



His Hands for **India**

God's hands and feet for His children in India

Rachael is from Rhode Island. She moved to Lynchburg, Virginia in 2008 and has been living there ever since.

She is a special education teacher; teaching in elementary schools for eight years and is now teaching at the high school level. She currently works with the youth in her local church.

Rachael is very passionate about children, other cultures and being a part of global missions. She has lived in Central India for 6 weeks, working with girls and women, as part of the World Race (Adventures in Missions).

Rachael will also be coordinating the Myanmar Program as well.

Rachael, we are so happy that you are joining our His Hands Support Ministries team!



Welcome:

Rachael Santaniello
our new India coordinator



Pastor Michael & his wife Chandra
our ministry partners





Temporary Worship Shed



Church Construction



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Still need to complete: the front entrance, the floor, wiring, fans, lights, and painting.
 Work has stopped due to the Corona Virus as workers have been in lockdown.
 Pastor Michael would like to thank those who have donated towards the construction expenses.
 Please keep this project in your prayers.



Food assistance



Children's program in the shed



Christmas Program



Receiving sponsorship money



The Corona Virus has disrupted life and ministry in India just as it has around the world.

People have been in lockdown for well over 2 months.

Public transportation is shut down, food markets are closed, and no church services or children's ministries are happening right now.

Most people do not have access to social media and therefore are not able to experience online services.

The cost of food has skyrocketed and many people are suffering greatly.

Pastor Michael and Chandra are doing their best to provide food for those in need.

This is there hottest time of year (113° F on Friday) and the time of summer diseases.

Please keep India (and the whole world) in your prayers. If you are able to help financially in anyway, please send donations to HHSM (see back page).



It takes a lot of rice to feed these hungry children. Thank you for your faithful sponsorship.



These young men below are currently staying in the church due to the Covid 19





Wanda Meisner will continue serving with His Hands Support Ministries as the treasurer. This young man read to Wanda in English during a previous visit.



Sponsorship money purchases backpacks for school



The young people perform beautiful dances, recite Bible verses and poetry when we visit.



Christmas caroling
& Vacation
Bible School



Birthday & Christmas money gift deadlines to be received in time:

Birthdays: the last day of the month prior to their birthday.

Christmas: money gifts need to reach the office no later than **November 30th**.

Communication Policy

As the world is quickly changing, His Hands Support Ministries is attempting to respond to these changes in a way that protects our sponsor children (and seniors) and our sponsors. In these efforts, we have implemented a **new policy concerning communication**.

- ◇ **All correspondence** between a sponsored child (or senior) and sponsor must go through the His Hands Support Ministries office. **His Hands Support Ministries, PO Box 72, Peru, ME 04290**
- ◇ You may **email scanned or typed letters** to the country coordinator in which your sponsor child lives or you may **physically mail** these to the home office address.
- ◇ If you have **questions** about this process, please do not hesitate to reach out.
- ◇ Letter writing is a wonderful part of your role as a sponsor. We encourage you to write letters to your sponsored child (senior) and love to hear about the relationships that develop because of these letters!
- ◇ Reminder: children will be encouraged to respond to your letters, but it is not required. We do not wish to place additional responsibilities onto our partners.
- ◇ **Contact:** info@hishandsforindia.org phone: (434) 227-1944 **Website:** hishandssupportministries.org