

2022-2023 Impact Report



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What is **YWAM Tuen Mun?**

YWAM Tuen Mun is a vibrant charity organization in Hong Kong made up of full-time volunteers from around the world. We are dedicated to proclaiming hope and providing comfort to all by mobilizing all generations to display God's beauty through the arts, empowering the marginalized, and reaching the All.

Care

We **care** for the individual, as each person is made in the image of God and deeply valued.

Share

We **share** the resources that we have been given to be a blessing to others and meet others' needs.

Serve

We **serve** individuals, families, organizations and communities to support and champion.



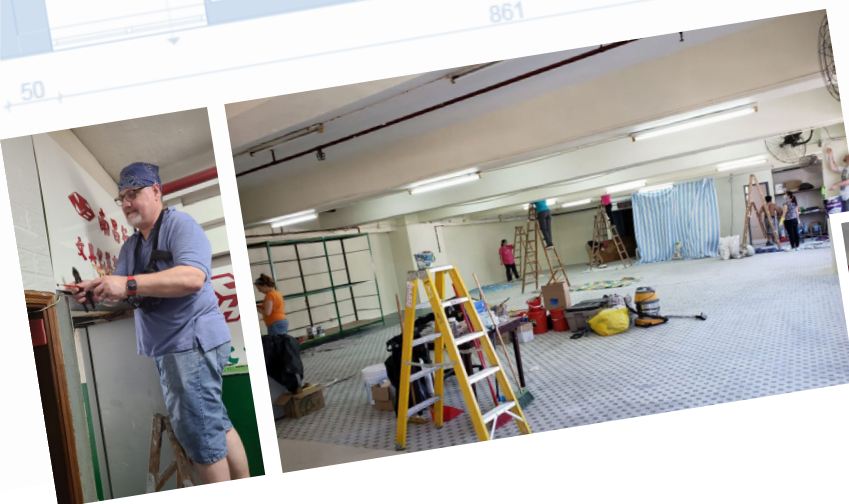
From the Covid-19 Era to Greater Impact!

During Covid-19, YWAM Tuen Mun was a platform for growth as we expanded in all areas of ministries! We were challenged to creatively assess our ministry areas and find new and innovative ways to continue during the pandemic. Our Food Assistance Programs expanded and we founded new creative online camps that served hundreds of children who were not able to attend school in person during the height of the pandemic. This opened the door for new forms of impacting and training during those unpredictable years! We hope you are encouraged as you see what God has done!

Extending Our Tent And Our Territory

As we entered greater abundance and growth, we experienced an exciting time of releasing our old premises and embracing our new work spaces, including the expansion of our food bank warehouse and a new program and office space. As people were moved to donate for this relocation, we saw the generosity of many people, including professionals who offered their pro bono expertise!

Our new food bank and program spaces have made the way for **1,187 volunteers** serving **6,385 hours**, **47 groups** and **48 donors** to participate in helping Hong Kong! We are so thankful to everyone who gave of their time and financial resources to support our renovations!



48 donors gave **47** groups hosted



Food Bank *Sharing an Abundance*

Since moving into our new food bank warehouse, donations have boomed and we are now receiving approximately **10,000 kilograms of food** each month, with multiple reliable donors providing food regularly for our food programs! With the addition of shelving and more floor space for pallets, we were able to continue receiving a greater quantity, from non-perishables to frozen to fresh food, to abundantly bless our recipients and help assist the new food assistance programs that have multiplied across the city!

14,400+ people fed per month



SHINE HONG KONG

Reaching the Cardboard Collectors

Shine Hong Kong was conceived out of a heart of caring for the cardboard collectors of Hong Kong. We wanted to be sensitive to their needs and show kindness towards this largely unreachable demographic in Hong Kong. The Shine Hong Kong initiative has thrived in partnership with schools, NGOs, churches, and companies! We have partnered with a generous donor which has enabled our partnerships with distributors to grow exceedingly!

2,911 *Shine Kits distributed*

18 *Districts reached*

711 *Individuals mobilized*

25 *Organizations involved*



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I found it a very meaningful experience. So many times walking around the streets of Hong Kong, I don't pay much attention to people like cardboard collectors. It was very different to be out there actively looking for them and seeking to bless them. It made me want to keep my eyes open for them more in future and give a friendly greeting instead of walking past. **Talking to them and seeking for them brought home to me that they are people with hopes, dreams, families and struggles, just like me, and not just anonymous faces.**

- Shine Hong Kong Volunteer

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Helping Hands

Food Assistance Programs



During Covid-19 we saw an increase of people in need of food and necessities. We expanded into a new public housing estate in the north of Tuen Mun to address the new needs and as we continued to partner with our charity network, our “Food Assistance Program” model began to multiply into **13 various locations across 6 districts**. As churches and charities partnered with us, they also wanted to reach out to their own communities in similar ways, so we helped train, advise and provide food items for their programs!



Multiplied **13** Food Assistance Programs into **6** Districts



The Powerful Hands That Empower Our Work

As our community service and Food Bank expanded, volunteers became an integral part of the work. We recognized that we needed help with the growing workload to handle all the ins and outs of the food bank, so we began to partner with HandsOn, an online volunteering recruitment platform, and soon saw an inflow of volunteers coming each week to assist in our sorting, packing, loading and logistics! They come from all walks of life and have come as individuals or as families and groups. We are also very thankful for our dedicated Mission Builders and Interns that came and supported us!



1,187 Volunteers involved

6,385 Hours volunteered



From now on, I will treat everyone with respect. This has taught me to help without being asked. I now know what the needy live like.

The Poverty Simulation Experience is designed to draw awareness of the issues of poverty and instill compassion and care for the vulnerable by giving participants a taste of what the marginalized experience daily. As people participate in the simulation, we often observe the participants becoming more aware of the struggles the underprivileged face and many walk away with a newfound empathy and desire to show care. A top girls' school in Hong Kong has enrolled an entire level's cohort through the Poverty Simulation Experience each year!

23

*Simulations
run*

434

Participants

Poverty Simulation Experience

Educating Youth and Children

Families Care Share Serve

Children and Families Program

After Covid-19, we saw that the value of caring for others was important for families to impart to their children and developed a new program to help young children understand poverty and give families the opportunity to bless those in need together. Through this, we have seen children gain confidence during distributions to the cardboard collectors and street sleepers. Parents have shared about the positive impact this program has had on their children as they worked toward an attitude to serve!



Corporate Social Responsibility

We have had the privilege of hosting groups from financial institutions, consultancies and investment firms who have come to complete their Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) with us! They have helped in our food bank and gone out to the streets to bless the cardboard collectors and street sleepers. On occasions, they braved bad weather conditions to distribute, resulting in a more compassionate view of the working conditions of the lower income workers. They impressed us with their willingness to go the extra mile! We are grateful to our corporate partners who have invested time and energy to serve!



8

CSR
events



A Hot Meal

For the Cardboard Collectors



Through the generosity of a donor, we received hot bento boxes that we were able to share with our charity partners and distribute to the cardboard collectors in Tuen Mun. Many of the cardboard collectors were so excited that they would open the bento box right when they received it. One of the cardboard collectors told us he was so happy that the bento box had two big, delicious pieces of pork! What a blessing it is to provide a hot meal and bring joy to the heart!

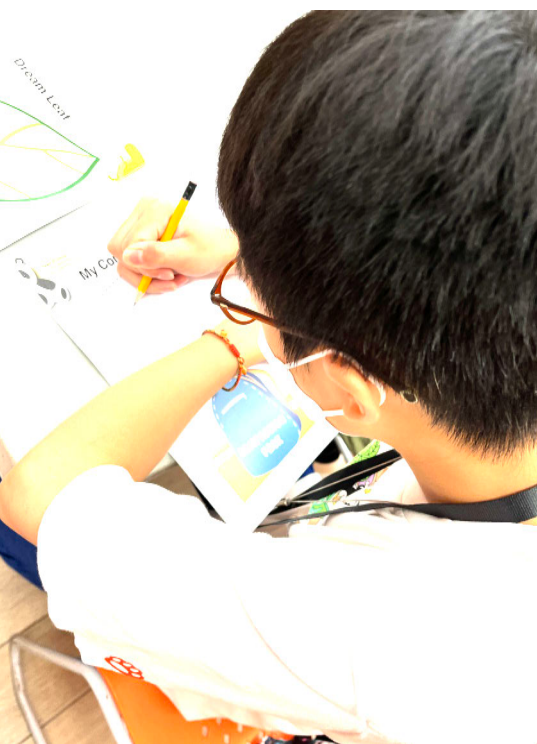
3,060 Meals distributed



Impacting the Yo

1,188 Children trained

13 Camps



D.R.E.A.M. Camp

Cross Generations Serving!

We have been running the D.R.E.A.M. Camp in partnership with Noah's Ark, the Rainbow Foundation and the Diocesan Girls' School for over a decade now. In 2023, our team developed a new curriculum around the theme of toys, which was a great hit with the students! The students from the Diocesan Girls' School are always excited to join to work with the younger generation. We see the value of the arts in the development of the new generation in creating a channel for them to discover that learning can be not only fun, but life changing!

Camp F.I.R.E.

Cultivating Good Character

In 2022, as many children had no access to school, Camp F.I.R.E. moved online! We embarked on weekly Zoom sessions and a YouTube channel. New and regular participants joined us at these weekly sessions. The creative teachings encouraged children from Hong Kong, Australia, India, the Philippines, South Korea and Thailand and the children grew in confidence as they interacted together online. Our Camp F.I.R.E. YouTube channel also carried dance and teaching videos for children to return to during the week.

During the Christmas season, we ran onsite Camp F.I.R.E. sessions with themes like “The Christmas Story” and “The Journey of Christmas.” These enriched children’s understanding of the rich depth of meaning in the Christmas season as they experienced the wonder and joy of Christmas. Camp F.I.R.E. Christmas brought together children from **10 churches** and **25 schools**.

The Camp F.I.R.E. team also ran children’s camp sessions at various church retreats, invigorating faith and growing an understanding of the Bible.



Young Generation

run **23** Online Camp F.I.R.E. sessions



Thank You!

"At times our own light goes out and is rekindled by a spark from another person. Each of us cause to think with deep gratitude of those who have lighted the flame within us."

- Albert Schweitzer

We are truly humbled and grateful for each of our partners. Your faithful partnership has been a 'spark' to us in various ways. Thank you very much for blessing us and our ministry generously with your time, finances and resources. We truly appreciate you for believing and sharing our vision to spread love, care and kindness to Hong Kong.

In 2022-2023 with your help, we have been able to:

FEED 292,800 people
COLLECT 232 tons of food
ENGAGE 1,187 volunteers
TRAIN 1,188 children
DISTRIBUTE 2,911 Shine kits

Alaya by Benevity
Ambassador Assembly Church
Ambassador International Church
ANA Design
AOG Tai Po Church
Assemblies of God Wai Wai Church
Assembly of God Yuen Long Gospel Centre
A&W Catering
Baker & Bloom Education Centre
Bank of East Asia
Beauti-Creation International Ltd
Benevity
Branches of Hope
Central Calgary Evangelical Free Church, Canada
ChariGreen
Chinese YMCA Secondary School
Chiu Fat Trading Company
Christ Baptist Church Hong Kong
Christian Alliance International Church
Christian Alliance International School
Christian Canaan Church Hong Kong - Fanling
Chudleigh Parish Church, UK
Church of the Highlands, USA
Church of Our Saviour, Singapore
Conservative Baptist Yan Mun Church
Cornwall Elderly's Home
Crossroads Foundation
Culture Power
CWM / Nethersole Fund
Diocesan Girls' Junior School
Diocesan Girls' School
Digital Bible Society
EFCC-International Church
E.F.C.C. Shan Fook Church
ELCHK Tuen Mun Lutheran Church
Emmanuel English Church
English Schools Foundation
Extrans Foundation
Faith In Grace Christian Association (Jesus' Friend Church)
Father Financial
Feeding Hong Kong
FOOD-CO
Food For Good
Food Grace
Foodlink

FOODSPORT
Foot Locker
Fusionex, Malaysia
Gift n Take
Give.Asia
Giving Bread
Go! Radical Hospitality
Gold Moon Property Management Company
Good Ideas Mission
GOODS-CO
Gospel for the Aged
Grace Baptist Church
Grassroots Future
HandsOn Hong Kong
Helmex Limited
HKEC Tai Hing Neighbourhood Elderly Centre
HKECA Wu Si Chong Memorial School
Home and Youth Affairs Bureau
Home Care for Girls
Home Express
Hong Kong Bible Society
Hong Kong Christian Service Pui Oi School
Hong Kong Church Network for the Poor
Hong Kong Council of Social Service
Hong Kong Gold Coast Hotel
Hong Kong International School
Hong Kong Lutheran Social Service
Hong Kong Society of the Protection of Children
Hope of the City
ImpactHK
Impex Quality Products
Innofoods
Intermediate Capital Group Asia
International Christian School
J.P. Morgan
Jardine Group
JEMS Character Academy
Joint Dynamics
Justice Center Hong Kong
Kallimount Capital (HK)
Kei Tak (Nam Dai) Home for Aged
Kerry Properties
KIDS Ministry International, Philippines
Lingnan University
L'Occitane en Provence
Love & Care for the Sick Foundation

Made to Move Studio, Malaysia
Marcolin Asia
Market Place by Jasons Gold Coast
Mission for Migrant Workers
Morgan Stanley
Mother's Choice
New Life Psychiatric Rehabilitation Association
New Territories West Elderly Academies
Noah's Ark Hong Kong
NVIDIA
Omega Ministries
Oriental Proclaiming Light Christian Church
Our Daily Bread
Pang, Hon & Partners
PAOC Ka Chi Secondary School
Paya Lebar Methodist Church, Singapore
Pentecostal Church of Hong Kong Sheltered Workshop
People Service Centre
Peter Life Counseling Center
Po Leung Kuk Choi Kai Yau School
Rainbow Foundation
Redress
Refugee Union
Remar Association Hong Kong
Rotaract Club of Victoria
RUN Hong Kong
Sam Shing Lutheran Church
ScentAir
Seoul Salt & Light Church, South Korea
Sha Tin Junior School
Shan King Church Network
Shatin Church
Shine Boulevard
Shinsegae Mart
Sino Group
Soap Cycling
Solomon's Porch
South China Morning Post
St. James' Settlement
St. John's-St. Margaret's Church, Singapore

Street Sleepers' Shelter Society Trustee Incorporated
Sun Hung Kai Properties
Sungsan Church, South Korea
Swire Properties
Tae Kwon Do Man
Tai Po International Baptist Church
TamJai SamGor
The Amber Foundation
The Church of Christ in China, Tin King Church
The Church of Christ in China Quarry Bay Church
The Church on the Rock - Hing Tin Church

The Good Cake
The Hong Kong Council of Social Service
The Salvation Army Tuen Mun Integrated Service for Young People
The Urban Peacemaker Evangelistic Fellowship
Time Auction
Tin Shui Wai Community Development Network
To Dream (Autism Alliance of Patient Mutual Help Organizations)
TPK Kwok Charitable Fund
True Light Baptist Church
Tuen Mun District Christian Churches Union
Tuen Mun District Women's Association

Wallstone Partners
Wavestone
Wheaton Chinese Alliance Church, USA
World Without Orphans
Wholesome Joy Foods
Yan Chai Hospital Tsin Man Kuen Elderly Home
Yan Oi Tong
Yau On Lutheran Centre for the Elderly
YMCA of Hong Kong Christian College
Yuen Kei Alliance Church
YWAM Gateway
YWAM Shanti
Zeppelin Hot Dogs

Make a Lasting Impact



We welcome you to support:

✓ OUR FULL-TIME VOLUNTEERS

All of our staff do not receive a salary and must raise their own finances to cover their living expenses. Your support will enable them to continue their work in Hong Kong!

✓ OUR VITAL OPERATIONS

We are only able to run our programs because of the generosity of people, churches and organizations. Your support will help us keep our services to the community free of charge and allow us to continue working among the marginalized, youth, and needy in Hong Kong!

✓ THOSE FROM DEVELOPING NATIONS

We have people who are interested in getting trained or joining our ministry who are from developing nations, but cannot come because of the high living costs. Your support will enable them to come!

HOW TO DONATE:

For Hong Kong Donations:

You can transfer to HSBC account: 747-041887-838.
Please notify us by emailing info@ywamtuenmun.org

For US or Other Country Donations:

Visit our website to donate online or email us for more instructions if you would like to receive a tax-deductible receipt.

CHANGE LIVES Through Your Support

YWAM Tuen Mun (Master's Beauty (HK) LTD.) is a registered charity under Section 88 of the Inland Revenue Ordinance. All monetary donations over \$100HKD will be issued a tax-deductible receipt.





CARE

If you'd like to make a positive impact in Hong Kong, we'd love for you to consider teaming up with us, whether you're a charity, church, school, corporation, or any other organization! Together, we can create a lasting impact and bring care to those who need it most.

SHARE

We're always grateful to receive food, goods, and financial support! Your generosity helps us bring blessings to the Hong Kong community. Let's give back!

SERVE

If you love helping others and making a difference in your community, we'd love to have you as a volunteer or part of our programs! It doesn't matter if you're on your own or with a group - we have the perfect spot for you to lend a hand.



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