

Santa Verena Charity

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What is Santa Verena Charity?

- A non profit organization tax exempt under IRC 501 (C) (3)
- Our mission is to fight poverty all over the world.
- Provides a means for you to help our brothers & Sisters who are in need via various programs
- Provide humanitarian assistance to the poor, sick, handicapped, needy, oppressed, marginalized, or under developed communities

'Come, you blessed of My Father,
inherit the kingdom prepared for you
from the foundation of the world: ³⁵
for *I was hungry and you gave Me
food; I was thirsty and you gave Me
drink; I was a stranger and you took
Me in; ³⁶ I was naked and you clothed
Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I
was in prison and you came to Me.'*
(Matthew 25:34-36)

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Entertaining Angels

- Provides new comers with initial assistance to ease their integration into the new society.
- Services include help with DMV, Housing, information about the medical system, assistance in how to find employment, getting Children into schools...etc.
- Team developing a comprehensive guide

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Coptic Integrated Family Services

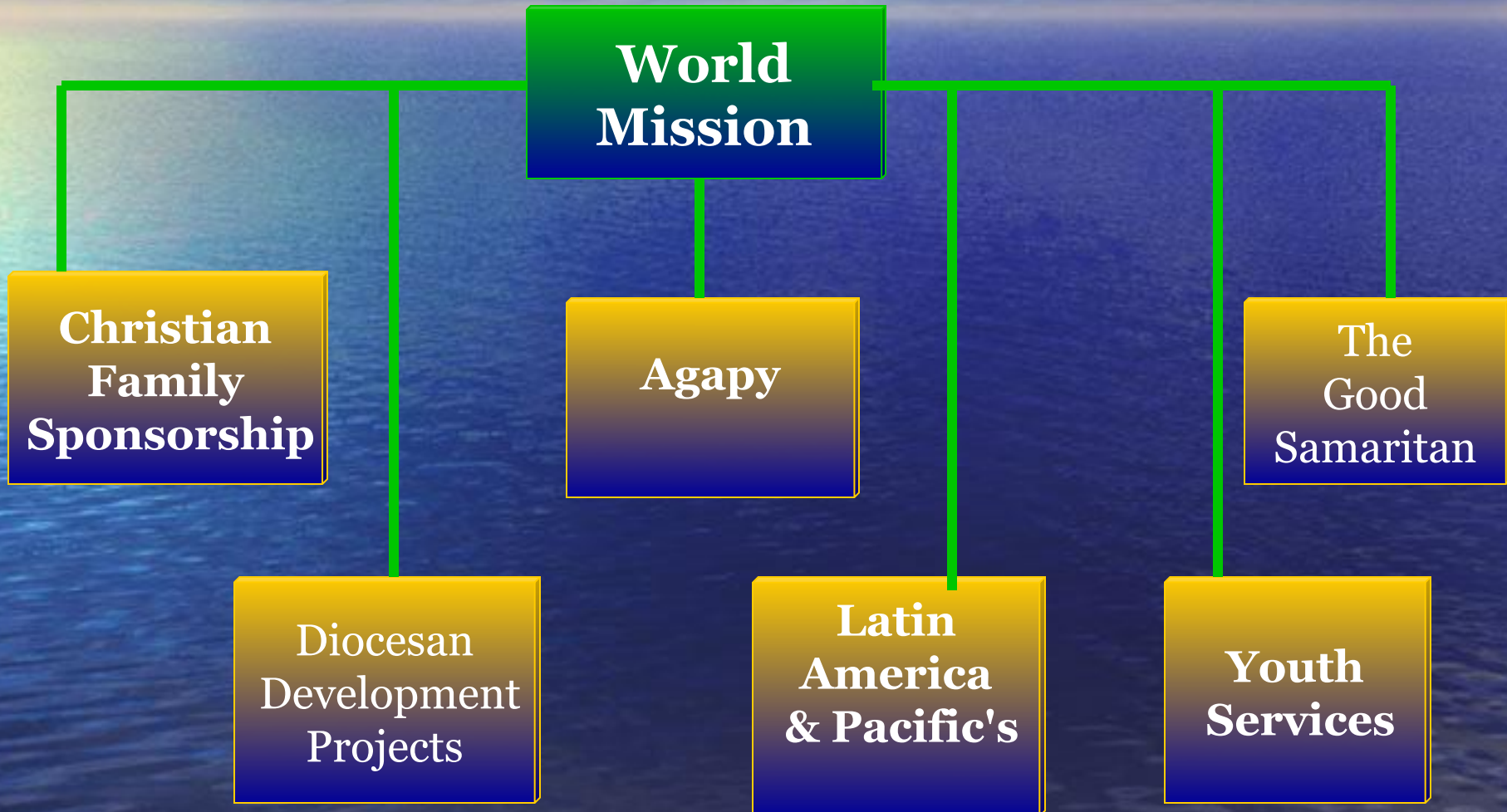
- Mental Health Counseling Services
- Psychiatric Medication Evaluation
- Psychiatric Medication Monitoring
- Addiction and Recovery Services
- Case Management Service
- * Community Resource Referrals

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Community Services:

- Offering help to members of the community who need assistance with learning the language, Vocational Training, and the likes
- Serving homeless women in shelters
- Feeding the Homeless
- Preparing Thanks giving dinner to abused youth
- School Back bags project in coordination with FOCUS
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Christian Family Sponsorship (CFS):

This program provides regular financial assistance to families in need, living in Egypt. Alleviating some of these families daily struggles to meet the most basic needs to live.

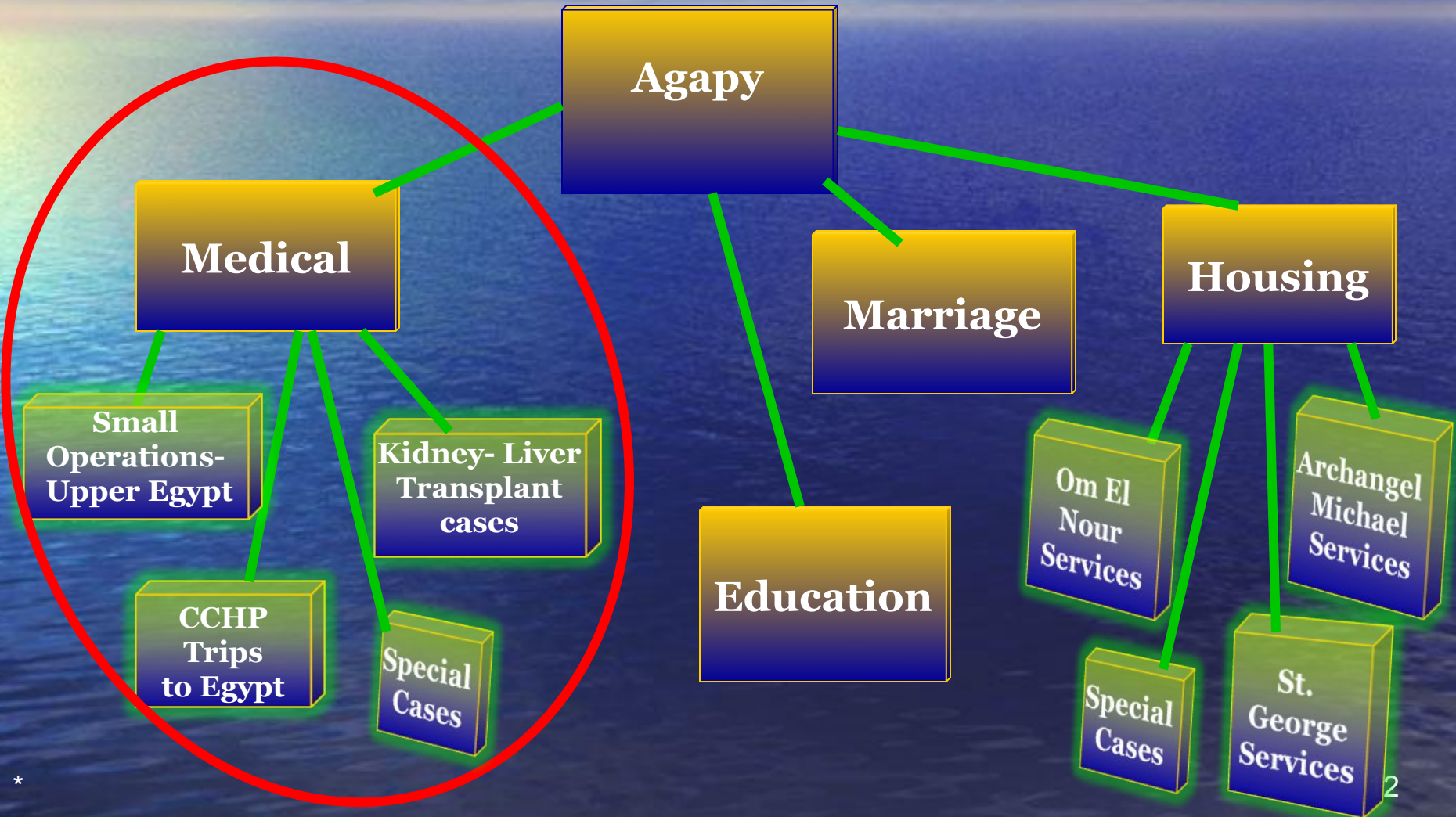
Sponsored by people here in the states, who commit to regular monthly payments to sponsor these families.

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Agapy:

- This program assists individuals in crisis situations
- Cases of illness, marriage, medical treatments, finding living quarters etc.
- Several cases of Kidney Transplants & other major surgeries in coordination with CCHP
- Coordinates with the CFS on housing, marriage & education needs of families

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The Good Samaritan:

- This project provides the funds for families as well as individuals who want to start a business to earn their living via steady income
- Projects are studied with the borrower to maximize success
- Funds are provided as interest free loans
- Returned and circulated throughout the system to others who are in need.

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Diocesan Development Projects

- Supports the dioceses in Egypt and Sudan to develop projects to solve the causes of poverty and need.
- Amongst these projects are:
 - technical training centers,
 - medical clinics, Orphanages, Disabled centers,..
 - providing clean water to the villages,
 - establishing day care centers, etc.

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Services in Latin America & the Pacific's

- In Mexico
 - Youth projects to create housing
- In the Pacific Islands
 - Partnering with Dioceses of Brazil & Bolivia, Paraguay
 - Create income producing projects e.g. Carpentry
 - Clean water filters
 - Fighting malaria epidemic in Paraguay

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Youth Services

- In Egypt &
- In Mexico
 - Youth projects to create housing
- In the Pacific Islands
 - Partnering with Dioceses of Brazil & Bolivia
 - Create income producing projects e.g. Carpentry
 - Youth service in Bolivia “Drops of Hope”
 - And in Uruguay- fight these mosquitoes

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Help needed:

- Communication:
 - Reaching out to our own congregations
 - Reaching out to the local communities
 - Reaching out to the greater community
- Website enhancements and updates
- Writing articles
- Organizing fund raisings (local , diocese, national)
- Application for Grants
- New project ideas to respond to certain needs

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