



fountains of HOPE

Transforming Lives Through Water Purification

Summer 2018

Join us on a future team trip.
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Haiti: September 14-17 2018
Install 2 purifiers with Children's Lifeline Mission in Le Digue Mathieu.
Cost per person to go: \$2,100

Zimbabwe: October 12-24, 2018
Install 2 purifiers at school sites.
Cost per person to go: \$3,500

Puerto Rico: November & December 2018
Install 2-5 purifiers in NW Puerto Rico, helping with Hurricane Maria relief.
Cost per person to go: \$2,000

Haiti: March 29-April 7, 2019
Install a purifier in Mole St. Nicholas.
Cost per person to go: \$2,100

Israel Holy Land Tour: June 2019
Take a once-in-a-lifetime Holy Land tour.
Cost per person to go: \$3,499 + optional \$350 to visit Jordan

Safe Water Prevents Typhoid Deaths

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Typhoid fever is a life-threatening illness that affects about 21.5 million people each year, most commonly in the developing world. It's primarily spread when raw sewage contaminates a water source, such as a well, and secondarily due to unwashed hands contaminating food and beverages.

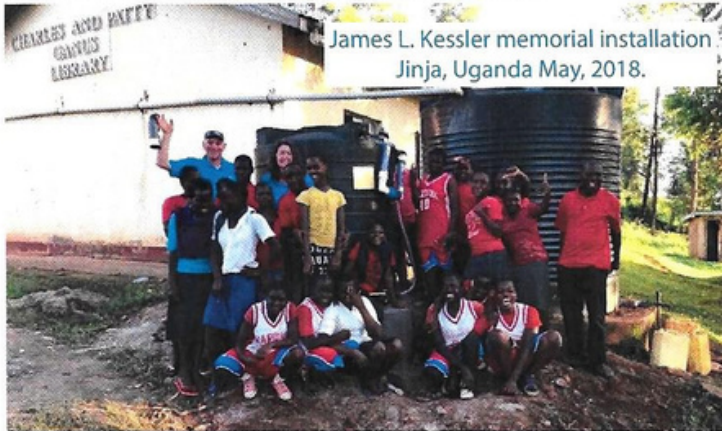
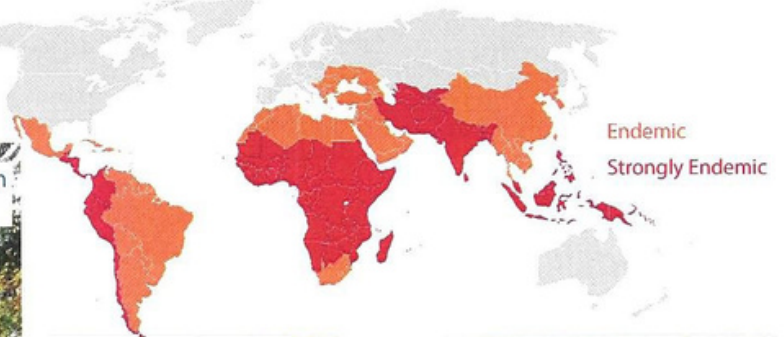
The bacterial infection causes high fever, weakness, stomach pains, headache, loss of appetite, and rash, among other symptoms. If left untreated with antibiotics, it can lead to death.

Fountains of Hope missionary teams make regular installs in many countries where typhoid is endemic like Uganda, Zimbabwe, Kenya, India, and Haiti. Safe water and safe hygiene practices education are the keys to preventing infection and death by Typhoid fever.

Multiple African communities FoH visited in April and May have recently suffered from typhoid outbreaks. At the James L. Kessler memorial installation site at a school in Jinja, Uganda, we know 20 children died from an outbreak this year. The two schools where FoH did installs in Zimbabwe have also been affected.

The rainy season often brings typhoid with it as flooding can further exacerbate contamination of water sources.

Fountains of Hope strives to bring safe water and hygiene education to poor communities that need it the most. You can help prevent suffering and save lives by raising awareness and becoming a regular monthly donor.



James L. Kessler memorial installation
Jinja, Uganda May, 2018.



Installation at Jinja Church of Christ.



Uganda installation team.



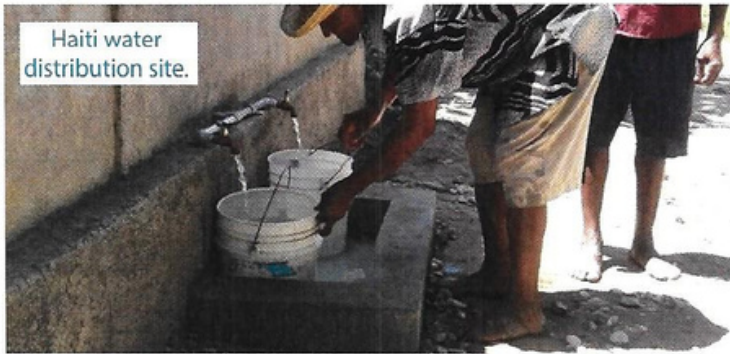
Wakiso, Uganda school installation.

Puerto Rico Disaster Relief Update

Fountains of Hope made a trip to Puerto Rico April 2-8, assessed a total of 11 potential sites for purifier installations and performed the first Puerto Rico install in the village of Anesco. The purifier is currently serving 280 families without safe water. Rev. Shelly Wood and Kathy Roy helped install the system, and Orchard Park Presbyterian provided funding. In addition, funds for this purifier were raised in part by students of Holy Cross Catholic School in Anderson, Indiana as part of a "Kids Helping Kids" campaign.

Due to the success of this campaign, FoH will be running a continuous "Kids Helping Kids" project which can be found on the "Sponsor a Project" page of our website, under the "Get Involved" tab. Your class, grade, or school could sponsor a system for a school we've identified needs safe water in Haiti, Uganda, Zimbabwe, Kenya, or India.

Contact Bill (bill@fountainsofhope.org) and visit our online campaign page to sponsor a project for your school, workplace, or organization!



Partner Highlight - Banjo Corporation

Fountains of Hope would like to recognize Banjo Corporation, Division of IDEX, for being a key partner. Banjo hosted an assembly party in June, where 19 employees helped to assemble the manifold and filter assemblies that we take with us on overseas installations.

Banjo supplies FoH with many components necessary to bring safe water to people in need. They've generously provided funds that sponsored an entire FoH purifier system installation in Haiti, donated many poly plastic parts that we use on our systems, and recently sponsored employee Marco Dees, who participated in two installations in Zimbabwe. They've helped us out a lot!

Last year, our Executive Director Bill Farrar, and our Board president John Kalthoff had the opportunity to speak at a picnic Banjo hosted for their employees and families at the Indianapolis Zoo. Together they explained how Banjo parts are used in FoH purifier systems, and how Banjo's charitable support brings safe, life giving water to people in need.

FoH wishes to thank all of our friends at Banjo Corporation for going above and beyond to make sure the poor and marginalized have safe water!

Please become a Water is Life regular monthly donor! Just 25 people giving \$40 a month for 12 months would support two purifier installations in Zimbabwe! Donate today at FountainsOfHope.org/Donate!