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“The weight of God’s glory continues to manifest through the generous and selfless giving of our supporters. Real lives of real people (the participants and their families) continue to be transformed for good, right before our eyes. The testimonies fill our hearts, and our eyes well up with tears of joy and thanksgiving as we look back at what the Lord has done. I wish to thank our supporters for their generosity and for their faithfulness in responding to God’s call to stretch out a helping hand.”

-SAMUEL WAMBUGU
NATIONAL DIRECTOR, COMPASSION KENYA

Directing Your Support Where the Need is Greatest

Thank you for the faith you place in Compassion – not only to care for children in Jesus’ name, but to steward your generosity with wisdom, prayer and purpose.

Because of your partnership, thousands of children are experiencing life-changing impact today in places and ways that wouldn’t have been possible otherwise. When you choose to give and let Compassion direct those funds to where they’re most needed, you become a vital part of some of the most important, strategic and Spirit-led responses across our global ministry – meeting extraordinarily critical needs of children, responding to unexpected ministry challenges and engaging with emerging opportunities to multiply our collective impact.

In just the last six months, your generosity has helped make it possible to:

- **Cover ongoing medical expenses** for children living with chronic conditions – including treatment, therapies, medications and travel to care facilities.
- **Provide proactive health interventions** that keep children healthy and resilient, from hygiene and nutrition to immunizations and screenings.
- **Invest in program expansion into new communities**, opening the door for more babies, mothers, children and youth to be known, loved and protected through the local church.
- **Ensure unsponsored children receive the same support and services as their sponsored peers** – including education, health care, nutrition and spiritual formation – so no child is ever left waiting for help.

This kind of strategic action is only possible because of donors like you – people who give with open hands and hearts, trusting that God will multiply their impact. Thank you for helping us say “yes” to the children who need it most and the opportunities to make the greatest difference possible.

Providing Refuge Amidst Chaos

At Compassion, our mission calls us to the frontlines of poverty – and often, that means stepping into environments of profound instability.

The neighborhoods where children are most vulnerable are often the same places rocked by natural disasters, unrest, armed conflict or violence. These are hard places, where families are often one crisis away from total collapse. And yet, this is exactly where the Church belongs.

Our local church partners live and minister in these communities. They know the terrain, the language, the culture and the needs. So when a crisis hits – whether it's a flood, an earthquake, displacement or gang violence – they are the first to respond.

And because of your generosity, they don't have to respond alone.

Thanks to your support, Compassion empowers these churches with the resources to adapt programs and meet the greatest needs of children and families in real time – even when the world around them is falling apart.

Depending on the circumstances, this might look like:

- Mobilizing emergency food, shelter and hygiene support.
- Rebuilding damaged homes.
- Relocating and re-establishing holistic programming in safer areas.
- Providing trauma counseling and spiritual care for families in crisis.
- Ensuring continuity of education, medical care and discipleship even in displacement.

In these moments of greatest need, your support doesn't just provide relief – it fuels resilience.

You are helping to ensure that ministry does not stop when a community is shaken. And you are showing families facing unimaginable hardship they are not alone and that local churches can continue to be a light in the darkest places, a source of comfort and care in Jesus' name.

Hope in Hardship: The Church Stands Firm in Haiti

In the heart of Haiti's ongoing crisis – where violence, hunger and fear are now part of daily life for many – Compassion's Frontline Church Partners have become a sanctuary of hope.

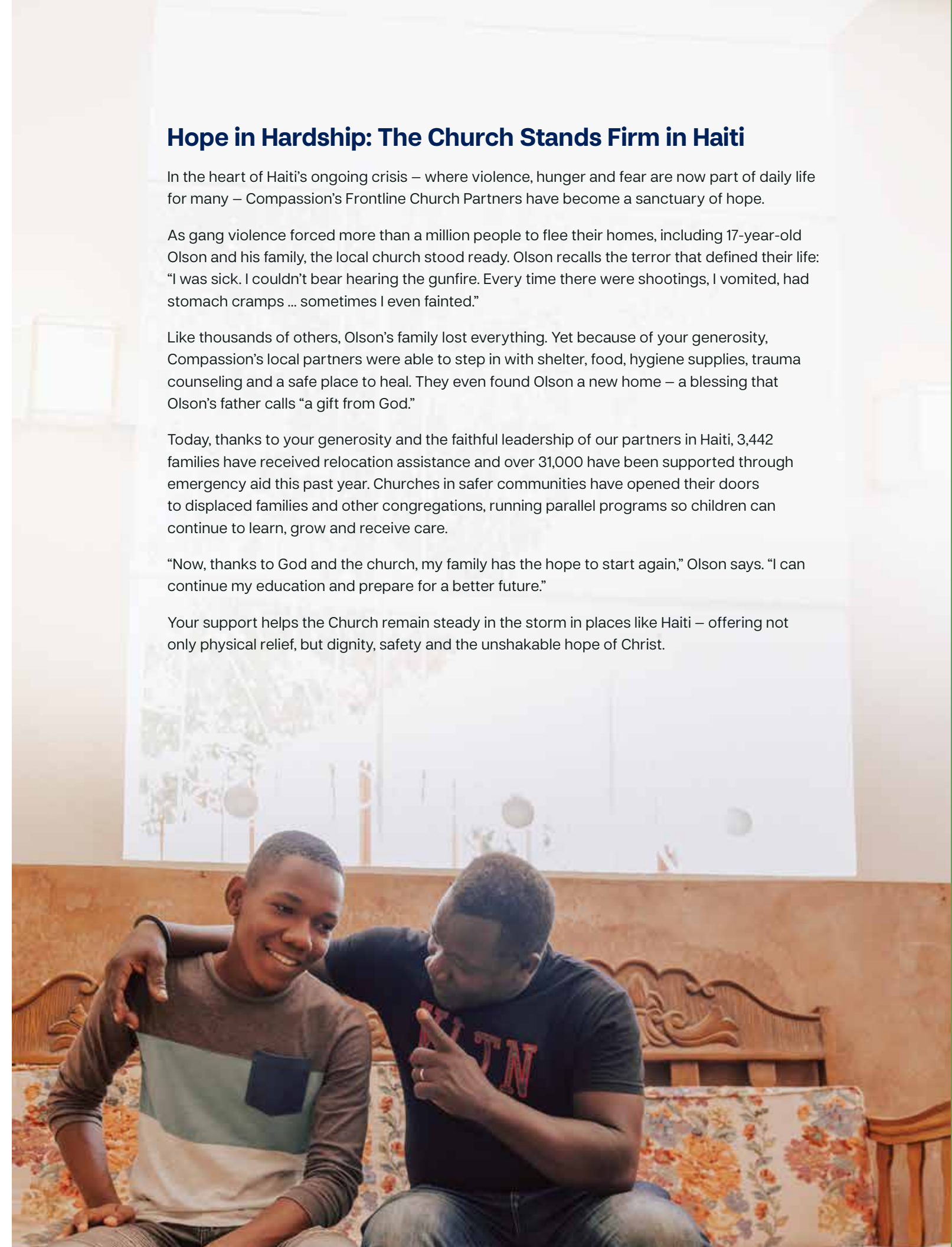
As gang violence forced more than a million people to flee their homes, including 17-year-old Olson and his family, the local church stood ready. Olson recalls the terror that defined their life: "I was sick. I couldn't bear hearing the gunfire. Every time there were shootings, I vomited, had stomach cramps ... sometimes I even fainted."

Like thousands of others, Olson's family lost everything. Yet because of your generosity, Compassion's local partners were able to step in with shelter, food, hygiene supplies, trauma counseling and a safe place to heal. They even found Olson a new home – a blessing that Olson's father calls "a gift from God."

Today, thanks to your generosity and the faithful leadership of our partners in Haiti, 3,442 families have received relocation assistance and over 31,000 have been supported through emergency aid this past year. Churches in safer communities have opened their doors to displaced families and other congregations, running parallel programs so children can continue to learn, grow and receive care.

"Now, thanks to God and the church, my family has the hope to start again," Olson says. "I can continue my education and prepare for a better future."

Your support helps the Church remain steady in the storm in places like Haiti – offering not only physical relief, but dignity, safety and the unshakable hope of Christ.



Proactively Identifying Threats to Health

Some of the greatest threats to a child's well-being are the ones no one sees – chronic illnesses that go undiagnosed, untreated or misunderstood. In Burkina Faso, one of these silent struggles is Sickle Cell Disease, a painful genetic disorder that affects thousands of children and their families, often without access to proper care.

But thanks to your generosity, Compassion is helping local churches shine a light on this invisible battle – and respond with compassion, knowledge and action.

With support through the Beyond Measure campaign, Compassion launched a new Sickle Cell Disease intervention pilot at 15 local church partners in Burkina Faso. This emerging initiative is empowering staff and caregivers to:

- **Recognize the signs of Sickle Cell Disease** and understand how to care for children living with it.
- **Facilitate screenings and diagnoses** to catch cases early and avoid dangerous complications.
- **Support children and families with holistic care**, including medications, nutrition assistance, and emotional and spiritual encouragement.

For children living with Sickle Cell, this work can mean the difference between chronic pain and a life filled with possibility. And for their families, it means they no longer walk alone.

In this way, your faithful giving doesn't just help us respond to urgent crises – it allows us to act early, prepare well and build systems of care that carry children through the long journey of healing.

Thank you for making proactive ministry possible. Because of you, Compassion can recognize the needs that others miss – and respond with love.

Preventing Future Perils in Burkina Faso

In northern Burkina Faso, where poverty and instability make children especially vulnerable to disease, meningitis has long cast a shadow over childhood. It's a fast-moving illness that can take a life in hours or leave behind irreversible damage. But thanks to your generosity, we are getting ahead of the danger and neutralizing this threat before it ever takes root.

With support from Compassion donors like you, local church partners in the Ouahigouya cluster launched a life-saving meningitis vaccination campaign – reaching 3,466 children with vital protection and strengthening community trust along the way.

"This intervention has strengthened the trust between the church and the community," shares Pastor Aude. "Families see that the church cares for their physical well-being as much as their spiritual growth. It has also united community members – local leaders, parents and youth – around the shared purpose of protecting life and health. The church's credibility as a place of care and compassion has grown."

This wasn't just about disease prevention. It was the love of Christ in action – local churches stepping into a space of fear with knowledge, compassion and healing.

Your giving didn't just secure vaccines. It also built trust, equipped leaders and mobilized communities. It allowed Compassion and the Church to act **before** tragedy could strike. And it left families not only healthier, but more connected to the body of Christ.

Because you said "yes" to this work, thousands of children are now growing up protected – free to play, learn and dream with their futures intact.





Thank You for Accelerating Action

“What we are accomplishing together is both timely and enduring. It is a profound honor to join hands with you in seeing children released from poverty and empowered to flourish. This transformation has happened, is happening now, and will continue into the future because of your faithful partnership. The future holds even greater promise, and I’m filled with hope and excitement for what lies ahead. Thank you for being part of this life-changing ministry through Compassion. Your impact is real, lasting and deeply appreciated. Blessings!”

-TSEHAYWOTA TADDESSE
NATIONAL DIRECTOR OF COMPASSION ETHIOPIA


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