



Annual Report

FYE March 31-2025

The Blind Vietnamese Children Foundation is a non-profit organization that supports health, education, and career development programs that enhance the quality of life of visually-impaired children residing in Vietnam.

This year, the Vietnamese Blind Children Foundation (BVCF) celebrates its 25th anniversary. We give thanks to the Holy Spirit for inspiring me to establish the foundation, and we honor the inspiration of Sister Nguyen Thi Nhuong and Mrs. Antoinette Crawford.

Since its founding in 2000, BVCF has supported 1,011 blind children and youth in Vietnam—689 of whom are currently being served, while 322 have successfully graduated from our programs.

To mark this milestone, I visited Vietnam from February 6 to 22, 2025, along with several members and associates of BVCF. During this journey, we visited 11 centers and homes for the blind across the country, from north to south. We also met with children with multiple disabilities including visual impairment (MDVI) in eight provinces. Although there are programs in five additional provinces, time constraints did not allow us to visit them all.

Our trip began at Noi Bai Airport in Hanoi. From there, we traveled to Hai Duong and Bac Giang to meet children with MDVI. We then visited the Bac Ninh Center for the Blind, where we met blind children and also met MDVI children, awarded scholarships to blind university students, and celebrated Mass.

We continued our journey to Phu Tho and Vinh Phuc provinces to visit more children with MDVI. From the North, we moved to Central Vietnam, visiting MDVI programs in Binh Dinh, Phu Yen, and Binh Thuan provinces. In the Mekong Delta, we visited the Vi Thuy Home for the Blind in Hau Giang province, and MDVI children in Long An province.

In Saigon, we visited several homes: Nhat Hong Home for the Blind in Thi Nghe, Bung Sang Home in District 1, Thien An Home in Tan Phu District, and the Nhat Hong Traditional Medical Clinic. At these centers, we also distributed scholarships and met with alumni who are now working. The long day ended with a visit and Mass at Nhat Hong Center for the Blind in Thu Duc.

Next, we visited Long Thanh Home for the Blind, then traveled to the highlands to visit Suoi Mo Home in Bao Loc and Da Lat Home for the Blind in Lam Dong province, where we also celebrated Mass. The trip concluded with a visit to Xuan Hong Home for the Blind in Dinh Quan and a Thanksgiving Mass at the Pilgrimage Center of Our Lady in Nui Cui.

Following these visits to homes for the children, here in the United States BVCF will host its first Jubilee celebration on June 8 in San Jose, followed by the second one on July 19 in San Francisco. We are also delighted to share the joyful news that Bishop Michael Cuong Pham, an advisor to the foundation, has just been appointed by the Holy Father as the Bishop of the Diocese of San Diego.

We invite you to join us in giving thanks to God for His love and providence. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all our donors, Board of Directors, Advisory Board members, associates, and volunteers for your love, generosity, and dedication to BVCF's mission over the past 25 years. Please continue to walk with us in our service to blind children in Vietnam.

May God abundantly bless you and your families.

Sincerely,



Rev. Thuan V Hoang
President

Financial Report

April 1, 2024 - March 31, 2025

Revenue			Total
Contributions	General Donation	698,502	
	Combined Fed Campaign	34,922	
Other	Interest Income	5,888	
	Brokerage - Interest & Div	20,080	
TOTAL:			\$759,392
Expenditures			
Operations	Bank Charges	430	
	Audit Fee	7,873	
	Dues & Subscriptions	0	
	Fundraising Exp	12,250	
	Legal & Professional Fee	962	
	Office Exp	0	
	Postage	340	
	Taxes & Licences	3,201	
	Web Page Services	0	
Total:			\$25,056
Program	Grants	701,442	701,442
TOTAL:			\$726,498
Available Funds 2024/2025		Carry-over 2025/2026	\$32,894

Total Operational Costs: 3.5%



Grants Awarded

April 1, 2024- March 31, 2025

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No.	Beneficiaries	Amount
1	Bung Sang Home for the Blind	35,000
2	Da-lat Home for the Blind	20,000
5	Suoi Mo Home for the Blind	42,630
6	Long Thanh Home for the Blind	25,000
7	Tam Hai Center for the Blind	122,892
8	Thi Nghe Home for the Blind	83,392
9	Thien An Home for the Blind	20,000
10	Thien Hoa Center for the Blind	49,420
11	Vi Thuy Home for the Blind	34,860
12	Xuan Hong Home for the Blind	62,200
13	Huynh De Nhu Nghia Home for the Blind	6,048
14	Project Suoi Mo Career Center	200,000

Total: \$701,442

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