

Christ for Asia is a non-profit Christian aid organization that cares for the needs of street children.

Since 1992, **Christ for Asia International** has been advocating for street children. CFAI works with these children and youth to find ways out of misery and into a hopeful future. We come alongside them so that the wounds of the past can heal and they can develop their Godgiven potential.

The work of **Christ for Asia International** stems from the awareness that all people are important, valuable, and significant before God. The Word of God calls us to be available to those in need wherever possible (Proverbs 3:27). For this reason, we aim to meet people in need in a holistic way and provide them with help for self-help..

Our Mission:

To bring hope and a future to street children!

Our vision is to show street children in the Philippines that they are valuable. In our children's homes, they can grow up in a family environment. Through education, we want to open doors for a hopeful future, which would be denied to them as street children. We want to nurture their talents and abilities and show them: they are worthy and valuable.

Meal Distribution

Every week, the outreach team of **Christ for Asia International** provides about 500 street children with hot meals. They regularly visit 4 different locations in the city, for example the market, slums, near the cemetery, etc.

Many street children are already waiting for their arrival, whether due to practical needs—we offer basic wound treatment and medical care—or emotional needs. These children, who have reached the bottom of society, experience much rejection. But with us, they feel appreciated. Here they find open ears, warm hugs, and in emergency situations, our social workers look for practical solutions for them

There is also a children's program with songs and a message about God. At the end of the program, each child receives a hot meal, through which God's care and love are tangibly expressed to these children.

We reach over 100 children per "Feeding". On Thursdays, we serve two locations, and on Fridays, we serve two more, reaching an average of 500 children per week. Both "Feedings" on Thursday are within walking distance of our Family Center #1, and the two "Feedings" on Friday are within walking distance of our Family Center #2. Our community-based team consists of six staff members and one social worker. We calculate an expense of 0.50€ per person, with 150 meals provided per session. We always strive to make very healthy and nutritious meals, including vegetables and meat. The vegetables are chopped very small because otherwise, the children do not eat them.

We are represented in Germany as well as in Switzerland. However, our headquarters are located in Altensteig, Germany, where we are part of the "Youth, Mission, and Social Work Altensteig."



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