



**ONE CHURCH  
ONE VILLAGE**

## Your Church Can Get Involved and Partner with the Village of Pueblo Nuevo, Dominican Republic



Pueblo Nuevo is a community situated in the poorest part of the city of Barahona, where Children of the Nations' Dominican Republic headquarters is located. For years, its inhabitants have been forgotten by the government. Its population consists of more than 500 families of Dominican descent. There are few employment opportunities here, and most of the youth are involved in various forms of delinquency: drugs, robbery, violence, etc. Access to electricity and water are limited. Before Children of the Nations came to provide assistance, the closest school was two miles away. To attend classes, the children had to walk, which was dangerous, and therefore few of them were able to go.



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Currently, there are around 30 children enrolled in our Village Partnership Program in Pueblo Nuevo. Alongside caring partners like you, COTN has helped establish a school in the village and worked on projects to bring clean water to the people. Sponsors provide children in Pueblo Nuevo with daily nutrition, a solid education at COTN's school, and medical care at our nearby clinic. COTN has also set up Bible studies and fun summer camps for the children.

## STRATEGIC PROJECTS

As you continue to develop your relationship with Pueblo Nuevo, you can stay involved throughout the year by partnering with us on village-specific projects:

[Click here to see all available projects in the Dominican Republic.](#)

## VENTURE

As you become more invested in Pueblo Nuevo, your church may decide to take a Venture trip and see firsthand how you can partner with this community. For more information, check out our Dominican Republic Venture [calendar for this year!](#)

In addition, we keep a standby list of emergency response medical and construction teams. Please contact [our Venture department](#) for more information.

## SPONSORSHIP

Sponsorship is still an important need in Pueblo Nuevo, as we seek to provide holistic care for the children. As we continue to help families become more stable and independent, we also provide school fees, food, and medical care to over 30 children. Your church can host a Sponsorship Sunday event, or individuals can sponsor at any time.

[Click here to see all the children who need sponsors in Pueblo Nuevo.](#)

## DONATE RESOURCES

Wherever possible, COTN believes in purchasing needed supplies from local businesses in each country. However, we still have a need to ship supplies and equipment to supplement nutrition, clothing, and other materials for our children. Specifically, in Pueblo Nuevo, we are in need of

- **COTN Item of the Month**  
Each month your church will be able to collect needed items for [Pueblo Nuevo](#).





- **Feeding Children Initiative**  
You can help provide [food from local sources](#) to our children in Pueblo Nuevo, supporting the community around Pueblo Nuevo.
- **SmilePacks®**  
[SmilePacks](#) help us provide for the physical, spiritual, and educational needs of our children in Pueblo Nuevo. We collect Bible, School, Hygiene, and Let's Eat SmilePacks.
- **Pack a Container**  
Together with other local churches you can pack an entire shipping container of supplies for the children in Pueblo Nuevo.

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