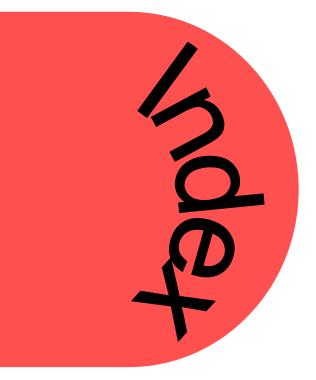


### REPORT



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It was June30<sup>th</sup>, 1993 when the Good Samaritan Association for rehabilitation and reinsertion of drug addicts was created as a social work branch of the Andalusian Missionary Evangelical Church. On June 22<sup>nd</sup> of 1993 it was registered in the first section of the Registry of Associations of Andalusia, and on June 29<sup>th</sup> of 2009 it was broadened to a national level with registration number 592913. It is composed of 70 members, a board of directors and a mixed team of volunteers and paid employees who carry out the following activities: help for people with addictions and for socially marginalized groups, prevention of drug abuse through specific activities and through healthy leisure, distribution of

foods and other types of social assistance to needy people, and help to projects in developing countries.

Our association opened the **Rehabilitation Center** in 1995, in which it cares for men in a residential setting, using occupational therapy and psychological attention. The center, located in Alcarcejos (Cordoba), functions completely on renewable energies and its production of olives and vegetables is certified organic by the CAAE.

The center has been part of the *Enlace* Autonomous Federation since 1998, and part of the *Madinat* Provincial Federation since the year 2000. It also forms part of the "Union Makes Life" platform of anti-addiction associations of the Pedroches Valley, which holds addiction-prevention activities every year. In 2008, the Good Samaritan Association received the "Oak of the Pedroches" prize, awarded by the Greater Community of Towns of the Pedroches valley.

### **MISSION**

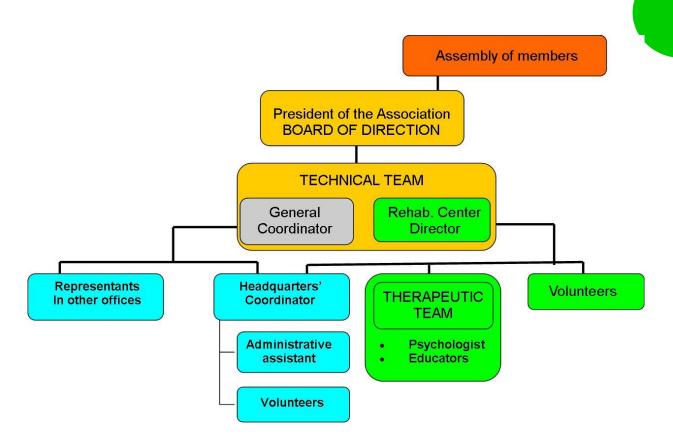
A not-for-profit evangelical Christian association whose goal is the improvement of the quality of life of persons with various addictions, their family members, impoverished people groups, and those at risk of falling into poverty.

### VISION

To be a growing organization, which responds to the needs we see before us, increasing prevention and intervention efforts by means of the new social media.

### **VALUES**

Our organization is based on Christian principles, and acts in a way which is transparent, dynamic and coherent in all areas of intervention and administration.



**Assembly of Members:** We meet at least once a year, in a regular session. In 2020, the meeting took place on February 8<sup>th</sup> at our headquarters. We dealt with topics typical of an annual assembly, such as review of our activities and budget during the previous year, and our program for the current year. We also held re-elections to the board of directors and dealt with various other topics.

### The Board of Directors is composed of:

President: Francisco Arjona Godoy

Vice-President: Roland Weinmann
Secretary: Jesús Gómez Carrillo
Treasurer: Nathalie Farelly
Spokespersons: Nora Inés Vivas

Manuel Fernández Gloria Verónica Lara

### The technical and therapeutic team is composed of:

Director: Roland Weinmann

Psychologists: Rene Abrego and Gloria Lara Coordinating manager: Francisco Arjona

Educators: José Javier Rodríguez and Jesús Gómez.

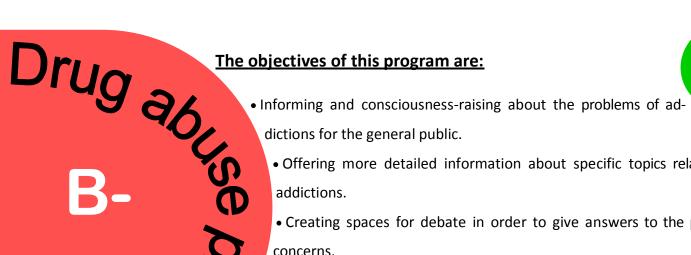
### At the administrative level:

Executive secretary: Nathalie Farelly

Assistants: Gloria Lara, Nora Inés Vivas and Delyth Sutton Web page and representation in Castellón: Guillermo Kampjes

Representation in Manzanares: Noemí Valero Social assistance in Cabra: Francisco Bujalance

### The objectives of this program are:



- Offering more detailed information about specific topics related to addictions.
- Creating spaces for debate in order to give answers to the public's concerns.
- Orienting and informing about existing private and public resources both for those struggling with addictions and for their family members, and for the general public when requested.
- Promoting healthy life habits for families and young people.
- noitnava • Cooperating with like-minded associations in the development of various prevention activities.
  - Involving our volunteers in specific prevention activities.

IN 2020, due to the pandemic-related restrictions, the activities were very much reduced, and basically consisted of drug-abuse-prevention talks, and the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the rehabilitation center, which took place before the confinement orders. From that point on, we could only do audio-visual online activities.

### DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION TALKS IN THE SALESIAN SCHOOL OF POZOBLANCO

On February 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>, we gave drug abuse prevention talks to adolescents ages 14 to 18. The talks centered on the dynamics of adolescence and their relationship to substance abuse and dependency, as well as the social, emotional, intellectual and physical factors in abuse prevention. The psychologist from the Good Samaritan Center, Rene Abrego, interacted with about 60 youths, who asked and answered questions about the topic. We know we should be

responsible for a coherence between theory and reality, so one of the residents of the center, who was in the last phase of his rehabilitation program, gave his testimony of how he got into drugs, and how his addiction affected his life and his family. Then he explained what he had achieved in our complete rehabilitation program, and



the restructuring of the emotional, cognitive, behavioral and spiritual areas of his life.





### CELBRATION OF THE 25<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE REHABILITATION CENTER

With 160 people present, we thanked God for His faithfulness and His provision through all these

years.



The director of the center, Roland Weinmann, officiated at the ceremony, in which the work of the technical team and volunteers was recognized, making special mention of founders Francis and Nathalie Arjona, and monitors Jesús Gómez and José Javier Rodríguez, and his wife. Then we heard the testimony of one of the residents and we sang, led by a group from the "Christ for the Nations" church of Puente Genil. The residents also sang two songs. The act ended with a talk by psychologist Rene Abrego about standards for and levels of drug

abuse prevention.





Needless to say, Manuel Fernández and his helpers delighted us yet again this year with their varied salads and two huge paellas.











A new thing we did this year was a sale of wooden objects made by the residents toward the purchase of the new van, as well as a "flea market" of donated items. As happens each

year, we had a cake and dessert contest, which was won this time by...one of the residents!

Finally, to mark this quarter century, we planted 25 olive trees, some of which were adopted by visitors who left their name marked and hanging on the tree. It was a really nice day, and we had good weather for the whole time. We want to thank all the people who made it possible and helped pull it off. We also give thanks to the people who made the effort to come from a long way off to help us, from places such as Murcia, Madrid, Cádiz, Sevilla, Jaén and Córdoba.







### INTERVIEWS FOR LOCAL RADIO AND TELEVISION

During the summer, Pozoblanco's local TV station, channel 54, interviewed two men: one who was following the rehabilitation program in the center, and another who was already in the reinsertion phase. They shared their testimonies, and principles to help young people not start consuming addictive substances.



With the motive of the "Day without alcohol" celebrated on November 15<sup>th</sup>, Delyth Sutton represented our association on a joint radio program with Yolanda García Rubio of "Cities Facing Drugs" and Rafael Muñoz, a psychologist with PITA ("Integral Anti-tobacco





They dealt with topics such as addictions during the COVID confinement, and the effects of alcohol on the fetus during pregnancy, promoting a booklet on that topic produced by the group, "Union Makes Life."

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The program of care for drug dependent men is the first one that we put into action as an association, and as of today's date, it continues to be the principal program that we administer. When we speak of dependency, we include alcohol and tobacco, which is the reason our program is "Free from drugs."

The fact of having behind us 25 years of uninterrupted labor (except for one summer when the center was closed) backs us up with a considerable wealth of experience. We have continually adjusted the program of intervention to the realities of present-day society and its addictions.

### Summary of the program:

The rehabilitation program is aimed solely at men, and it is carried out in a rural residential environment. It consists of several phases:

Breaking the habit of drug consumption

Modification of addictive conduct

Learning of new habits

Recovery of the sense of responsibility at the personal, family and social levels

Preparation for the phase of reinsertion

To achieve the objectives set for each phase, the program is based primarily on occupational therapy, which includes the areas of work, sports, culture, social and spiritual activities, and psychological treatment. The complete program has a duration of one year.

Breaking habit of drug consumption

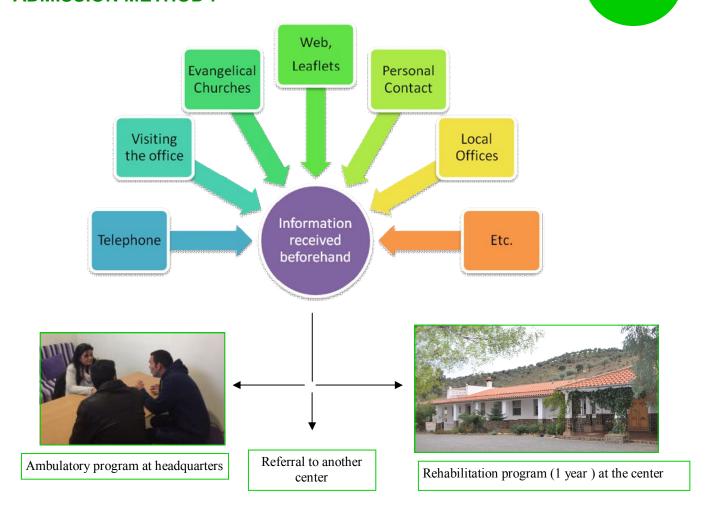
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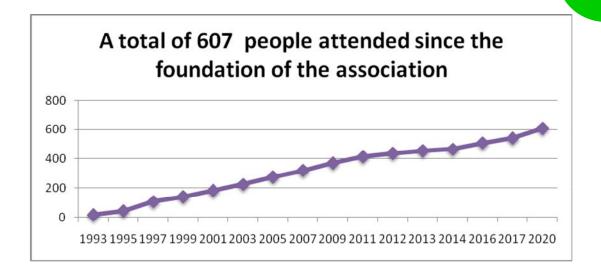
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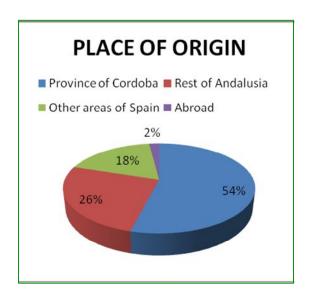


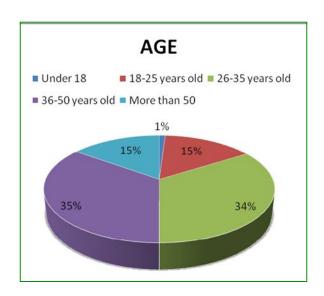
### **PEOPLE ATTENDED IN 2020**

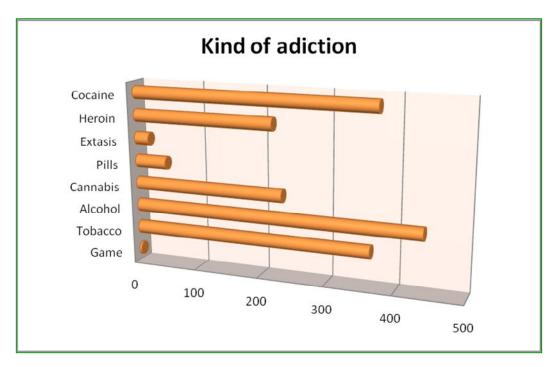


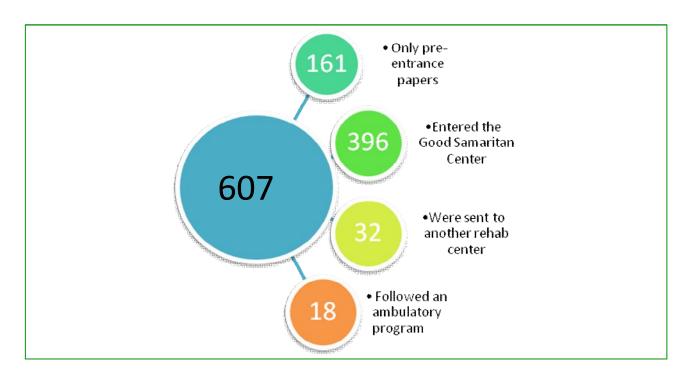
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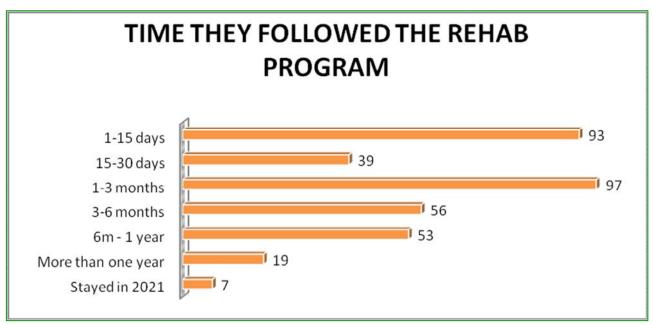












### **WEBSITE VISITS:**

**Total of visits: 2.390 users** (2.278 new ones) from the following countries: Spain-994, U.S.A.-441, Mexico-144, Argetina-118, Colombia-85, Germany-72, China -6, Canadá-50, Netherlands-46, England-43, Chili-42, France-26, Perou-20, Costa Rica-20, Emirates -18, Australia-15, Guatemala-14, Ecuador-14, Panama-13, Switzerland-11, Brazil-10, Italy-9, El Salvador-9, Venezuela-8 y "hidden"-162.

### OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY



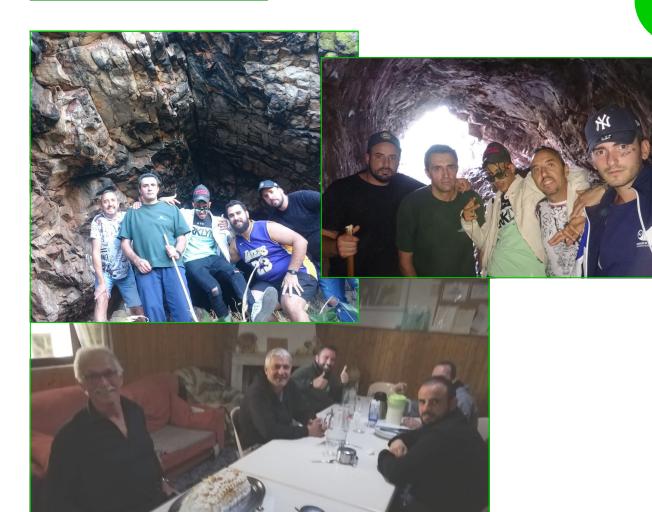


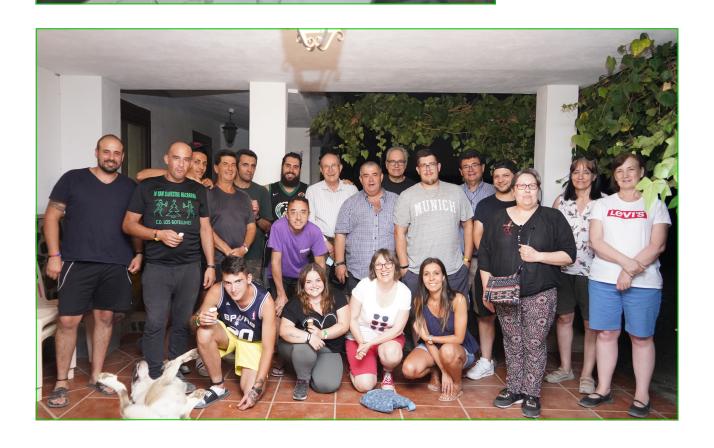




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**Psychologist Rene Abrego** has attended to 20 people at the Association's office (or via internet when the Covid quarantine did not permit being personally present.)

The profile of those benefitting from our care has been varied:

- addicts who want to quit their habit without having to enter a rehabilitation center.

- family members of residents, with the goal of doing a parallel work with them while the addict's rehabilitation is occurring.

- people in the phase of social reinsertion, as a follow-up to the residential rehabilitation program.

Psychologist Gloria V. Lara has treated 16 people on a regular personal basis through psychological care therapies. The people had a variety of problems: depression, anxiety, low self-esteem, etc.

### **Therapies at the Rehabilitation Center:**

Psychologist Rene A. Abrego has treated the residents of the center, who are following an inpatient residential program, on a regular basis all year long. A total of

> 18 men received care in both individual and group settings.



# Training TRA

### TRAINING COURSE IN ADDICTION PREVEN-TION

During the months of June and July, we once again held our annual **training course in addiction prevention for social workers**, a 50-hour session.

Organized by the excellent local government of Pozoblanco through the community addiction program, "Cities Facing Drugs," by the Good Samaritan Association and by the Northern Cordoba Health District, the training has as its objective to give the students, who are mostly technicians, college graduates or people with graduate degrees, the knowledge and ability necessary to work in that field. On this occasion, being completely online due to Covid-19, the students participating were not only from the province of Cordoba but also from Seville and Malaga.

The training dealt with basic topics such as the factors that can lead to addictions, information about the different types of addictions—with or without substances—and other more specific topics such as the influence of gender on addictions, social skills for the social worker, emotional abilities both for self-care and for helping the user, and lastly we gave a review of the resources available in the Northern Cordoba zone and in the zones where the students were from.

As far as the evaluation of the quality of the training made by the 53 persons who signed

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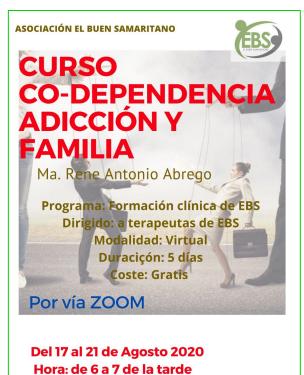
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up, we can point out that 82% answered that the course was interesting and useful in their work to a high or very high degree. The methodology of online learning, multimedia, and with person-to-person teaching through the classroom platform and through Zoom turned out to be practical and valued to a high or very high degree by 87%, as well as the overall evaluation of the training. So, 95% of the students would recommend the course. **Delyth Sutton** was one of the instructors.



### TRAINING FOR OUR WORKERS



With the goal of continuing to train the therapists who work at the Rehabilitation Center, in August psychologist Rene Abrego gave a 5-hour training course to our monitors about codependency.

Additionally, we have been implementing a **new** working methodology at the rehabilitation center, which means continual training of the monitors and director by our psychologist. Little by little we are applying the new tools in the daily functioning of the community.

### PLANS FOR IMPROVEMENT

With the goal of continuing to improve our organization and the services it provides, this year we began to put into practice the plans created and approved in 2019, which are:

- Plan for good administration
- Plan for collaborating with companies
- Plan for stewardship of the environment
- Plan for transparency
- Plan for volunteers

This year, we carried out a SWOT analysis (Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities & Threats) of the Association on June 8<sup>th</sup>, and yet another such analysis specifically for the rehabilitation center on September 23<sup>rd</sup>. Both members of the board of directors and workers, as well as some volunteers participated. This exhaustive analysis allowed us to see in what areas we need to keep improving and advancing.



## Social Assista 1- DORCAS PROGRAM IN POZOBLANCO

This program, functioning since 2001, seeks:

- To provide help and orientation to resolve problems of social marginalization.
- To provide educational, cultural and material help to immigrants.

### **Delivery of food and other products:**

 Foods received through the Food Bank:

program In 2020, we distributed food received from the food bank, handing out a total of 6,295 kilos of food (almost 14,000 pounds).



### Allotments of foods and basic hygiene products:

The deliveries were done the last Thursday of every month, and each allotment always contained milk, as well as other basic products such as sugar, oil, ColaCao, cookies, legumes, rice, hand sanitizer, shampoo, dishsoap, etc. We delivered 598 allotments over the 12 months. These products were financed by the excellent Pozoblanco local government, and were delivered to 139 personas representing 44 family units.

### • Organic vegetables from the therapeutic community:

Especially in the summer, we gave the recipients an allotment of fresh vegetables: tomatoes, green beans, green pimentos, eggplant, peppers, squash, etc., a total of 353 kilograms (776 pounds).

### Participation of businesses in the PedrochesValley:

Campedroches gave us 150 dozen eggs during the Covid confinement period, and later we acquired another 220 dozen for the rest of the year. Additionally, the COVAP dairy cooperative gave us a pallet of milk every three months. And the bakeries Olmo de Pozoblanco, and El Chico de Añora gave us bread on a regular basis.

### Assistance for infants:

We gave out diapers, wipes, baby foods and infant cereal in all the allotments for families with little children. We also provided a special infant formula for a baby who has intestinal issues.

These activities were carried out by volunteers at the Association Headquarters, except for the period of March through June, when due to the Covid confinement we had to deliver the products to peoples' homes.

### Occasional assistance paying bills:

YEAR 2020	Bills
Rent	5
Electricity	33
Water	12
Mortgage	1
Bail	1
Medecine	7
Butane gas	59

Throughout the year, we were able to help several families pay for cylinders of butane gas and part or all of their bills for electricity, water, rent, etc.

### Backpacks with school supplies:

Thanks to the Council of Social Services and Education of the Pozoblanco Government, through the La



Caixa Foundation and its social work in Pozoblanco, we gave out backpacks to the children of our client families in three different versions; procedual primary so

families in three different versions: preschool, primary school and secondary school.

### • Toys at Christmas:

An evangelical church in Cordoba gave us toys, which we distributed in December to the families with children younger than 12 years old.



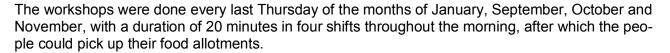
### · Masks:

During the Covid confinement, we gave all our client families some masks made by a group of women from Pozoblanco.

### • Training workshops:

Due to the Covid restrictions, we only gave 4 workshops this last year; the topics dealt with were:

- MY IDENTITY
- COVID-19, NOW WHAT?
- HOW TO HELP YOUR CHILDREN WITH THEIR SCHOOL HOMEWORK
- ECONOMY AT HOME



59% of the people receiving help from us attended the workshops (18% men and 82% women), 62 in January and September and 55 in October and November. We dealt with topic of interest to families and with teaching of values that allowed them to reflect on themselves and their roles as parents and administrators of the resources of the home.

The workshops were taught by psychologist Gloria Lara Palencia, except for the one on economy in the home, which was taught by Delyth Sutton



### 2- DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONAL PROTECTIVE GEAR

During the Covid confinement, we worked together with the Northern Cordoba Health Authorities in distributing personal protective materials for residences and health care centers in the northern Cordoba area, including our own rehabilitation center. These deliveries were able to be done thanks to our acquisition of a new van in February 2020, in which many people and organizations participated.



### 3- DELIVERY OF EUROPEAN UNION FOOD IN CABRA



The delegation which the association has in Cabra (Cordoba) has cared for 113 people belonging to 40 different family units. They are families referred to us by the Social Welfare Cabra Organization. They were given provided foods by European Union, as well as others purchased subsidy that the organization

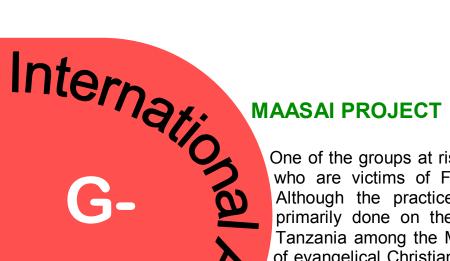
provides every year. This year, a further subsidy was given to buy foods in the Christmas season.

### 4- SOCIAL ASSISTANCE IN ALCORA (CASTELLÓN)

During the whole year, except for the months of the total Covid confinement, we kept open the premises of the "Christian Community on the Alcora Road" church as a "social assistance office" every Wednesday from 9am until 2pm. From that point the following assistance was provided:

- -Information and procedures for admission to the Rehabilitation Center.
- -Social Assistance (food, mini credits, payment of electricity and water bills, help with debts, rent, etc.)
- -Personal Assistance (helping people with various bureaucratic procedures, legal problems and other needs.)
- -Coaching (regarding marriage relationships, training of children, major life changes, existential doubts, etc.)





One of the groups at risk of social exclusion are the girls who are victims of Female Genital Mutilation (FGM). Although the practice goes back many years, it is primarily done on the African continent, especially in Tanzania among the Maasai population, where a group of evangelical Christians led by pastor Markos, very well known in the area, is carrying out a rescue of at-risk girls. Their parents, because of religious and cultural tradition, perform this practice so that their daughters of 12 – 14 years of age may be recognized as women ready for marriage; nevertheless, if there are more daughters in the family, it tends to be performed on all of them from age 8 up.

Presently, the information about the health risks of FGM has been given to the girls, and they flee from their homes to avoid it. They have found refuge with Pastor Markos, who upon seeing the need created a center where all the girls' needs are covered, for which he is requesting international aid from people who can support the project financially. **The Good Samaritan Association supports this and is a channel for national and international donations to the project.** A volunteer and member of the Association is in constant communication with those who lead this refugee center, and has traveled personally to Tanzania to see how the girls are cared for.

### **SENDING OF MASKS TO TAMBACOUNDA (SENEGAL)**

The local governments of Añora and Pozoblanco gave us masks for children and adults with the purpose of sending them to the Austral Evangelical Mission, which we have been supporting in different ways since 2004, through

the Evangelical Church of Pozoblanco.



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Because of how peculiar this year was, we had fewer occasions to promote the organization, except for an encounter which took place before the Covid confinement, and our presence in the open-air market of Pozoblanco in the fall.

### REPRESENTATION AT THE DECISION SUMMIT

From February 21<sup>st</sup> to the 23<sup>rd</sup>, an encounter took place in Cullera which gathered evangelicals and evangelical organizations to debate about Spanish culture and its implications for the life of churches and entities like ours. We had a display stand with information and our brand of olive oil.







### INFORMATION BOOTH AT THE OPEN-AIR MARKET

When it was possible, volunteers with the association were present every Thursday morning in the Pozoblanco open-air market, with the goal of making our social work more known.

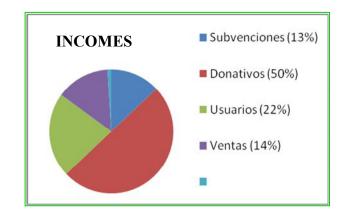
### SUPPORT CAMPAIGN FOR THE WORK OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN ASSOCIATION

We started a support campaign using social media, to seek further financial support for our organization. We promoted both within Spain and abroad several ways of donating:

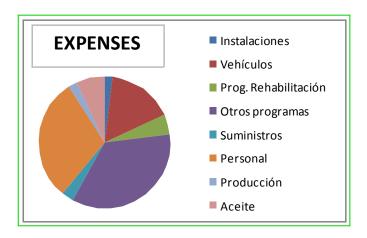
- Through Teaming (1€/month)
- Buying our organic extra virgin olive oil
- Becoming a "friend of the Good Samaritan"
- Adopting an olive tree



INCOMES	€
Public subventions	18.460,90
Agriculture subventions	4.454,78
General donations	7.531,11
Donations for projects (*)	77.768,06
Personal donations/visits	1.160,71
Residents' registrations	961,01
Residents' fees	33.420,00
Members' fees	512,25
Therapies	2.680,00
Olive tres' sponsorship	5.848,22
Olives' sales	948,28
Vegetables' sales	437,94
Olive oil sales	16.670,32
Tax refund	1.081,02
	171.934,60



EXPENSES €		
FACILITIESS 2.639,12	OTHER PROGRAMS	62.426,65
Construction 1.254,03	Insurance for civil responsibility	1.181,82
Solar maintenance 384,70	Stationery	526,41
Machines maintenance 474,50	Presents	191,70
Paint 525,89	Travel expenses	161,20
PRODUCTION 3.472,54	Fiscal advice	943,80
Agriculture 1.275,36	Other profesional services	1.235,57
Animals 568,99	Training	508,20
Gasoiline for engines 569,09	Dorcas Program	19.255,46
Fiscal advice 943,80	Diputación Program	380,00
Tools 115,30	Maasai Project	10.977,18
VEHICLES 28.260,72	Social help in Pozoblanco	50,00
New van purshase 25.264,00	Social help in Castellón	26.046,31
Garage 1.540,01	Men camp	969,00
Spare parts 53,47	PERSONNEL	53.965,39
Taxes 373,29	Salaries	39.376,99
Insurance 1.029,95	Social Security	9.757,32
REHABILITACTON PROGRAM 8.267,65	Taxes	28,08
Food 6.419,59	Gratifications	4.803,00
Pharmacy 291,19		
Homeware 736,14	OTHER	432,89
Wood workshop 820,73		
SUPPLIES 6.053,85		177.398,28
Telephone, wifi y web 2.346,78		
Gas for vehicles 2.841,01		
Gas 866,06		
PROYECTO ACEITE 11.879,47		
Oil 10.770,41		
Transport 610,17		
Taxes 498,89		



BALANCE	€
1/1/2020	30.727,60
Total Expenses	-177.398,28
Total Incomes	171.934,60
31/12/2020	25.263,92

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The work our Association has done this year was possible above all thanks to the **constant work of a team of people**, both volunteers and paid employees who worked every day to carry out the different programs we have presented to you. Our special thanks to:

- · Roland Weinmann, Director of the Rehabilitation Center
- Francisco Arjona, president and coordinating manager of the Association
- · Nathalie Farelly, administrator and coordinator of the central office
- · Gloria Lara and Rene Abrego, psychologists
- · José Javier Rodríguez, therapist
- · Jesús Gómez Carrillo, therapist
- · Nora Inés Vivas, Dorcas program
- · Sabine Weinmann, practical assistant at the Rehabilitation Center
- · Guillermo Kampjes, head of the delegation in Castellón
- · Noemí Valero, head of the delegation in Manzanares
- · **Delyth Sutton**, training and coordination with other entities
- · Klaus Varnholdt, volunteer from Germany
- · Francisco Bujalance, coordinator of the program of social assistance in Cabra

### And many other people who have helped in some way!

- Council of Agriculture and Fishing of the Junta de Andalucía
- Council of Health and Families of the Junta de Andalucía
- Local governments of Pozoblanco and of Añora
- Social Welfare Organization of Cabra
- Evangelical Churches of Torredonjimeno and of Cabra
- Central Peninsula Church (USA)
- Framit for all (Norway)
- Deutsche Missionsgemeinschaft (Germany)
- European Christian Mission
- Those who have collaborated by adopting olive trees, buying our olive oil, and the Teaming program
- The many people who donated toward the purchase of the new van
- Food Bank of Córdoba
- Cooperativa Olivarera los Pedroches (Olive Processing Cooperative of the Pedroches)
- COVAP (Dairy and meat processing cooperative of the Pedroches)
- The bakeries Panaderías Olmo of Pozoblanco and El Chico of Añora

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