

# MADAGASCAR

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## LEADERSHIP TRAININGS:

- 9 Board Members help meetings every two months, thus a total of 6 meetings
- 50 bible study group sessions have been held at the center with 2- people
- a workshop updating GSMM strategic planning has been conducted
  - total number of participants: 20

## COUNSELING SERVICES

- through the GSMM Executive, involved counseling sessions have been conducted among youth at church. Two young members of Joyful Life have benefited from regular counseling sessions
  - Number of Counselors: 1
  - Number of Clients: 2

## COUNSELOR TRAINING SERVICES:

- GSMM has not conducted any counselor training
  - only one member, the GSMM executive has graduated Level 3 in Uganda, and the country director in Level 1
  - Number of Graduates: 20

## OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED WITHIN THE COUNTRY

- **Widows:**
  - preach the gospel to orphans, give food, soup, and clothes to the homeless and widows at church, offer health services
- **Orphans:**
  - preach the gospel to orphans, give food, clothes, and toys to 42 orphans and 12 abused children and their supervisors
- **Children's Education:**
  - conducted recycling education
  - environment preservation
- **Microcredit Projects:**
  - in partnership with SGI Mada, give loans to Christian entrepreneurs and students
- **Other:**
  - help support infrastructure of abused children center
  - give medicines



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## CURRENT ACTIVE CENTERS

- GSMM
  - Director: Malanto Rabary

## 2023 SATELLITE UPDATES

- During 2023, GSMM reinforce its partnership with Orphanages - Topaza & Akany Avoko
- homeless ministry at church - Alarobia Maraina every Wednesday Morning Group
- Abused Children Ministry - Saffifa
- Christian School - David Griffiths
- health care centers - Rasalama, TPRam, Centre Andrindra & Rova
- GSMM new counseling center for men from jail and oppressed by demons is underway - field and house given by GSMM member

## 2023 BOARD MEMBERS / GSM STAFF MEMBERS

- Rabary Malanto
  - Position: Board Chairman
- Rakotoarivo Lucien
  - Position: Vice Chair Finance
- Andriamananony Liliane
  - Positions: Vice Chair Operation
- Andrianaly Noro
  - Position: Secretary
- Rambinitsaotra Emma
  - Position: Communication
- Rambinitsaotra Jaona
  - Position: Treasurer
- Andriamananony Nari
  - Position: Advisor
- Randrianarivo Lanto
  - Position: Laywer

## 2023 PARTNERSHIPS / FUNDRAISING PROJECTS OR EVENTS

- SGI Madagascar on micro credit loans, with Orphahnages (Topaza and Akany Avoko) with abused children ministry (safifaa) with homeless ministry (Alarobia Maraina)
- We plan to organize a fund raising event in 2024

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## OUTSIDE REGION GUESTS AND FOCUS OF VISIT

- June 22, 2023 - July 2, 2023, GSMM hosted GSM International HQ Team (Teresa, Cindy, Laura, Lorna) GSM Canada/Pakistan (David), and GSM Tanzania (Ngunga an Mercy)

## UPCOMING PLANS FOR 2024

- organize and conduct fundraising events without (at the local level) and with (at the international level) our satellite
- continue educational sessions at Christian School
- praying sessions about the counseling center land and house in Ambohimangakely

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- Please pray for provision, pray for wisdom and availability for board members. Most of board members are very engaged people
- Pray for a new executive team team to replace Rova
- Pray for all the Board and the ministries we support
- please pray for two children:
  - Tsiaro and Rova as they are now Malasia to continue their Master studies so that they can fulfill with success. Pray for provisions for them
- Pray for God's protection as it is still a non christian country
- Please pray for lady's health as he is also continuing has IYT Master and at the same follow a cybersecurity one year course online. Thank you very much!

## NATIONAL/CENTER CHALLENGES DURING 2023

- 2023 was a challenge year as Madagascar faced socio political issues with corrupted election
  - GSMM intended to organize fundraising events, but in front of this situation, we could not gather people. we plan to organize it in 2024
  - Besides, our GSMM executive (Rova Randrianarivo, the only counselor) just left to Malasia to continue her master study. GSMM definitely needs to get a replacement.

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## TESTIMONIALS

- During the GSM World visit in Madagascar, we all could get treasures. One of the key treasures in General Rambinitsaotra, who hosted us in his own office during the Independence Day celebration. The socio-political issue within the country just happened after the GSM visitor's departure and continued until the election in November. During this time, the General office got challenges in his back - forcing him to rest and be operated on- the time for God to make an order within the Security Ministry. God is so good.
- Another great testimony is our Board member - the Secretary - she got very ill in Q4 2023 - heavy cough and fever and suspected of cancer of the lumb. But with God's grace and mercy, it was diagnosed to be just a post-symptom. This situation was a driver for her husband and sons to start praying hard and trusting the Lord their whole lives. God is so merciful
- Among the bible study group members, a couple having marriage challenges, turn back to the Lord and continue serving faithfully at church. Testimonies and sharing and bible studies at GSMM center helped them to understand the true meaning of marriage and their role and responsibility as Christian couples either in front of their children or in front neighbors and church families. We praise God for His Love.



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