

Thank you for your sharing in our 2025 vision to help Siloam UK upgrade our Siloam Gospel Clinic in Ghana



Project: 010

PROGRESS REPORT

So far we have £16,400 ready to be invested in this upgraded medical facility!

Summer 2025

Dear Siloam investing friends

We praise God that by the middle of June this year, we have raised £11,000 for our appeal to upgrade the Siloam Gospel Clinic to that of the Siloam Gospel Hospital. And, we are thankful that we have £5,400 leftover from 2024 so this means that we have presently £16,400 ready to be invested now in this upgraded medical facility so desperately needed in the southwest corner of Ghana.

So, we only need another £7,440 to completely cover the cost of our upgrade and we are really grateful that so many generous supporters and investors have identified with this particular need at a time when there are many other needful and valid needs in the world which desperately need funds.

I am so grateful that many supporters have been encouraged and motivated to support us by visualising and identifying with an individual piece of hospital equipment which they have fully funded. It was particularly encouraging to have the most expensive piece of equipment, the Mindray Watco EX20 anaesthesia machine / vaporiser, provided for during the first week of our appeal!! This was made possible by a faithful Siloam donor who wanted to honour her late sister who was formerly an anaesthetist in a UK hospital. How wonderful to empathise with a need in this way and make it an opportunity to honour a loved one who has sadly passed away. Other gifts that we have received have also been equated with a particular piece of equipment and I am pleased to learn that many of you could relate with what your donation / investment could actually purchase for this needy project in Ghana.

However, I do know that others have not been so motivated as they would have been by say, the image of a desperately sick child in a war zone. But, Siloam can only help in areas of the world where it is safe for our workers to go and make a meaningful difference.

Actually, I want to get this appeal fully provided for before the prices begin to rise in the autumn, as I am sure they will, with the current international financial situation in utter turmoil. Please remember that all this equipment will be purchased within Ghana itself which is far less expensive than exporting it and paying import taxes.

Please do look at the photos of the items that we still require to purchase

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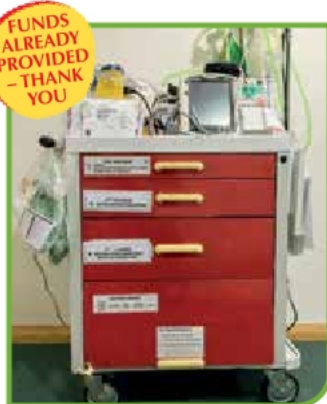


Back in 2023, the Health Authorities in Ghana requested that we replaced the existing beds which had served the clinic for many years with new hygienic comfortable beds together with new mattresses. We were successful in purchasing with your help **25 hospital beds** by the end of 2023.

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A Mindray Watco EX20 anaesthesia machine / vaporiser (ISOFLURANE). This is the most expensive component of the new operating theatre equipment which cost £6,664.00 and which I am pleased to tell you, has already been paid for by one generous donor. Praise God!



A fully equipped theatre trolley has also been provided at a cost of £214.00. – By just one donor.



An advanced drug trolley has also been provided for by a gift of £534.00.



A full blood count Haematology Analyser is required to enable the surgeon to get detailed information about each patient's blood before conducting surgery. This piece of equipment has also been paid for by another generous donor providing £3,465. – Thank you Lord Jesus!



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Items still required! Please pray



~~£1,333~~

STOP PRESS

ANOTHER DONOR HAS JUST CONTRIBUTED THE FULL COST OF THIS BLOOD BANK FRIDGE- PRAISE GOD!

To purchase the blood bank fridge which will cost £1,333.00 so we are hoping to find 30 donors who will each provide £45.00.



~~£800~~

The Autoclave machine is urgently required for the sterilisation of all surgical instruments before and after surgery to prevent infections being transmitted. For this we require 20 investors to pledge £40.00 each so we can purchase this machine.



~~£294~~

~~£134~~

A large Suction machine is required so investments of £10.00 from 30 donors will cover the cost of £294.00. A smaller version which will only cost £134.00, we just need 20 donors to provide £7.00 each.



The mobile OP Led lamp requires 20 donors to each pledge £94.00 to cover the cost of £1,876.00.

~~£1,876~~



~~£800x2~~

Two air-conditioners will be required, one for the operating theatre and one for the recovery room to avoid the transmission of infections and to keep patients and surgeons cool in a tropical environment. For this purchase, we require 40 giving friends to each provide £40.00.



~~£454x2~~

Two sets of surgical instruments are required, each costing £454.00. Therefore, we need 40 gifts of £23.00 to underwrite this expense.



STOP PRESS

ANOTHER DONOR HAS JUST CONTRIBUTED THE FULL COST OF THIS DIATHERMY MACHINE- PRAISE GOD!

~~£1,866~~

Finally, a diathermy machine – 400 watt, is another expensive investment, this will cost £1,866.00. We therefore need to find 15 generous donations of £125.00 to cover this cost!!



~~£1,866~~

We still need to purchase the main manual / hydraulic operating table or theatre bed which will cost £1,866.00. We need 24 donors to each donate £78.00 to cover this cost.



~~£160~~

Two surgical drums (medium) are still required costing £160.00 for both. That means 10 donors who each provide £16.00 will cover this cost.

Please help us to complete the purchase of the outstanding hospital equipment which still requires £7,440.00



and if you feel prompted in any way to provide another boost to our funds, then may the Lord richly bless you. Apart from our summer Bible camps, this will be the only major project we are requesting funds for until the autumn. Please help us to complete the purchase of the outstanding hospital equipment which still requires £7,440.00. – Thank you.

Thank you once again for your earlier generous support which has very much encouraged me to keep the focus of this need before you. Please consider taking a 'second bite of the cherry', the rewarding taste, will be well-worth the financial effort.

Yours sincerely on behalf of those we love and serve in the developing world

Richard Norton

Richard Norton
Director-Siloam UK



P.S. Please continue to send your contributions (however modest) for the Siloam Gospel Clinic in Ghana until the autumn. By then, I want to be able to write to you and tell you, that the clinic has now been upgraded to that of a hospital, only because of yours and others' valuable help. – Thank you.

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