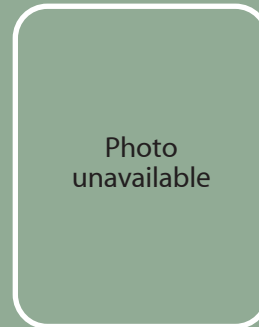
**Setatow Befekadu**  
**Director**  
B.A.Mathematics,  
M.A.Applied  
Statistics, Dip.Ed.  
Mathematics  
Teacher



**Richard Snellenburg**  
**Board Secretary**  
worked in  
management  
positions in the  
banking sector



**John Ealand**  
**Director**  
Licensed Real  
Estate Sales  
Executive



**Laurel Siokos**  
**Director**  
Medical  
profession as a  
Dental Assistant/  
Radiographer



## 2020/21 Financial Position:

### *MAKING SENSE OF THE NUMBERS ...*

There was total revenue of \$1.50 million (compared with \$1.54 million the year before). Funds of \$958 thousand were directly sent overseas to support ministry and community development. There was a net loss of \$30 thousand for the year.

Cash and current assets at 30 June 2021 were \$557 thousand compared to current liabilities of \$321 thousand, so there is enough cash to continue ministry activities.

**Ken Koh**  
**Board Treasurer**



Every Home Global Concern satisfies the requirements of the Australian Charities and not-for-profits commission Act and meets the standards set by the Australian Charities Commission and Missions Interlink.





## Report from the Board Chairman:

*2021 has been another year we can't forget, with the Coronavirus pandemic continuing to play havoc around the world. As the Chairman of the Board, I speak for all the Directors when I say we are extremely grateful for your faithfulness. The statistics about charities is that giving has decreased during the pandemic, but we have not seen this happen in Every Home for Christ and so we have been able to continue to fund our activities around the world, bringing hope and joy and some stability to our partners who work in countries where, for many, the effects of the virus have been catastrophic. Thank you so much for your continued support.*

*Alex Thomas  
Chairman of the Board*

## STAFF



**Eric Leach** Executive Director and Founding Director

Over the last 43 years Eric has developed Every Home for Christ/ Every Home Global Concern into a multi-faceted, professional Charity which is accredited with the ACNC and endorsed by ACFID.



**Lorraine Leach**

currently working in the office, overseeing the overseas aid programs and making sure Every Home for Christ adheres to all the fundraising, overseas aid, legal and charitable conditions.



**Diplave Pokhrel**

is the Senior Minister of Every Home for Christ (accredited as a Baptist Pastor) and in the office he processes all the donations and liaises with donors.



**Mei Lan Loh**

is the Book-Keeper, handling salaries, account payments, liaising with the bank, preparing the MYOB financial records and preparing them for the annual audit.



**Debbie Wilmshurst**

is the Sponsorship Secretary and looks after the child and worker sponsorship programs as well as the office volunteers.



**Justin Franks**

Development Manager, looking after the web sites, web donations and sending monthly budgets overseas.



**Saena Hong**

is the secretary for the Executive Director as well as handling general office tasks and reception.



# *A special thank you to our volunteers*



*We haven't seen as much of our volunteers as we would have liked this year due to the pandemic but when they have been able to help, we have appreciated their willingness and their joy.*



*We have much to be grateful for .....*

*When all around us the world seems to be changing rapidly, we are grateful for the faithfulness of men and women who continue to support the work that we do in Every Home for Christ. In fact, despite the Coronavirus, EHC has received more funds from supporters this year than for last year! Thank you so much! During the Coronavirus, we have had to adapt the way we help people but we have been able to continue giving hope and joy in the midst of difficult situations and dark days and we are grateful for the part you have played in making this happen.*



*Eric Leach  
Executive Director  
Every Home for Christ  
04/12/2021*



# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 2020/21

*This Summary Financial Report complies with the standards set out by the ACFID Code of Conduct as on [www.acfid.asn.au/code-of-conduct](http://www.acfid.asn.au/code-of-conduct) and has been reviewed and approved by the Board of Directors of Every Home Global Concern*

## Every Home Global Concern Ltd INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

2020-2021

2019-2020

### REVENUE

#### *Donations and gifts for Overseas Aid*

Monetary

\$ 694,545

\$ 520,146

*Bequests and Legacies*

\$ 167,594

\$ 366,617

#### *Grants*

Other Australian Grants - COVID

\$ 94,490

\$ 46,000

Investment income

\$ 1,171

\$ 3,475

Other income

\$ 82,464

\$ 102,405

Revenue for International Political or Religious Adherence Promotion Programs

\$ 458,466

\$ 508,371

(These funds are primarily for **evangelism**. We are not involved in political programs)

### TOTAL REVENUE

\$ 1,498,730

\$ 1,547,014

### EXPENDITURE

#### **International Aid and Development Programs Expenditure**

#### *International programs*

Funds to international programs

\$ 626,829

\$ 612,454

Program support costs

\$ 7,117

\$ 7,904

#### *Fundraising costs*

Public

\$ 56,332

\$ 54,706

Accountability and Administration

\$ 185,118

\$ 241,341

#### **Total International Aid and Development Programs Expenditure**

\$ 875,396

\$ 931,619

Religious Adherence Promotion Programs Expenditure

\$ 330,820

\$ 290,043

Domestic Programs Expenditure (Incl Monetary & Non Monetary)

\$ 322,920

\$ 302,442

### TOTAL EXPENDITURE

\$ 1,529,136

\$ 1,508,890

### SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)

-\$ 30,406

\$ 38,124

### TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

*We thank all our friends and donors  
for their continued support for  
Every Home for Christ/  
Every Home Global Concern.*

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**ASSETS**

**Current Assets**

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 340,546	\$ 304,430
Trade and other receivables	\$ 142,676	\$ 152,515
Other financial assets	\$ 73,940	\$ 73,970

<b>Total current assets</b>	<b>\$ 557,162</b>	<b>\$ 530,915</b>
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**Non current assets**

Other financial assets	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
Property, plant and equipment	\$1,810,685	\$ 1,823,363

<b>Total non current assets</b>	<b>\$1,830,685</b>	<b>\$ 1,843,363</b>
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<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$2,387,847</b>	<b>\$ 2,374,278</b>
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**LIABILITIES**

**Current Liabilities**

Trade and other payables	\$ 186,116	\$ 131,428
Borrowings	\$ 00.00	\$ 20,202
Current tax liabilities	\$ 1,444	\$ 2,347
Provisions - Employee benefits	\$ 133,367	\$ 122,977

<b>Total current liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 320,926</b>	<b>\$ 276,953</b>
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**Non current liabilities**

Trade and other payables (Interest-free loans)	\$ 21,520	\$ 21,520
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<b>Total non current liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 21,520</b>	<b>\$ 21,520</b>
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<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 342,446</b>	<b>\$ 298,473</b>
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<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<b>\$2,045,401</b>	<b>\$ 2,075,805</b>
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**EQUITY**

General Reserves	\$1,643,068	\$ 1,643,068
Retained Earnings	\$ 402,332	\$ 432,736

<b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>	<b>\$2,045,401</b>	<b>\$ 2,075,805</b>
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**INDEPENDENT AUDIT REPORT**

To the Members of Every Home Global Concern Ltd

**SCOPE**

We have audited the summarised financial report of Every Home Global Concern Ltd for the year ended 30 June 2021 in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and the ACFID Code of Conduct.

**AUDIT OPINION**

In our opinion, the information reported in the summarised financial report is compliant with the ACFID Code requirements and includes an income statement, balance sheet and statement of changes in equity which are consistent with the annual financial report from which it is derived and upon which we expressed an unqualified audit opinion in our report to the members dated **24/09/2021**.

For a better understanding of the scope of our audit, this report should be read in conjunction with our audit report on the annual statutory financial report.



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