

A CUP OF COLD WATER

2022 ANNUAL REPORT



ACCW is an all-volunteer organization! That means, with no paid staff, every dime goes toward helping Maui's neediest. YOUR Support of ACCW is vital to our existence. Here's how you can help:

- **Volunteer:** We always need volunteers for all duties from Run Riders to Run Leaders to Supply Room to Board work. Call us at 808-419-1637.
- **Donate:** Items can be donated through any Episcopal Church on Maui. Funds can be donated via our mailing address on the back page. Ask us about tax-efficient options to support ACCW, like direct IRA distributions, stock donations or planned giving.

'Loving response to Maui's neediest'

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT DEB LYNCH

With loving hearts and hands ACCW had Runs every month in 2022! Central Maui was (and continues to be) the steady flagship of the Runs.

But we branched out too! MPD invited us to join their Medical and Educational Unit that serves in various locations around Maui, and we began with their Paia stop. They parked in one location all morning. A full service for the unsheltered! Doctors, nurses, eye care, mental health, social services, Waipuna Chapel bringing food and clothing, haircuts, and our Van with snack bags, hygiene, water, and smiles.

The Van joined MPD at their Kiehi location but realizing that many souls were struggling in Kihei areas besides the MPD stop, the Board and Run teams opted to restart the Sunday Runs apart for the MPD unit. New faces, old faces – all so glad to see us and we, them.

Some volunteers retired from serving during 2022 – travel, families, and other opportunities called their hearts and love. Keku Akana, our wonderful Founder, was blessed to be appointed to assist Mayor Bissen as Managing Director, and has retired from ACCW, but we know he will bring joy and laughter wherever his new paths take him.

Every year there are SO many people, ministries, businesses, and organizations to thank! First – the wonderful Buddhists again made literally thousands of sandwiches along with the Sandwich Team at Trinity-By-the-Sea led by Susie Davis, and Dr John and Rev Linda Decker!

The Supply Team angels, Marilynn Hirashima, Susie Davis, Judy Thomson, Jeanne Abe, Kit Hart, Linda Murphy, and others who lent a hand, worked tirelessly to pack thousands (again, literally) of snack packs and hygiene kits. Thank you SO much Ruth Eisen for the Q-tip packs and Jeanne Fiddes for the First Aid kits!

Businesses and ministries like Coconut Condos, Iao Congregational Church, and Keawala'i Congregational Church, Second Hand Heaven, Trinity Treasures, St John's Rummage sale, Episcopal Church Women of Good Shepherd, the Maui Latino Community, among others all faithfully donated much needed items like towels, sheets, toothpaste, toothbrushes, razors, blankets, water, along with special drives for Christmas packages with socks, clothing, treats and hygiene. ACCW is truly blessed!

And the heart of ACCW – the Run Leaders – all dedicated to safety, serving, and compassion to those ACCW serves and to our great volunteer Riders too. Thank you, Al Andrews, George Brown, Joseph Cascio, and John Hirashima! Every Run was an adventure!

Some of our priests, Fr Moki Hino, Fr Hau'oli Tomoso, Fr Andrew Walmisley, Fr George Wong, and Mother Heather Mueller are joining Runs now as well offering prayers for hope and healing.

The unsheltered are still struggling here – methamphetamine and fentanyl abound as does hopelessness and desperation. Yet we see the tender care they often have for each other, wanting to share what ACCW gives them and smiling through their tears when we talk story and listen to their plight. Many can hail us by name as we them – they are our friends, children of God together.

Please pray for ACCW's ministry going forward as we humbly share God's love and compassion with grace and kindness to the neediest and loneliest of our community.

Amen,
Deb

OUR TEAM, OUR PEOPLE, OUR FAMILY, OUR FRIENDS

"HE THAT OPPRESSETH THE POOR REPROACHETH HIS MAKER: BUT HE THAT HONoureth HIM HATH MERCY ON THE POOR." PROVERBS 14:31

- IAO UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
- KAHULUI HONGWANJI BUDDHIST MISSION
- WAILUKU HONGWANJI BUDDHIST MISSION
- MAKAWAO HONGWANJI BUDDHIST MISSION
- MAKAWAO UNION CHURCH/SECOND HAND HEAVEN
- HONUA KAI RESORT
- HONPA HONGWANJI MISSION OF HAWAII
- EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF HAWAII
- ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, KULA
- HOLY INNOCENTS EPISCOPAL, LAHAINA
- TRINITY BY THE SEA EPISCOPAL/TRINITY TREASURES, KIHEI
- CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD (EPISCOPAL) WAILUKU
- EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN OF GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH
- MEMBERS OF ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
- MARIA LANAKILA CATHOLIC CHURCH
- HAWAII LIFE REAL ESTATE BROKERS
- KEAWALA'I CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
- JACOB'S LADDER
- COCONUT CONDOS
- ST. ANTHONY'S THRIFT SHOP
- MAUI HUMANE SOCIETY

Delivering the basic needs of water, nutrition, clothing and comfort to the neediest of Maui's people.



A Cup of Cold Water is a 100% Volunteer Organization

Special thanks to the Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwich crews: Charlotte Wilkerson & the Kahului Hongwanji Buddhist Mission, Sandy Hirata & the Wailuku Hongwanji Buddhist Mission, Maui Friends Worship Group, Holy Innocents Episcopal Church, Trinity Episcopal Church By-the-Sea, John & Linda Decker

“The river never drinks its own water. The tree never tastes its own fruit. The field never consumes its own harvest. They selflessly strive for the well-being of all those around them. —Mewari proverb, India”

Some Facts about A Cup of Cold Water.....

In 2022, A Cup of Cold Water conducted 91 mission Runs and completed 3,996 service contacts with people in need.

People served	3,996
Mission Runs	91
Miles Driven	2,171
Chilled Water distributed	3,996
Food items distributed	27,972
Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwiches	3,996
Basic first aid items	3,996
Clothing items	19,980
Hygiene	3,996
Bibles/Spiritual Literature	50

A Cup of Cold Water also distributed thousands of other items including clothing, footwear, caps, blankets, towels, tarps, rain ponchos, backpacks, washcloths, eyeglasses, nail clippers, pet food and other miscellaneous items.

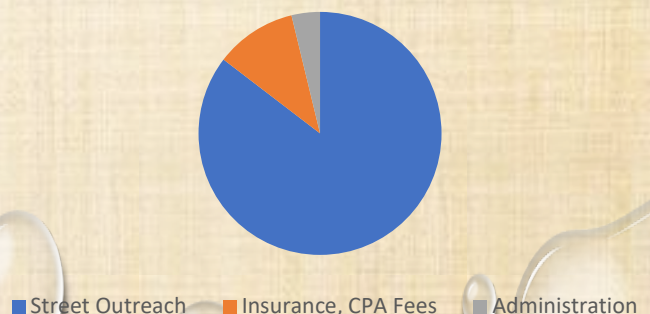
Also in 2022 helping other ministries, ACCW gave many:

- *Hygiene packs to the Kahului Salvation Army**
- *Sheets, towels, bedding linens to Ka Hale A Ke Ola Shelter**
- *Shirts, caps, towels to the Kahului Salvation Army**
- *Large bags of dog food to the Kahului Salvation Army**
- *Cases of water to Good Shepherd's Ka Ohana Kitchen**
- *Snacks to Maui Community Correctional Center Inmate community program**

ACCW Mission Financials 2022	
2022 Balance Sheet (as of 12/31/22)	
Assets	
Cash	\$30,523
Reserve for Van Replacement (Restricted)	\$42,805
Board Restricted General Fund	\$26,301
Total Assets	\$99,629
Liabilities & Equity	
Accounts Payable	\$0
Opening Balance Equity	\$10,462
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Unrestricted Net Assets	\$50,475
Board Restricted Van Replacement Fund	\$42,805
Net Income	<u>-\$30,414</u>
Total Liabilities & Equity	\$99,629
2022 Revenue & Expenses	
Revenue	
Gifts from Individuals	\$18,756
Gifts from Churches	\$400
Gifts from Charitable/Private Trusts & Grants	\$8,950
Miscellaneous Revenues	<u>-\$10,350</u>
Total Income	\$17,756
Expenses	
Street Outreach	\$41,121
Van Insurance, Liability Insurance, CPA Fees	\$5,224
Administration	\$1,825
Total Expenses *	\$48,170
Net Income	<u>-\$30,414</u>



2022 Expenses \$48,170



GOING FORWARD



2023 brings enthused changes: Cathy Paxton-Haines will be stepping up as the next President of the Board of Directors in June 2023! We happily welcome Cathy and look forward to her inspiration, compassion, and guidance! Cathy has fresh ideas and a true heart for the unsheltered here on Maui.

Deb Lynch steps aside to be a Vice President. We lovingly say a big mahalo to Deb, for all her hard work and great leadership as President in one of the most challenging times in our lives.

Donna Tarsitano has volunteered to be Correspondence Secretary and it is a delight to have her on board!

John Hirashima, while managing the Van, is also now creating the Run Schedules. Thank you, John!

During the pandemic some Runs and volunteer opportunities were suspended, but now it is clear that ACCW is well loved, is desperately needed, and is continuing forward in 2023!

The number of those ACCW serves on the Central Maui Runs is growing and ACCW needs more volunteer help in the Supply Room, on Runs, with PB&J sandwiches, and financially too. We hope you'll consider contributing to any or all of these efforts.

Thank you for all your prayers ACCW is truly a blessed ministry.

A Cup of Cold Water Help Wanted

Requirements for all positions:

Wants to spend time with all God's children in work, laugh, joy, grace filled environment.

Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich Brigade; PB&J sandwiches - do you have some people or students wanting a project to help? Maybe once a month? Because the numbers ACCW serves are increasing, ACCW always welcomes other compassionate PB&J sandwich donations besides those that Trinity and the Buddhists make

Run Leaders; Needs current Hawaii driver's license, drivers abstract. Relieve Run Leaders who have served for 4 years. Approximately 8 hours a month, 2 Runs per month(if enough volunteer, we can return to 2/week). Benefits include training and support, amazing teams to work with, grace and joy filled time serving our brothers and sisters around Maui.

Run Riders - Volunteers who would like to go on Van Runs on a regular basis. Approximately 4-5 hours a month, 1 Run per month. Benefits include training and support, amazing teams to work with, grace and joy filled time serving our brothers and sisters around Maui.

Supply Room: Needs physical ability to stand, bend, sit and lift 3-4 lbs. Will sort, count and make decisions on donated items. Benefits include short hours, air cooled Supply Room, amazing angels to work with, laughter and friendship.

Donations Coordinator (Hotels/Condos/Corporations, Etc.): Needs ability to multi task, work closely with President, basic computer skills. Will communicate with the Executive Directors, Managers, Chairpersons, Presidents of various organizations that wish to make in-kind donations. Once a donation is promised, will arrange for pick up of items by Volunteers, Friends or Run Leaders. Will help to solicit donations when needs grow as requested by the Supply Room Volunteers. Benefits include short hours and working from home with communication via phone and computer. Not required to be the actual people who do the collecting and delivery to the Supply Room, they just need to be able to find people to do the transporting and organize the collection.

Packaging Help Wanted- We need someone to package up the first aid kits on a regular basis. All materials will be supplied. Please contact Marilyn Hirashima or Jean Fiddes if you can help. (First Aid kits are something many of those we serve really need and ask for. This is a great way to help, but not have to go on Runs).

(Three positions above only require a volunteer's time a few times a year and are another way to help without going on Runs.)

For more information or to offer your volunteer time, please send an email to deblychstudios@gmail.com

2022 ACCW Board of Directors

The Rt. Rev. Robert L. Fitzpatrick
Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Hawaii

Deb Lynch
Director and President

The Rev. Linda Decker
Director, Recording Secretary and In -Reach

Jean Fiddes
Director and Treasurer

Chuck Spence
Director, Information Officer & Bishop's Liaison

The Rev. Amy Crowe
Director and Clergy Representative

George Brown
Director

John Decker
Director and Finance Liaison

Kit Hart
Director and Communications Coordinator

Al Andrews
Director

Mahalo nui loa to.....Wailuku McDonald's for always supplying ice for our cold water, Father Moki, Cora Brown and the Good Shepherd Episcopal Church office team for always supporting and helping, Good Shepherd for providing storage and parking space, Lea Voss for her bookkeeping services, Trinity by the Sea and Tasteful Benefit committee, Diocese of Hawaii for website and grant, Mark Haley and Coconut Condominiums for continuing supply of towels and sheets, Jim Urbanski for water donations, Louise Aloy for hotel donations and tee shirts, Jean Fiddes and Toni Paul for accurate financial reporting, all peanut butter and jelly sandwich makers, and all others who helped make sure the van was clean, stocked, gassed and ready to roll. Special Mahalo to Rev. Richard Tennes of Kahului Hongwanji for donations and support as well as Elleanna Moore for her project donation to ACCW.

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