

## Expanding the Dominican Republic Disability Ministry as God's Word and Jesus' Love is Shared, \$6500

Grant monies from this project continue to support the group home for six teenagers with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD). In addition, it will make possible expanding the outreach of the newly formed Dominican Lutheran Church into government institutions housing children and adults with IDD, where training is given to staff and visits from church members share the love of Jesus through Bible stories, songs, visiting and personal interactions with the people and employees. The government is asking for help in this area. The long-term goal: change the way the Dominican Republic society and government view and care for people with IDD.

