

Atambua, Timor, NTT



FCI volunteers Esther and Angel, along with friends, visited 3 villages near **Atambua** to conduct Easter activities such as coloring Easter pictures and distributing snacks and a variety of gifts like T-shirts, school backpacks, coloring pencils and few other gift surprises. We wanted to take this opportunity to thank our friends who supported this event to make Easter meaningful and so much fun for the many children and parents we met at each village.



While in Atambua Angel also confirmed the 3rd construction project for the **Primavera School**, which is an ongoing project over the past 6 years. Special thanks to the sponsors supporting this building project.



Primavera School

Pekanbaru, Sumatera

FCI volunteers Pierre & Andre went for one week to **Pekanbaru**. They met with Mrs. Rona, a lady who has a vision to create PAUD Preschools across Riau and Sumatera. Together they visited some of the (PAUD) Preschools on the outskirts of the city, distributed STEPS Character Building Curriculum Sets, and encouraged the teachers and children.



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Program with Yayasan Kasih Anak Kanker Indonesia (YKAKI)

This month Dina, FCI volunteer, attended a three-day workshop on Therapeutic Play Intervention for Children with Cancer. The workshop was sponsored by Yayasan Kasih Anak Kanker Indonesia (ykaki.org) with guest speakers from the Children's Cancer Foundation in Singapore.

The main teachers from the 7 YKAKI branches throughout Indonesia attended the workshop in **Yogyakarta**. Everyone learned more about therapeutic art and play activities for cancer patients as well as insight into some basic counseling techniques for children and parents. --A big thank you to Ibu Ira Soelistyo and the YKAKI Board of Directors for organizing this event.



BSD, Tangerang

Daniel and Terry visit **Mekar Lestari** Orphanage in BSD outside Jakarta to present the teachers with a copy of the STEPS Character Building Curriculum Set. They interacted with the staff and children and provided medicine donated by local sponsors.

Angel and Fivi along with Monica and Cresse went to the **Tunas Mahardika** orphanage in BSD. They spent the morning with the children having activities, playing games and Fivi shared Inspirational stories with them. Fivi also delivered a gift for the children's school fees and then they all had a lunch together which was sponsored by a local restaurant.



"The simple act of giving to others in whatever way one can.— This is known to improve mental, emotional, and physical health in measurable and sometimes profound ways."

Family Care Indonesia expresses its gratitude to all of our friends whose generous support has made possible the projects featured in this report. We find great satisfaction in working in a country where being of service to one's fellow man and helping those in need is highly valued. As a non-profit volunteer organization, all of our activities are funded through the support of those who share our vision. We warmly welcome your participation. Together we can make a difference!

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