

Newsletter 2021



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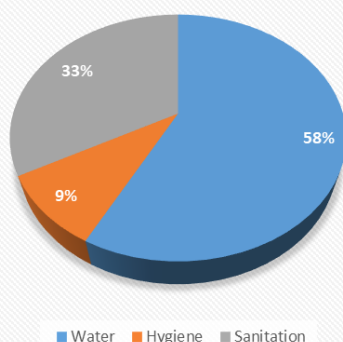
Cemetery Water, Hygiene and Sanitation Project

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- 18 families received toilets in graveyard where they used the plastic bags to pack and threw within the community.
- 45 women attended the women hygiene training conducted by the health center doctors. The majority of women participated the training asked their personal questions about the risk of their period, women daily hygiene, breastfeeding, baby nutrition and birth spacing.
- 25 women attended the washing liquid production training which they could produce the washing liquid for their family consumption and sell for extra income.
- 45 families received the dustbins to manage their rubbish and bring to dump truck as per schedule from the company.
- 150 families impacted from the installed Water Filtration System with R.O, UV system and high pH tested.
- 43 families submitted the proposal for the direct water connection from the government of whom 65% of the families living without direct water supply connection, but the private neighbors which cost is too high. Bethel Mission is working with the government and expect the connection will be coped with early 2022.

Hygiene Training:

Mr. Choung joined in opening the women hygiene training and gave thanks for the support from Bethel Mission. He encouraged all women to live with daily hygiene and good health. The women were very attentive to their hygiene training conducted by the health center doctors.

Mrs. Mao, one of the women participants, impressed that “It is important for me to understand about women hygiene today that I have never attended. I will see the doctor for my health check and medical care after the training. I would like to thank Bethel Mission for having the training for our women in graveyard that we have never had before.”



Each woman received their women hygiene after the training.

The doctor encouraged the women to have their health checked at health center so that they are helped in case of needs.

Washing Liquid Production:

Beyond the hygiene training by Health Centre doctors, Bethel Mission invited the local experienced pastor to help 25 women interested with washing liquid production which they could produce for their family consumption and sell for extra income.



After the training, everyone was able to practice and share the final product in bottles to use in their families. The training made our women interested and they wished to apply after the training as well.

Mrs. Channy, the small business owner in the graveyard told that “I will buy the ingredients according to the trainer taught and I will produce the washing liquid and sell for my extra profit.”

Rubbish and Plastic Management:

It is very limited for the population in graveyard to manage their rubbish and plastics. The rubbish and plastics are being scattered everywhere from the entry to the end of the community. It is observed and learned that the behavior of the management of rubbish and plastics is very poor from the children to adults. Bethel Mission made the awareness and gathered both the children and adults to clean up the community in October 2020 to agree together that “We Together Keep Our Environment and Community Clean”. At the same time, Bethel Mission conducted the community meeting to discuss about the rubbish and plastic management. After the meeting, 45 families received the dustbins to manage their rubbish and bring to dump truck as per schedule from the company.



Water Filtration System:

The drinking water was one of the challenge for the families in graveyard. They had to buy \$0.80/20L or more from the delivery into their homes and boiled the water. With the challenge, Bethel Mission installed the Water Filtration System within their community so that every family can come and refill. The quality of water was tested and verified with the criteria of water recommended by the government. The water is filtrated by R.O and UV system with high pH for good health.



Water Filtration System was installed inside **Mrs. Channy's** house, one of the women group leaders for Sunday School. The community people are happy with the water quality and they pay only \$0.50 for every refilling of 20L for the system maintenance and repair. 50% of the families (75/150 families) come and have a regular refill, 15-20 families a day.



“I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink” Matthew 25:35b

On behalf of the graveyard community, Bethel Mission would much appreciate for the kind donation and support from The Salvation Army to install Water Filtration System to more than 150 families, 429 people.

It is the great honor of the partnership between Bethel Mission and Salvation Army that makes the differences.



Toilet Construction:



Grandma Sum, the abandoned mother came and lived in graveyard without toilet for more than 15 years told that “I have no children and husband to support me. Owing to my poverty, my husband left me to have another wife and the children also gave me up. I have lived lonely for more than 25 years.

My life is terrible, without income and help. I came and live in the graveyard for the bed size plot of land. I buy the Khmer cakes in the graveyard and sell outside the community daily. With the gaining of \$ 2.5, I pay for food, water, electricity and medicine. I am very excited and delighted to have the toilet. I will no longer use plastic bag anymore.

I would like to thank Bethel Mission and the donor for helping me and the graveyard community families with the good toilets to improve our individual hygiene and sanitation within the families.



Clean Water Connection:

However, the water supply is still the issue in graveyard. There are 155 families, 429 people and 65% of the families living without the direct water supply connection from the government. They have to pay much money daily to the private connection when their income is not good. The direct water connection from the Water Supply is \$0.175/cubic meter where the private connection cost \$0.50-\$0.65/cubic meter.

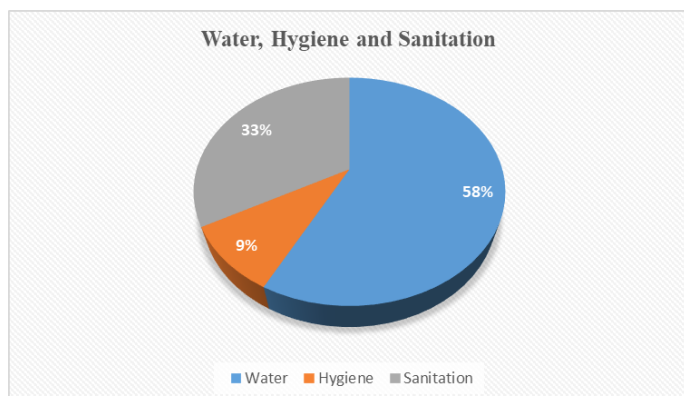


Currently, more than forty families submitted their request to Bethel Mission for the support. With the challenge, Bethel Mission has worked with the Water Supply of the government and submitted the proposal for the connection. We expect the solution will be copied within 2022 as soon the government approved the connection plan.



Financial Report:

Water	\$ 8,621.39
Hygiene	\$ 1,405.74
Sanitation	\$ 4,922.88
	\$14,950.00



The Salvation Army Profit and Loss January - December 2021

Income	
3300 Donor Income	0.00
33003 Individuals Income	0.00
33004 Foundation	11,042.63
Total 3300 Donor Income	\$ 11,042.63
Total Income	\$ 11,042.63
Gross Profit	\$ 11,042.63
Expense	
2700 Health Project	0.00
27001 Toilet Material and Support	1,089.25
27002 Hygiene Training	389.84
27005 Dustbin support	742.50
27006 Water filtration materials and support	3,893.48
27009 Allowance for trainer and volunteer	140.00
27015 Sticker and logo printing	59.65
27016 Project Administration	1,320.00
Total Expenses	\$ 7,634.72
Net Earnings	\$ 3,407.91