



# Operating for Christ

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## Charity Fund Saves Lives!

Through generous donations the Faile Foundation has been able to establish a fund to provide medical care for those that cannot be treated at BMC - usually more specialized and often critically needed care. In 2015, 32 patients benefited from this service. Below is the gratitude expressed for one of these:

Good day to you and the entire Faile Foundation. My name is Denis Azabra Awuni a native of Nalerigu. I have been touched by a gesture the foundation has done to my family and I want to stand on behalf of the entire family and say a very big thank you. The foundation gave my family the biggest ever Christmas Gift by saving the life of my brother's son through financial and spiritual support.

To state the facts clear, my brother's son's name is Mubarik Awuni; he was admitted at BMC in Nalerigu on the 20th of December 2015. The condition got worse and demanded a referral to Konfo Anokye Teaching Hospital Kumasi for a CT scan and other investigations that could not be readily done at BMC. His condition was critical and required the services of an ambulance which we could not afford.

The foundation stepped in and provided financial support to cater for the ambulance and the coordinator (Rev. Francis) made necessary contacts at the receiving facility for us and even accompanied the patient to the hospital. At the hospital the foundation paid for the necessary bills and even gave the boy feeding allowances. We were put on very expensive antibiotics and the foundation catered for all the cost. Baba Kofi who is the assistant coordinator also did very well by contacting us daily and even visited us at the ward when he brought some patients to the facility for review.

I just want to say that we are short of words to express our gratitude. We thank you so much for saving a life. I am attaching pictures of the boy and myself for you to see his initial state and his current state. We spent 13 days at the hospital. You have my permission to show the pictures to your donors so they will know what their hard earned money is being used for. God bless the George Faile Foundation, God Bless BMC, God bless the entire team.



Thank you again Faile donors. You are making a difference!!

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## Ghana Baptist Convention First Year Managing BMC

We want to thank the GBC for their faithful support of BMC. With a year of experience under their belt, they are moving forward with plans for expansion and improvements at BMC. Pray for wisdom and guidance in their decisions! The Faile Foundation supports their efforts as BMC continues to be a beacon of Christ for the people of Northern Ghana. One of the main successes over the past year has been the recruitment and retention of Ghanaian physicians, now numbering 3 as full time staff - 2 of which are mentioned in this newsletter. We fully support this transition and will be taking steps to be sure it continues to succeed.

## **Congratulations to Dr. Victoria Namogo**

Dr. Vic, as she is commonly called, has faithfully served at BMC for two years and was named medical director for BMC last July. While small in stature she is BIG in heart. She has proven to be a valuable leader and compassionate/capable physician. BMC staff and numerous volunteer physicians have expressed their appreciation for Dr. Vic. We thank you and salute you for a job well done!



## **Cahill Family Staying**

Dr.'s Cahill and family have served at BMC for two years through the post residency program of World Medical Missions, a ministry of Samaritan's Purse. They desired to extend their service time an additional six months and we are glad to report that the Faile Foundation will be able to support the Cahill's for this time period. We thank them for their dedicated service!



## **Dr. Emmanuel Akatibo Gets Married**

Dr. Emmanuel has served at BMC for the past year and we thank him and congratulate him. Like Dr. Vic, his presence has been most valuable and appreciated. We hope to see him in Nalerigu for many years to come!

## **Pediatric Beds Bought**

The Faile Foundation purchased 20 pediatric beds in November. As in years past we continue to provide similar support in addition to donating funds to buy food for the nutrition center and fuel for the hospital and public health vehicles.



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