

# JAN **Thank You!** Fiscal Report

<b>EXP:</b> \$03,259	<b>INC:</b> \$05,636
<b>Family:</b> \$01,010	<b>Gifts:</b> \$05,616
<b>Ministry:</b> \$02,004	<b>Hon:</b> \$00,000
<b>Debt:</b> \$00,245	<b>Interest:</b> \$00,020
<b>YTD STATUS: 99% (-\$1.266)</b>	



## Special Projects

**3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Library:**  
**LABOR/LAND: \$11,000**  
**RAISED: \$4080**



**PICKUP:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Libr.  
**GOAL: \$9,800** **MAT'LS: \$11,000**  
**RAISED: \$3200** **RAISED: \$117**



## BLC

**CHILDREN'S  
 EMERGENCY  
 MEDICAL  
 FUND:**

*"At his gate was laid a beggar named Lazarus, covered with sores and longing to eat what fell from the rich man's table. Even the dogs came and licked his sores."-Lk. 16:20,21*  
**BLC'S MEDICAL FUND IS AN ANSWER TO PRAYER FOR MANY FILIPINOS**

## International BLC Sponsorships (801-BLC)

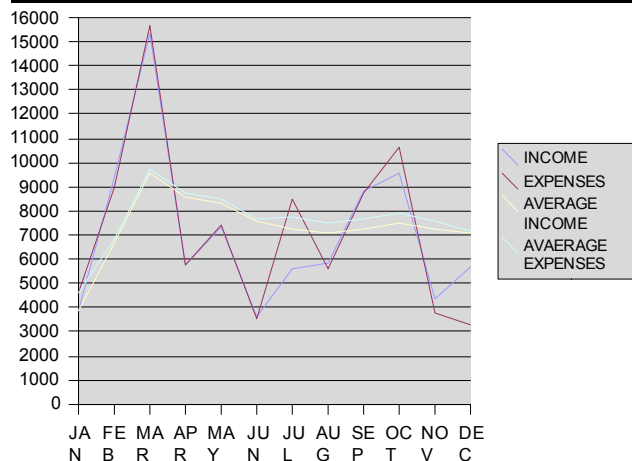
The BLC (Barner Learning Center) International Student Sponsorship Program is an opportunity for Filipino children who otherwise might not be able to afford a quality Christian education to obtain schooling at no cost to their families through the "adoption" of their financial schooling obligations by international supporters. For support of those at ages 2 through 15, the fee is \$20 (P1000) per month.

**Each Sponsorship covers the following:** tuition, enrollment, books, uniform, registration, dental checkup, insurance, medical checkup, ID card/jacket, instructional materials, PTA & library & campus fees, school publications, graduation fee & gown, field trip transportation costs, boy/girl scout membership & uniforms, gym fee, and basic school supplies (notebooks, pencils, etc.).

*Please send to Christian Aid Mission (address below)*

**PLEASE PRAY: FOR 55 LACKING SPONSORS FOR POOR BLC STUDENTS**

## SYNOPSIS OF 2006 GIVING:



**EXP TOTAL: \$86,399 INC TOTAL: \$85,133**  
**Family: \$17,606 Gifts: \$82,288**  
**Ministry: \$65,927 Honorariums: \$02,605**  
**2005 Debt: \$02,866 Interest: \$00,240**

# 2006\* Pepper

*\*PEPPER=Paul and Elvie's Prayer & Praise newsletter*

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**A STATUE IN DAVAO CITY: FOUR PEOPLES, TRIBAL, MUSLIM, CATHOLIC, PROTESTANT**

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 Charlottesville, VA 22906 USA**

## LONGING TO SERVE

### *"I want to be first!"*

While traversing the USA, we are speaking at nearly 100 different churches, schools, civic clubs and Bible studies. Often we share the need for 88 new sponsors for the poor Filipino children who are waiting for sponsors so that they can attend school. At one church, a man approached us before the service started, with a completed sponsorship form and also his first payment of \$20. *"I want to be the first one to sponsor from this church!"* So when I came to the place in the program when I mentioned the sponsorship program, Our dear friend stood up and waved his twenty-dollar bill in the air announcing, "Me first! I want to sponsor a child!" Praise God for willing souls!

**THE BLC STUDENTS CELEBRATE FOUNDATION DAY IN A PARADE, WITH BALLONS, MAJORETTES, AND THEIR OWN SPECIAL DRUM CORPS.**



**YOU KNOW YOU ARE A FILIPINO IF...**  
*...you put lights and garlands on a dead, leafless tree limb as your Christmas tree.*

### **BLC ENERGY FUND:**

EVERY DAY AT BARNER LEARNING CENTER, WE SUPPLY TRANSPORTATION FOR 287 STUDENTS. OUR BUSES WERE BOUGHT WITH FUNDS SACRIFICIALLY & GENEROUSLY GIVEN BY FAITHFUL FRIENDS.

MIGHT YOU BE WILLING TO ASSIST WITH THESE NEEDS ON A MONTHLY BASIS?

### **ETERNAL INVESTMENTS:**

GIFT ANNUITIES PROVIDE FIXED PAYMENTS DURING YOUR LIFETIME. THE ORCHARD FOUNDATION WILL HELP YOU IN PLANNING IF YOU DECIDE TO GIVE TO BARNER LEARNING CENTER, INC. PLS CONTACT [WWW.THEORCHARD.ORG](http://WWW.THEORCHARD.ORG) (OR 1-888-689-6300).

## **"T.A.P."** TEAMWORK AMONG THE POOR

### *"We want to help too!"*

When Christmastime was approaching, the parents of many of the poor children at BLC approached our administrator, Dr. Ayoc, and said, "We want to be in the kids' program as well!" Since the all-you-can-eat dinner for the kids was to cost \$2 per person, the school covered the cost of the kids, while their parents scrounged and save until they had enough to join their kids. This is the very first time that the kids had two celebrations: on off-campus one and also their annual Christmas presentation at BLC. Even the restaurant people were blessed!



**AT CHRISTMASTIME, EACH OF THE SPONSORED CHILDREN AT BLC RECEIVE A GIFT. SOME SPONSORS SEND A LITTLE "EXTRA" AT CHRISTMAS FOR THEIR SPONSORED CHILDREN. SOME SPONSORS DO NOT. WE POOL ALL THE FUNDS SO ALL RECEIVE EVENLY.**

### ***Matching CHALLENGE:***

Last year some sponsors of poor children in our school missed payments. To offset the deficit, a senior citizen is matching any gifts designated "MATCHING GIFT", up to \$3,000. Thus far, \$640 has been given for this matching gift, totaling twice that: \$1280. Praise God!

**DO YOU HAVE A WINTER PROJECT?**  
**THESE ARE SOME NEEDS THAT WE HAVE NOW**



**AT BLC:**

37 Fl Bulb sets:	\$4 each
37 Desks:	\$11 each
Jeepney-bus:	\$9,412
76 Chairs:	\$6 each
Tools for I.Arts:	\$169
18 Lunch Tables:	\$28 each
Tables for I.Arts:	\$650
Music Shelves:	\$204

## TALLAHASSEE MARATHON

### *"Run for a cause!"*

To keep from gaining too much weight on our 7-month trip to the USA, I decided to run each day. But when I checked the internet for races, I found that, at the very time we will be in Florida, the Tallahassee Marathon will be offered! So I signed up. Then a friend had a great idea: Why not run for a cause?

The timing could not be better. The matching gift challenge (see below) will expire in February, so any funds that come in February (or before) that are earmarked for either "matching funds" or "marathon challenge" will be doubled by a friend of ours.

Here is how it works: I (Paul) will run the 26.2 miles on February 4, 2007. Anyone who sponsors me for any amount (per mile) will send a check to Christian Aid Mission, and their gift will be matched, dollar-for-dollar. So if someone pledges \$1 per mile, they would send a check for \$26.20. Yet BLC will receive twice that much, or \$52.40! Likewise, if you pledge \$10 per mile, you will send a check for \$262. Yet BLC will receive twice that much, or \$524! Undesignated funds will not be matched. Running for a cause!



**ABIGAIL AND PJ CATCH SNOW-FLAKES ON THEIR TONGUES DURING THEIR FIRST SNOWFALL IN THREE YEARS!**

### **2006-7 FURLOUGH PLANS:**

2/1 TOCCOAFALLS, GA	3/11 SANFRANCISCO, CA
2/4 TALLAHASSEE, FL	3/12 SANTA ROSA, CA
2/11 GULF SHORES, AL	3/18 MILL CREEK, WA
2/18 CORPUSCRISTI, TX	3/23-25 SEATTLE, WA
2/25 AMARILLO, TX	3/29 BLC/BCLRTE, DVO
3/4 OGDEN, UT	3/29 BLC RECOG, DVO
3/8 SUNLAND, CA	3/30 BLC GRAD. DVO