



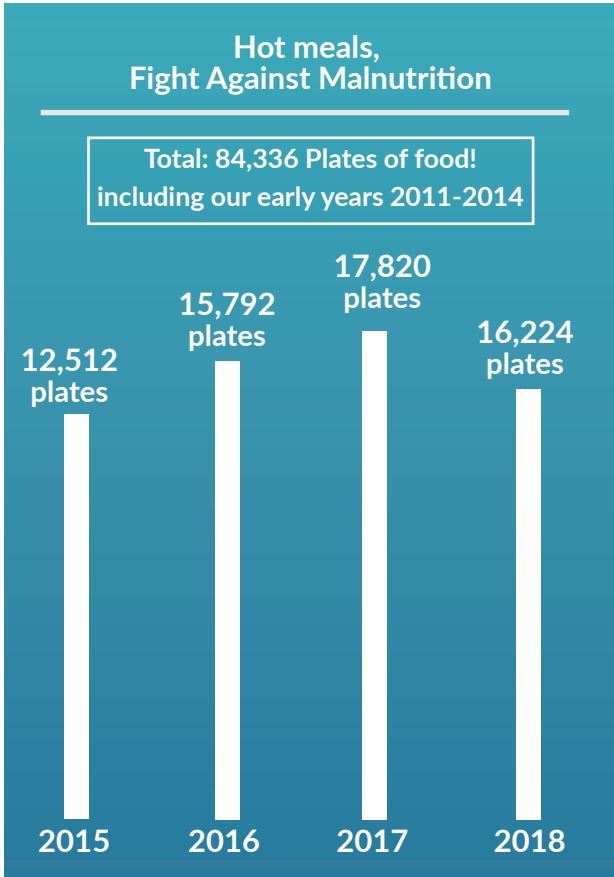
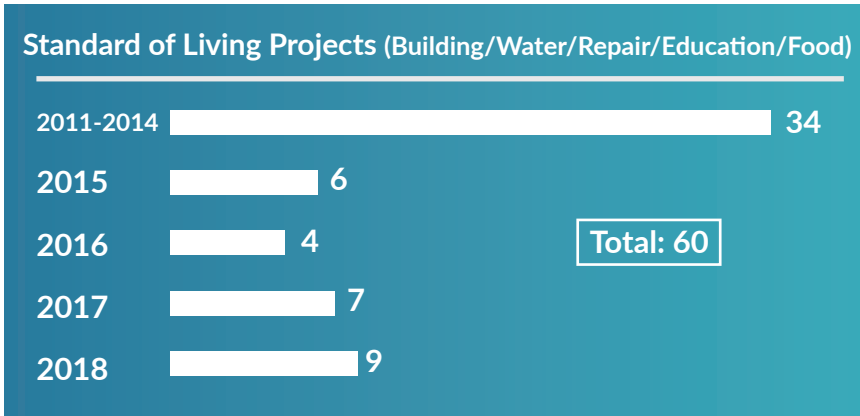
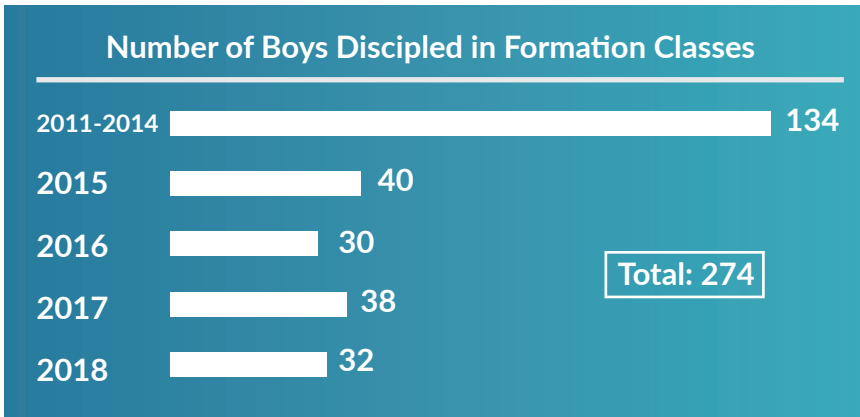
# 2018 ANNUAL REPORT

## LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

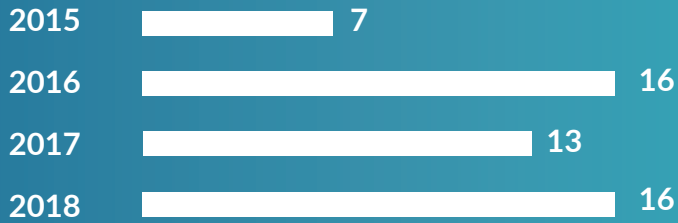


**Tara Germain**  
Co-Founder  
and Executive Director

Every child matters. Every woman matters. Every elder matters. Every single person matters. The reform we are looking for in Nicaragua is taking shape within each and every heart we work with, and the markers you see on this report bear witness to this. Our work -- every moment of Christian education; every hour of formation and poverty relief; every hour of skills training; every tummy fed; and every mind being renewed-- is not in vain. All of this is pointing Nicaragua to a different tomorrow. This makes 8 years running and what you are a part of is not in vain! Here's to our project of building a training center to carry on what has been started in over 500 Nicaraguan Families to date!



### Number of Women in Trades Training (Sewing)



**Total: 52**

### Food Packs (Dry Goods) Distributed to Elderly/Disabled

**Total: 3,958 packs including our early years 2011-2014**

18 persons x  
40 weeks =  
680 packs

16 persons x  
42 weeks =  
672 packs

18 persons x  
25 weeks =  
450 packs

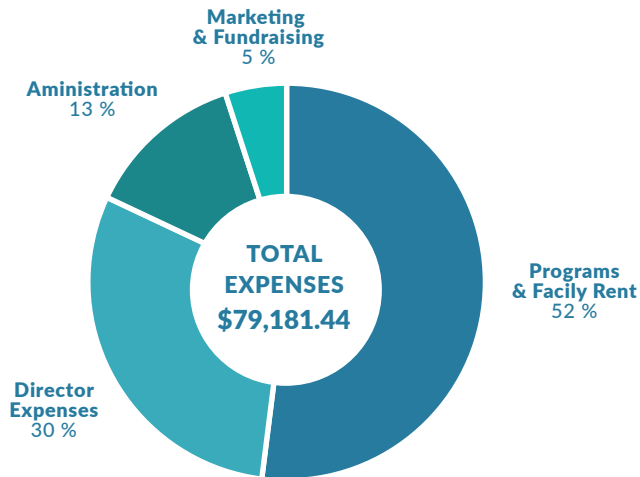
30 packs

2015

2016

2017

2018



**\$25,276.6**  
raised  
for our expansion  
Phase 1



**3 Committees** were formed;  
Expansion, Policies & Procedures,  
and Fundraising,  
as well as **1 volunteer Grant Writer**  
joined forces with us



Our Directors Family Trip  
to Canada for 4 months  
to Work and enjoy the company  
of family, friends and team

## MINISTRY PARTNERS



Total donations received  
in 2018 - \$104,169.19



A total of 13 lapsed donors  
renewed their giving



A total of 37 new (first time) donors  
joined us as ministry partners



A total of 44 donors carried on with their commitment  
from years previous making a grand total of  
94 ministry partners in 2018.

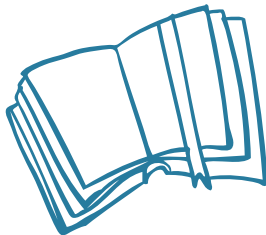


LASM was registered as a charity with PayPal and PayPal Giving Fund Canada.  
Resulting in the reduction of our processing fees from 2.9% + 10¢ per transaction  
to 1.6% + 10¢ per transaction and enabling potential donors to see LASM listed  
as a charity in PayPal Giving Fund Canada's database.



In 2018, **8** out of our 32 students live in high violence environments.  
**12** of them live in a moderate level violence,  
and another other **12** live in a semi-low level of violence.  
**Every child enrolled in the ministry** suffers a certain kind of violence,  
and lives in social and economic conditions that put them  
at constant risk in the home.

## TOP ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS LASM



96 hours of Bible classes  
were imparted  
x 32.5 students  
= **3,120**  
**Spiritual Formation hours**



45.5 hours of school  
reinforcement (tutorial)  
were imparted  
x 32.5 students  
= **1,479**  
**Academic Formation Hours**