In Haiti, poor families must often choose between educating their children or feeding them as the cost of tuition, uniforms and school supplies makes it impossible for the poorest children to stay in school. The Kobonal Haiti Mission is committed to ensuring that no family has to make this devastating choice. Your generous support through Cross Catholic Outreach will equip the Mission to bless at-risk boys and girls with a quality education, daily nutritious meals and the message that every child is precious in God’s eyes.

Unleash Hope for Haiti’s Children!

CrossCatholic.org/global-change-education
FIGHT ILLITERACY.
Build a Bright Future.

Thanks to the compassionate intervention of Cross Catholic Outreach donors like you, Father Glenn Meaux’s Kobonal Haiti Mission has been a beacon of light to some of the most destitute families in the poorest country in the Western Hemisphere. He has transformed many lives there — but there are still great needs to be met.

One of those needs is education.

Today, you can help fight illiteracy and reverse the cycle of poverty by joining us in equipping Haiti’s children with the education their parents did not have. We want to make sure the Mission’s primary school is able to keep its doors open to the more than 1,200 students who depend on it — students who are working hard to achieve a brighter future.

Haiti’s Education Gap

- About **4 in 10** Haitians ages 15 and older are illiterate.
- The average Haitian, age 25 and older, has had **less than five years** of schooling.
- **1 in 10** primary-school-aged children are not enrolled in school.
- An extreme shortage of public schools exacerbates the problem — leaving it to churches to fill the gaps.
- For **$925** you can send **5 children** to the Kobonal Haiti Mission school for a year.

Give Hope to Students Like Roseneetha!

Roseneetha Jean is grateful to be a student at the Mission school. She said, “Many children in other schools don’t get the chance we have here.” Although her favorite subject is geometry, her dream is to become a nurse. “If I’m a nurse,” she said, “I can help my parents and neighbors when they get sick.”

Help Roseneetha achieve her dream!

Sources: CIA World FactBook and World Bank
The Kobonal Haiti Mission wants to stand in the gap for the children of the poor, and its Catholic staff is eager to play a role in shaping their future. **Your gift will empower them to give the children a quality Catholic education while also tackling another critical issue — hunger.** Daily nutritious lunches incentivize attendance, reduce the financial burden of sheer survival, and ensure the students have the energy they need to excel in their studies.

What this ultimately means is that when you support this project, you’re giving Haitian children the freedom to grow, to dream and to aspire. When they learn about doctors, engineers or even political leaders, they are able to have the thought, “I can be that someday.”

The Kobonal Haiti Mission is eager to come alongside children in their journey from poverty and despair to prosperity and hope — but it cannot succeed without you. Your gift today is critical!

**Show Christ’s love to Haiti’s most vulnerable children by giving the gift of nutritious meals and a Catholic education. Your generosity can change a life!**
Our Mission
We mobilize the global Catholic Church to transform the poor and their communities materially and spiritually for the glory of Jesus Christ.

How We Serve
Rather than create new institutions to distribute aid, we support existing ministries and churches already serving the poor. In addition to being the most cost-effective way of helping the poor, empowering these ministries allows us to support the Church’s spiritual mission and its important position of leadership in poor communities.

Good Stewardship
We consider every gift we receive as a precious resource from God. We direct every donation to its intended project, provide honest and accurate reports to our donors, and keep overhead costs to an industry low. We handle funds with utmost integrity and hold our ministry partners in the field to the same high standards by asking them to document costs and the impact of their outreach. These detailed accountability measures have earned us ongoing accreditation by the following organizations:

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Our Promise to You!
Donations from this campaign will be used to cover any expenditures for this project incurred through June 30, 2021, the close of our ministry’s fiscal year. In the event that more funds are raised than needed to fully fund the project, the excess funds, if any, will be used to meet the most urgent needs of the ministry.