

## WE CAN HELP STOP



South African children search for food in the garbage.

## YOU CAN ANSWER THE CRY FOR HELP

**SINCE OCTOBER 2006,  
USING THE RESOURCES  
PROVIDED BY CHOSEN 300, THE  
PROJECT HAS:**

- Provided a powerful evangelical avenue for international churches
- Facilitated growth in local congregation attendance
- Fed 1,000 families each month
- Distributed 20,000 pounds of food each month to the local community
- Equipped local churches with the resources they need to be able to answer the cry of hunger

**SEVEN U.S. CHURCHES HAVE  
JOINED THE EFFORT...BUT FAR  
MORE ARE NEEDED!**

### Families may receive food at the following churches on Sundays:

#### 1st Sunday of Each Month - Pt. Elizabeth, South Africa

*Bethel Worship Center*

Funded by Chosen 300 - Philadelphia, PA

*Emmanuel Baptist Church*

Funded by Love Center Unity Full Gospel Church - Richmond, VA

#### 2nd Sunday of Each Month - Hanover, Jamaica

*Cocoon Castle Baptist Church*

Funded By Chosen 300 - Philadelphia, PA

#### 3rd Sunday of Each Month - Guyana, South America

*Sophia Presbyterian Church*

Funded By 1st Baptist of - Manassas, VA

*Uitvlugt Christian Mission Church*

Funded By Zion Baptist Church - Ambler, PA

*Chantily Baptist Church - Chantily, VA*

*Elim Timehri Christian Fellowship*

Funded By Chosen 300 - Philadelphia, PA

*Swan Christian Fellowship*

Funded by Nu-Corinthian Baptist Church - Indianapolis, IN

*Abrams Creek Missionary Baptist Church*

Funded by Bethlehem Baptist Church - McKeesport, PA

*Asension Temple*

Funded by Olive Branch Baptist Church - Nashville, TN

#### 4th Sunday of Each Month - Ututru, Nigeria

*Evangel Chaple & Abia State University*

Funded By Alfred Street Baptist Church - Alexandria, VA

**Make Chosen 300 your organization of choice in your employer's  
United Way or Community Giving campaign.** (Southeastern PA Region  
#06484/ Tri-State Region #029432). Visit us at [www.chosen300.org](http://www.chosen300.org) for  
additional United Way regions or make your tax-deductible contribution online.

### CHOSEN 300™ MINISTRIES

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# INTERNATIONAL FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROJECT

*Providing an avenue for churches to  
support congregations and  
communities in developing  
countries.*

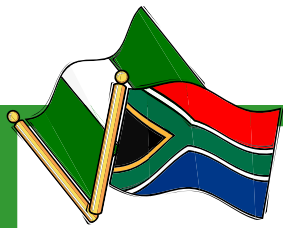
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Nigerian women carrying food to the village supplied by Chosen 300 Food Distribution.



## COUNTRIES IN NEED

In Guyana, South America, 75% of the population lives below the poverty level earning less than \$1,800 US dollars each year. Lack of jobs and resources often leave families suffering without adequate food, shelter, clothing and health care. **Two-Thirds of the world's countries struggle with such poverty and even worse. Chosen 300 continues to close the gap by providing food distributions in Guyana, Jamaica, Nigeria, and South Africa.**

On a visit to Georgetown, Guyana in October 2006, I experienced this poverty first-hand. I was moved by the dedication of Pastor Michael Sammy of the Elim Timehri Church and his family's burden for the suffering in his church's community. In an effort to meet this need, his daughter Marina would pass dry milk out the window of their car to families as they drove along the 25 mile strip of the Timerhi Rd., providing HOPE to survive the week ahead. I immediately recognized the crushing burden from a lack of resources and abundant need in the country. I returned from my visit committed that this would not just be a two- and-a-half week journey; I had to do something. I knew I could not change a country overnight, but if I could just help one church make a difference in one community, it would be a good start.



Food being distributed to families.

### *Answering the cry for help*

I was convinced I had the upper hand on understanding poverty since the majority of my work involves helping the homeless and the poor of Philadelphia. I was wrong!

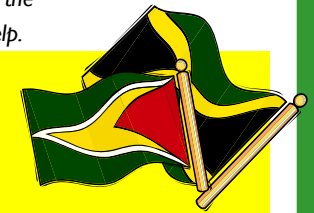
However, within weeks of my return, I got my head on straight and began working with Pastor Sammy to develop a food distribution program. The program began with a small monthly support of \$400 per month providing a food supply for 80-100 families. 80% of the funds supplied each month are used solely for food and the other 20% are used for program cost and transporting the goods. **Now over 1,000 families in 10 communities around the world receive about 30 lbs. of dry goods varying from rice, flour, peas, crushed corn, dry milk, oil and tin fish.** Reports, including receipts and signed sheets by the families receiving the food, are forwarded back to Chosen 300. Each month Pastors and churches who sponsored a community have the opportunity to see the handwriting of the people whose lives they made a little better. Since the Chosen 300 International Food Distribution began in 2006, it has not only provided food for families, but has created an evangelistic avenue for congregations; empowering them to reach their communities for Jesus and strengthen their Christian witness. Since the food distribution program began 2006 the congregations have seen substantial growth, several of them have tripled in attendance. Chosen 300 helps to supports those in Guyana, Jamaica, Nigeria and South Africa.

### *Your chance to help*

We are looking for more Pastors and Churches that will help us fight hunger in Guyana, Jamaica, Nigeria and South Africa for \$200 per month. **Your support will go directly to purchase and transport food for 30-40 families from different congregations and will impact local communities.** To facilitate the process, each U.S. church sends us their support funds directly to Chosen 300 on a monthly basis. Chosen 300 will then send a bulk wire to the food project in the country of your host church to purchase

the food. On the Saturday before your country's selected monthly distribution, the food will be distributed to the local churches. Reports will be provided back to the supporting Pastors/Churches by the end of the month, detailing how much food was purchased. It will also include the signatures of the families that received your help.

**If your church or you as an individual are interested in adopting a church, you can receive information at [www.chosen300.org](http://www.chosen300.org) or call us at 215-765-9806.**



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Families waiting in line for food distribution.

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