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# ELPIS NEWS



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## Pray for 2018:

Client's healing.  
 Babies lives to be rescued.  
 Shelter to be finished.  
 More teens to be reached.

## 2017 Year in Review!

- Held over 40 sessions with women who were post abortive, pregnant, experiencing domestic violence and other traumas.
- Ran two retreats which facilitated the healing of over 7 post abortive women.
- Supplied over a dozen single mother headed families with groceries, material supplies, appliances, furniture and household items.
- Provided housing directly for three pregnant moms and schooling for two teenagers at risk.
- Hosted post abortion healing training for volunteers which included a minister from Barbados.
- Co-Hosted and spoke at two regional conferences on life and family issues with the World Congress of Families and local NGO's in Antigua & Barbuda and St Lucia.
- Spoke at the International World Congress of Families conference in Hungary. ([www.Worldcongress.org](http://www.Worldcongress.org))
- Restarted work on Elpis Centre transitional housing building with the goal of using it fully by Easter 2018.
- Taught over 150 teens about healthy relationships and ran two complete cycles of the risk avoidance program at two private secondary schools.
- Received an award from Heartbeat International for our Pro life work in the Caribbean. ([www.heartbeatinternational.org](http://www.heartbeatinternational.org))
- Hosted workshops on Motherhood as part of International Civil Society Week.
- **We need your prayer and financial support to continue our healing and life saving work and to continue building the natural family. Deposits may be made to RBC Account 10008211031524 "Elpis Centre".**

*"I can't stop thanking you for giving me the opportunity to be a part of this awesome experience with God. The program was intense but indescribable. I thought I was healed but I was wrong. Now I am healed."(Abortion healing participant 2017).*



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*Join us for our month of prayer in January 2018.*