

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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OMB No. 1545-0047

**2013****Open to Public Inspection****A For the 2013 calendar year, or tax year beginning****B Check if applicable:**

- ☐ Address change  
☐ Name change  
☐ Initial return  
☐ Terminated  
☐ Amended return  
☐ Application pending

**C Name of organization** Bethany Christian Services

Doing Business As  
Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite  
901 Eastern Avenue, NE  
City or town State ZIP code  
Grand Rapids MI 49503  
Foreign country name Foreign province/state/county Foreign postal code

**D Employer identification number**38-2822017**E Telephone number**616-224-7610**G Gross receipts \$** 89,986,092**F Name and address of principal officer:**Marjorie M. Dood 901 Eastern Ave, NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503**H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates?** ☒ Yes ☐ No**H(b) Are all subordinates included?** ☒ Yes ☐ No

If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

**I Tax-exempt status:** ☒ 501(c)(3) ☐ 501(c) ( ) (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527**J Website:** www.bethany.org**H(c) Group exemption number** ▶ 5103**K Form of organization:** ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶**L Year of formation:****M State of legal domicile:****Part I Summary**

<b>Activities &amp; Governance</b>	<b>1</b>	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <u>Bethany Christian Services provides a variety of social services for children and families, including but not limited to: Domestic and International Adoption, Foster Care to Adoption, Foster Care, Crisis</u>		
	<b>2</b>	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	<b>3</b>	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	<b>3</b>	<u>17</u>
	<b>4</b>	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	<b>4</b>	<u>17</u>
	<b>5</b>	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2013 (Part V, line 2a)	<b>5</b>	<u>1,519</u>
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>6</b>	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	<b>6</b>	<u>980</u>
	<b>7a</b>	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	<b>7a</b>	<u>0</u>
	<b>b</b>	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	<b>7b</b>	<u>0</u>
	<b>8</b>	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	<b>Prior Year</b>	<b>Current Year</b>
	<b>9</b>	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	<u>12,202,952</u>	<u>12,449,567</u>
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>10</b>	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	<u>68,374,698</u>	<u>76,371,340</u>
	<b>11</b>	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	<u>76,084</u>	<u>74,524</u>
	<b>12</b>	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<u>184,683</u>	<u>127,114</u>
	<b>13</b>	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	<u>80,838,417</u>	<u>89,022,545</u>
	<b>14</b>	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	<u>322,282</u>	<u>270,082</u>
	<b>15</b>	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	<b>16a</b>	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	<u>42,855,505</u>	<u>43,521,230</u>
	<b>b</b>	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) <u>▶ 1,417,759</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	<b>17</b>	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	<u>37,504,210</u>	<u>41,884,980</u>
	<b>18</b>	Total expenses. Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<u>80,681,997</u>	<u>85,676,292</u>
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>19</b>	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	<u>156,420</u>	<u>3,346,253</u>
	<b>20</b>	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	<b>Beginning of Current Year</b>	<b>End of Year</b>
	<b>21</b>	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	<u>20,400,483</u>	<u>12,633,161</u>
	<b>22</b>	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	<u>19,246,754</u>	<u>8,133,179</u>
		<u>1,153,729</u>	<u>4,499,982</u>	

**Part II Signature Block**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

**Sign Here**

Signature of officer

Marjorie M. Dood CFO

Type or print name and title

Date

8/12/14**Paid Preparer Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name

Preparer's signature

Date

Check ☐ if self-employed

PTIN

Firm's name ▶

Firm's EIN ▶

Firm's address ▶

Phone no.

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) ☐ Yes ☒ No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

Form **990** (2013)

**Part III****Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III . . . . .

☒**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission:

Bethany Christian Services demonstrates the love and compassion of Jesus Christ by protecting and enhancing the lives of children and families through quality social services.

**2** Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? . . . . .☐

Yes

☒

No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

**3** Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? . . . . .☐

Yes

☒

No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

**4** Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.**4a** (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 23,654,487 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 27,295,955 )

Domestic Infant Adoption. Bethany Christian Services offices throughout the United States placed 735 children with adoptive families. In addition, the Domestic Infant Adoption program provided counseling services at no cost to 8,430 individuals who requested our services in dealing with an unplanned pregnancy; 326 International children, many with special needs, we welcomed into adoptive families in the US; 611 older children who were previously in state or county funded foster care systems were placed with adoptive families.

**4b** (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 18,615,637 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 21,916,287 )

Foster Care. Bethany Christian Services offices in nine different states provided foster care services to 2,270 children. These children need a loving family who will walk with them during a time of crisis and welcome them into a caring home. The goal of Bethany's Foster Care program is to provide temporary care for children with the ultimate aim of reuniting them with their biological family, or finding an adoptive family for those for whom reunification is not an option. Toward that goal, we seek stable families who can show love to children who are going through a challenging time.

**4c** (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 12,099,055 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 13,475,521 )

Bethany Christian Services offices assisted 3,834 refugee children from different countries adjust to life in the United States through a variety of specialized programs and services, including life skills, independent living, language and cultural education, job placement services, and counseling for immigrants who have been victims of torture.

**4d** Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ 18,843,121 including grants of \$ 270,082 ) (Revenue \$ 14,081,886 )

**4e** Total program service expenses ▶ 73,212,300

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A . . . . .	<b>1</b> X	
<b>2</b> Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)? . . . . .	<b>2</b> X	
<b>3</b> Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I . . . . .	<b>3</b>	X
<b>4</b> <b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II . . . . .	<b>4</b>	X
<b>5</b> Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III . . . . .	<b>5</b>	X
<b>6</b> Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I . . . . .	<b>6</b>	X
<b>7</b> Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II . . . . .	<b>7</b>	X
<b>8</b> Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III . . . . .	<b>8</b>	X
<b>9</b> Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV . . . . .	<b>9</b>	X
<b>10</b> Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V . . . . .	<b>10</b>	X
<b>11</b> If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
<b>a</b> Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI . . . . .	<b>11a</b> X	
<b>b</b> Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII . . . . .	<b>11b</b>	X
<b>c</b> Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII . . . . .	<b>11c</b>	X
<b>d</b> Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX . . . . .	<b>11d</b> X	
<b>e</b> Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X . . . . .	<b>11e</b> X	
<b>f</b> Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X . . . . .	<b>11f</b> X	
<b>12a</b> Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII . . . . .	<b>12a</b>	X
<b>b</b> Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional . . . . .	<b>12b</b> X	
<b>13</b> Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E . . . . .	<b>13</b>	X
<b>14a</b> Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States? . . . . .	<b>14a</b> X	
<b>b</b> Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV . . . . .	<b>14b</b> X	
<b>15</b> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV . . . . .	<b>15</b>	X
<b>16</b> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV . . . . .	<b>16</b>	X
<b>17</b> Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions). . . . .	<b>17</b>	X
<b>18</b> Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II . . . . .	<b>18</b> X	
<b>19</b> Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III . . . . .	<b>19</b>	X
<b>20a</b> Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H . . . . .	<b>20a</b>	X
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return? . . . . .	<b>20b</b>	

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)**

	Yes	No
<b>21</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II.</i>		X
<b>22</b> Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III.</i>	X	
<b>23</b> Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J.</i>	X	
<b>24a</b> Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a.</i>		X
<b>24b</b> Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
<b>24c</b> Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
<b>24d</b> Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
<b>25a</b> <b>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I.</i>		X
<b>25b</b> Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I.</i>		X
<b>26</b> Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If so, complete Schedule L, Part II.</i>		X
<b>27</b> Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III.</i>		X
<b>28</b> Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
<b>28a</b> a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV.</i>		X
<b>28b</b> b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV.</i>		X
<b>28c</b> c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV.</i>		X
<b>29</b> Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M.</i>	X	
<b>30</b> Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M.</i>		X
<b>31</b> Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I.</i>		X
<b>32</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II.</i>		X
<b>33</b> Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I.</i>		X
<b>34</b> Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1.</i>	X	
<b>35a</b> Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	X	
<b>35b</b> b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2.</i>	X	
<b>36</b> <b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2.</i>		X
<b>37</b> Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI.</i>		X
<b>38</b> Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	X	

**Part V** **Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V. ☐

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b>	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	0
<b>b</b>	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	0
<b>c</b>	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners? . . . . .	<b>1c</b>	
<b>2a</b>	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return. . . . .	<b>2a</b>	1,519
<b>b</b>	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? . . . . . <b>Note.</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to <i>e-file</i> . (see instructions)	<b>2b</b>	X
<b>3a</b>	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? . . . . .	<b>3a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O. . . . .	<b>3b</b>	
<b>4a</b>	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? . . . . .	<b>4a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: <b>See Attached Statement</b> See instructions for filing requirements for FinCen Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)		
<b>5a</b>	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? . . . . .	<b>5a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? . . . . .	<b>5b</b>	X
<b>c</b>	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? . . . . .	<b>5c</b>	
<b>6a</b>	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions? . . . . .	<b>6a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? . . . . .	<b>6b</b>	
<b>7</b>	<b>Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>		
<b>a</b>	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor? . . . . .	<b>7a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? . . . . .	<b>7b</b>	X
<b>c</b>	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? . . . . .	<b>7c</b>	X
<b>d</b>	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year. . . . .	<b>7d</b>	
<b>e</b>	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .	<b>7e</b>	X
<b>f</b>	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .	<b>7f</b>	X
<b>g</b>	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? . . . . .	<b>7g</b>	
<b>h</b>	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? . . . . .	<b>7h</b>	
<b>8</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.</b> Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year? . . . . .	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>		
<b>a</b>	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? . . . . .	<b>9a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? . . . . .	<b>9b</b>	
<b>10</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter:		
<b>a</b>	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12. . . . .	<b>10a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities. . . . .	<b>10b</b>	
<b>11</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter:		
<b>a</b>	Gross income from members or shareholders. . . . .	<b>11a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.) . . . . .	<b>11b</b>	
<b>12a</b>	<b>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041? . . . . .	<b>12a</b>	
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year. . . . .	<b>12b</b>	
<b>13</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.</b>		
<b>a</b>	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? . . . . . <b>Note.</b> See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	<b>13a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans. . . . .	<b>13b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Enter the amount of reserves on hand. . . . .	<b>13c</b>	
<b>14a</b>	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? . . . . .	<b>14a</b>	X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O. . . . .	<b>14b</b>	

**Part VI**

**Governance, Management, and Disclosure** For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions. Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI. ☒

**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b> Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year . . . . .	<b>1a</b> 17		
If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O.			
<b>b</b> Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent . . . . .	<b>1b</b> 17		
<b>2</b> Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee? . . . . .	<b>2</b>		X
<b>3</b> Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person? . . . . .	<b>3</b>		X
<b>4</b> Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? . . . . .	<b>4</b>		X
<b>5</b> Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? . . . . .	<b>5</b>		X
<b>6</b> Did the organization have members or stockholders? . . . . .	<b>6</b>		X
<b>7a</b> Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body? . . . . .	<b>7a</b>		X
<b>b</b> Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body? . . . . .	<b>7b</b>		X
<b>8</b> Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:			
<b>a</b> The governing body? . . . . .	<b>8a</b>	X	
<b>b</b> Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? . . . . .	<b>8b</b>	X	
<b>9</b> Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O. . . . .	<b>9</b>		X

**Section B. Policies** (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

	Yes	No
<b>10a</b> Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? . . . . .	<b>10a</b> X	
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes? . . . . .	<b>10b</b> X	
<b>11a</b> Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? . . . . .	<b>11a</b> X	
<b>b</b> Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
<b>12a</b> Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 . . . . .	<b>12a</b> X	
<b>b</b> Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? . . . . .	<b>12b</b> X	
<b>c</b> Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done . . . . .	<b>12c</b> X	
<b>13</b> Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy? . . . . .	<b>13</b> X	
<b>14</b> Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? . . . . .	<b>14</b> X	
<b>15</b> Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
<b>a</b> The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official. . . . .	<b>15a</b>	X
<b>b</b> Other officers or key employees of the organization . . . . .	<b>15b</b>	X
If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).		
<b>16a</b> Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year? . . . . .	<b>16a</b>	X
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements? . . . . .	<b>16b</b>	

**Section C. Disclosure**

**17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶ See Attached Statement

**18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.

☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O)

**19** Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.

**20** State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: ▶ Marjorie M. Dood, CFO 616-224-7610  
901 Eastern Avenue, NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

**Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII. ☒**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees****1a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

☐ Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) Anthes, Paul Vice Chair	0.00 1.00	X		X						
(2) Behrendt, Catherine Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(3) Bos, Carole Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(4) Biddick, Jan Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(5) Buitenwerf, Betty Board Member	0.00 1.00	X		X						
(6) Deur, Garth Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(7) Jones, Joe Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(8) Hogfeldt, Jay Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(9) Koning, Harvey Board Chair	0.00 1.00	X		X						
(10) Lantinga, Herb Treasurer	0.00 1.00	X		X						
(11) Lawhon, Robert Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(12) McKey, Peggy Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(13) Merritt, Jonathan Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(14) Olmsted, Linda Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								

**Part VII** Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (*continued*)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(15) Rabenold, Scott Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(16) Stevenson, Jr. Dr. Robert Board Member	0.00 1.00	X								
(17) VanAndel, Carol At Large, Officer of the Board	0.00 1.00	X		X						
(18) Blacquiere, William CEO	0.00 45.00			X				192,891	32,615	
(19) Dood, Marjorie CFO	0.00 45.00			X				114,112	21,788	
(20) Auchtung, Mervin Chief Operating Officer	0.00 45.00			X				91,519	17,126	
(21) Knibbe, Peter Vice-President of Advancement	0.00 45.00					X		111,087	21,715	
(22) Andreas, Marc Vice-President of Marketing	0.00 45.00					X		106,530	23,954	
(23) VanPutten, Robert Vice-President of Information	0.00 45.00					X		105,000	14,791	
(24) Schorsch, Marcy Vice-President of Communications	0.00 45.00					X		104,463	4,241	
(25) Cameron, Robert Director of Humna Resources	0.00 45.00					X		103,585	15,216	
<b>1b Sub-total</b>								0	929,187	151,446
<b>c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A</b>								0	0	0
<b>d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)</b>								0	929,187	151,446

**2** Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **9**

- 3** Did the organization list any **former** officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual.
- 4** For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual.
- 5** Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person.

	Yes	No
<b>3</b>		X
<b>4</b>	X	
<b>5</b>		X

**Section B. Independent Contractors**

**1** Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
Teria Technologies 4232 Limousin Ct, SW, Grandville, MI 49418	Software Development	104,215
		0
		0
		0
		0

**2** Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization **1**



**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII. ☐

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514
<b>Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts</b>	<b>1a</b>	Federated campaigns . . . . .	<b>1a</b> 215,553				
	<b>b</b>	Membership dues . . . . .	<b>1b</b> 0				
	<b>c</b>	Fundraising events . . . . .	<b>1c</b> 0				
	<b>d</b>	Related organizations . . . . .	<b>1d</b> 0				
	<b>e</b>	Government grants (contributions) . . . . .	<b>1e</b> 0				
	<b>f</b>	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above . . . . .	<b>1f</b> 12,234,014				
	<b>g</b>	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$ 36,755					
	<b>h</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . . ▶		12,449,567			
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>				<b>Business Code</b>			
	<b>2a</b>	Adoptions . . . . .	624100	27,295,955	27,295,955		
	<b>b</b>	Foster Care . . . . .	624100	21,916,287	21,916,287		
	<b>c</b>	Refugee Services . . . . .	624100	13,475,521	13,475,521		
	<b>d</b>	Government Funded Programs . . . . .	624100	7,241,252	7,241,252		
	<b>e</b>	Crisis Intervention Services . . . . .	624100	3,475,076	3,475,076		
	<b>f</b>	All other program service revenue . . . . .		2,967,249	2,967,249		
	<b>g</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . . ▶		76,371,340			
<b>Other Revenue</b>	<b>3</b>	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) . . . . . ▶		65,622			65,622
	<b>4</b>	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . . . ▶		0			
	<b>5</b>	Royalties . . . . . ▶		0			
				(i) Real	(ii) Personal		
	<b>6a</b>	Gross rents . . . . .	10,534				
	<b>b</b>	Less: rental expenses . . . . .					
	<b>c</b>	Rental income or (loss) . . . . .	10,534	0			
	<b>d</b>	Net rental income or (loss) . . . . . ▶		10,534	10,534		
				(i) Securities	(ii) Other		
	<b>7a</b>	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory . . . . .	36,178	23,951			
	<b>b</b>	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses . . . . .	36,811	14,416			
	<b>c</b>	Gain or (loss) . . . . .	-633	9,535			
	<b>d</b>	Net gain or (loss) . . . . . ▶		8,902			8,902
	<b>8a</b>	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ 2,196,603 of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18 . . . . .	a 638,726				
	<b>b</b>	Less: direct expenses . . . . .	b 912,320				
	<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . . . . ▶		-273,594			-273,594
	<b>9a</b>	Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 . . . . .	a 0				
	<b>b</b>	Less: direct expenses . . . . .	b 0				
	<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . . . . ▶		0			
	<b>10a</b>	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . .	a 2,399				
<b>b</b>	Less: cost of goods sold . . . . .	b 0					
<b>c</b>	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . . . . ▶		2,399				
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>			<b>Business Code</b>				
<b>11a</b>	Miscellaneous . . . . .	624100	387,775	387,775			
<b>b</b>	. . . . .		0				
<b>c</b>	. . . . .		0				
<b>d</b>	All other revenue . . . . .		0				
<b>e</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . . ▶		387,775				
<b>12</b>	<b>Total revenue.</b> See instructions. . . . . ▶		89,022,545	76,769,649	0	-199,070	

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX. ☐

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.		(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States. See Part IV, line 21	0			
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States. See Part IV, line 22	270,082	270,082		
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
4	Benefits paid to or for members	0			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	0			
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0			
7	Other salaries and wages	34,935,367	34,582,606		352,761
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	-1,560,187	-1,559,178		-1,009
9	Other employee benefits	7,548,405	7,457,514		90,891
10	Payroll taxes	2,597,645	2,575,916		21,729
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
a	Management	1,037,516	1,034,440		3,076
b	Legal	571,960	571,960		
c	Accounting	2,625		2,625	
d	Lobbying	0			
e	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	0			
f	Investment management fees	0			
g	Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	0			
12	Advertising and promotion	1,373,260	1,366,744		6,516
13	Office expenses	2,853,388	2,790,465		62,923
14	Information technology	692,008	691,582		426
15	Royalties	0			
16	Occupancy	3,921,525	3,897,033		24,492
17	Travel	3,236,757	3,212,963		23,794
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	655,923	650,738		5,185
20	Interest	1,490	1,490		
21	Payments to affiliates	11,165,441		11,043,608	121,833
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	446,203	443,506	0	2,697
23	Insurance	6,675	6,675		
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a	Foster Care Boarding	10,638,311	10,638,311		
b	Program Development	1,423,063	1,423,048		15
c	Other Client Assistance	2,436,879	2,436,879		
d	Fund Raising Event Costs	702,430			702,430
e	All other expenses <u>Miscellaneous</u>	719,526	719,526		
25	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24e	85,676,292	73,212,300	11,046,233	1,417,759
26	<b>Joint costs.</b> Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

**Part X Balance Sheet**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X . . . . .

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		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
<b>Assets</b>	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	186,033	1	283,786
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .		2	
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net . . . . .	557,165	3	606,671
	4 Accounts receivable, net . . . . .	9,914,527	4	8,111,854
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net . . . . .	0	7	0
	8 Inventories for sale or use . . . . .		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .	685,098	9	794,528
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 4,562,597		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation . . . . .	10b 2,445,621	10c	2,116,976
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities . . . . .	0	11	0
	12 Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	0	12	0
	13 Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	0	13	0
	14 Intangible assets . . . . .	0	14	0
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	736,430	15	719,346
16 <b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34) . . . . .	20,400,483	16	12,633,161	
<b>Liabilities</b>	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .	7,006,628	17	4,868,081
	18 Grants payable . . . . .		18	
	19 Deferred revenue . . . . .	3,214,252	19	2,545,098
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities . . . . .		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D . . . . .		21	
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .	0	23	720,000
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .	0	24	0
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D . . . . .	9,025,874	25	0
	26 <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25 . . . . .	19,246,754	26	8,133,179
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>			
	27 Unrestricted net assets . . . . .	1,153,729	27	4,499,982
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets . . . . .		28	
	29 Permanently restricted net assets . . . . .		29	
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC958), check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds . . . . .		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund . . . . .		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds . . . . .		32	
33 <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> . . . . .	1,153,729	33	4,499,982	
34 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> . . . . .	20,400,483	34	12,633,161	

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI ☐

<b>1</b>	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) . . . . .	<b>1</b>	89,022,545
<b>2</b>	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) . . . . .	<b>2</b>	85,676,292
<b>3</b>	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1 . . . . .	<b>3</b>	3,346,253
<b>4</b>	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A)) . . . . .	<b>4</b>	1,153,729
<b>5</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments . . . . .	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Investment expenses . . . . .	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Prior period adjustments . . . . .	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) . . . . .	<b>9</b>	
<b>10</b>	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B)) . . . . .	<b>10</b>	4,499,982

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII ☐

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
<b>2a</b> Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? . . . . . If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
<b>b</b> Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? . . . . . If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
<b>c</b> If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? . . . . . If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.	X	
<b>3a</b> As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? . . . . .	X	
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits . . . . .	X	

**SCHEDULE A**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

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Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

Name of the organization

Bethany Christian Services

Employer identification number

38-2822017

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box.)

- 1 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 ☐ A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E.)
- 3 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.
- 4 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 6 ☐ A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 ☒ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 8 ☐ A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 9 ☐ An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III.)
- 10 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.
- 11 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**. See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.

a ☐ Type I    b ☐ Type II    c ☐ Type III—Functionally integrated    d ☐ Type III—Non-functionally integrated

e ☐ By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2)**.

f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box ☐

g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

(i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization? . . . . .

(ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above? . . . . .

(iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above? . . . . .

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1–9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of monetary support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A)									
(B)									
(C)									
(D)									
(E)									
Total									0

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") . . . . .	9,402,276	10,470,288	11,096,288	12,202,952	12,449,567	55,621,371
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . .	9,402,276	10,470,288	11,096,288	12,202,952	12,449,567	55,621,371
<b>5</b> The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f) . . . . .						
<b>6 Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.						55,621,371

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4 . . . . .	9,402,276	10,470,288	11,096,288	12,202,952	12,449,567	55,621,371
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources . . . . .	290,971	320,317	40,644	85,578	76,156	813,666
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>10</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.) . . . . .	781,352	811,675	963,522	797,357	1,026,501	4,380,407
<b>11 Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10 . . . . .						60,815,444
<b>12</b> Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) . . . . .					12	326,999,144
<b>13 First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . . . . .						<input type="checkbox"/>

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>14</b> Public support percentage for 2013 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>14</b>	91.46%
<b>15</b> Public support percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 . . . . .	<b>15</b>	90.99%
<b>16a 33 1/3% support test—2013.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>b 33 1/3% support test—2012.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2013.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2012.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here.</b> Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>18 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II.

If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						0
<b>2</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose . . . . .						0
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513 . . . . .						0
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf . . . . .						0
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge . . . . .						0
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5 . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons . . . . .						0
<b>b</b> Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year . . . . .						0
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>8 Public support.</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.) . . . . .						0

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) 2013	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6 . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources . . . . .						0
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 . . . . .						0
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on . . . . .						0
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.) . . . . .						0
<b>13 Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.) . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>14 First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2013 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>15</b>	0.00%
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 . . . . .	<b>16</b>	0.00%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for 2013 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) . . . . .	<b>17</b>	0.00%
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from 2012 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 . . . . .	<b>18</b>	0.00%

**19a 33 1/3% support tests—2013.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ☐

**b 33 1/3% support tests—2012.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization . . . . . ☐

**20 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions . . . . . ☐

## Part IV

**Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b, and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

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**SCHEDULE D  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Financial Statements**

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.  
▶ Attach to Form 990.

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▶ Information about Schedule D (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

Name of the organization

Bethany Christian Services

Employer identification number

38-2822017

**Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year . . . . .		
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year) . . . . .		
3 Aggregate grants from (during year) . . . . .		
4 Aggregate value at end of year . . . . .		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? . . . . .		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? . . . . .		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**Part II Conservation Easements.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).

<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education)	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of an historically important land area
<input type="checkbox"/> Protection of natural habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a certified historic structure
<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of open space	

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

	Held at the End of the Tax Year
a Total number of conservation easements . . . . .	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements . . . . .	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a) . . . . .	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register . . . . .	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? . . . . . ☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? . . . . . ☐ Yes ☐ No

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 . . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X . . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items:

a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 . . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X . . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets** (continued)

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):

- a ☐ Public exhibition d ☐ Loan or exchange programs  
 b ☐ Scholarly research e ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 c ☐ Preservation for future generations

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? ☐ Yes ☐ No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table:

	Amount
c Beginning balance	1c 0
d Additions during the year	1d
e Distributions during the year	1e
f Ending balance	1f 0

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII ☐

**Part V Endowment Funds.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	0	0	0	0	0
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	0	0	0	0	0

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment ☐ %  
 b Permanent endowment ☐ %  
 c Temporarily restricted endowment ☐ %

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

- (i) unrelated organizations  
 (ii) related organizations

	Yes	No
3a(i)		
3a(ii)		
3b		

b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land	0	0		0
b Buildings	0	1,369,054	0	1,369,054
c Leasehold improvements	0	235,493	0	235,493
d Equipment	0	2,958,050	0	2,958,050
e Other	0	0	2,445,621	-2,445,621
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				2,116,976

**Part VII Investments—Other Securities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives . . . . .	0	
(2) Closely-held equity interests . . . . .	0	
(3) Other . . . . .		
(A) . . . . .		
(B) . . . . .		
(C) . . . . .		
(D) . . . . .		
(E) . . . . .		
(F) . . . . .		
(G) . . . . .		
(H) . . . . .		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶	0	

**Part VIII Investments—Program Related.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ▶	0	

**Part IX Other Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1) Lease Deposits	98,934
(2) Travel Advances	3,164
(3) Other Deposits	290
(4) Investment in Unconsolidated Affiliate	616,958
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶	719,346

**Part X Other Liabilities.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value	
(1) Federal income taxes	0	
(2) Pension Liability		
(3) Other		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	0	

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII. ☒

**Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements . . . . .		<b>1</b>	89,022,545
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:			
a	Net unrealized gains on investments . . . . .	2a		
b	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	2b		
c	Recoveries of prior year grants . . . . .	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.) . . . . .	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d . . . . .		<b>2e</b>	0
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1 . . . . .		<b>3</b>	89,022,545
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . . . . .	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.) . . . . .	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b . . . . .		<b>4c</b>	0
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.) . . . . .		<b>5</b>	89,022,545

**Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements . . . . .		<b>1</b>	85,676,292
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:			
a	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	2a		
b	Prior year adjustments . . . . .	2b		
c	Other losses . . . . .	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.) . . . . .	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d . . . . .		<b>2e</b>	0
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1 . . . . .		<b>3</b>	85,676,292
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . . . . .	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.) . . . . .	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b . . . . .		<b>4c</b>	0
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.) . . . . .		<b>5</b>	85,676,292

**Part XIII Supplemental Information**

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Part X Line 2 Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America

require management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Organization and recognize a tax

liability if the Organization has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not

would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS or other applicable taxing authorities.

Management has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Organization and has concluded that

as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, there are no uncertain positions taken or

expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability or disclosure in the

consolidated financial statements. The Organization is subject to routine audits by taxing

jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

Management believes it is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to

December 31, 2010.

**Part XIII** Supplemental Information *(continued)*

Lined area for supplemental information.

**Schedule F  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Statement of Activities Outside the United States**

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.  
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.  
▶ Information about Schedule F (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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**Part I** **General Information on Activities Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

- 1 For grantmakers.** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of its grants and other assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ☒ **Yes** ☐ **No**

- 2 For grantmakers.** Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of its grants and other assistance outside the United States.

- 3 Activities per Region.** (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed.)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
Sub-Saharan Africa	1	1	Program Services	Adoption Support	295,776
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					
(8)					
(9)					
(10)					
(11)					
(12)					
(13)					
(14)					
(15)					
(16)					
(17)					
<b>3a</b> Sub-total . . . . .	1	1			295,776
<b>b</b> Total from continuation sheets to Part I . . . .	0	0			0
<b>c</b> Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)	1	1			295,776

**Part II**

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1	(a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of non-cash assistance	(h) Description of non-cash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)									
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
(5)									
(6)									
(7)									
(8)									
(9)									
(10)									
(11)									
(12)									
(13)									
(14)									
(15)									
(16)									

2 Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter . . . . . ▶▶

3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities . . . . . ▶▶ 0

**Part III** **Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 16.  
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of non-cash assistance	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)							
(2)							
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
(7)							
(8)							
(9)							
(10)							
(11)							
(12)							
(13)							
(14)							
(15)							
(16)							
(17)							
(18)							



**Part IV Foreign Forms**

- 1** Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)* . . . . . ☐ Yes ☒ No
- 2** Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 3520, Annual Return to Report Transactions with Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A)* . . . . . ☐ Yes ☒ No
- 3** Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect To Certain Foreign Corporations. (see Instructions for Form 5471)* . . . . . ☐ Yes ☒ No
- 4** Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund. (see Instructions for Form 8621)* . . . . . ☐ Yes ☒ No
- 5** Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons With Respect To Certain Foreign Partnerships. (see Instructions for Form 8865)* . . . . . ☐ Yes ☒ No
- 6** Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713)* . . . . . ☐ Yes ☒ No

**Part V****Supplemental Information**

Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

Part I Bethany provides a continuum of care through our office in Ethiopia in partnership

with local organizations. The services we offer to children and families include financial

support, reaching out to orphans and vulnerable children, supporting extended families,

providing foster care, and caring for abandoned children, orphans, and destitute families.

Bethany partners with local organizations to offer foster care, sponsorship, HIV/AIDS

Awareness, Community and Family Support, and skills training and education.

**SCHEDULE G**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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**Part I**

**Fundraising Activities.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 17.  
Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>a</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Mail solicitations               | <b>e</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation of non-government grants |
| <b>b</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Internet and email solicitations | <b>f</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation of government grants     |
| <b>c</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Phone solicitations              | <b>g</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Special fundraising events            |
| <b>d</b> <input type="checkbox"/> In-person solicitations          |   |

2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col. (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
1				0	0	0
2				0	0	0
3				0	0	0
4				0	0	0
5				0	0	0
6				0	0	0
7				0	0	0
8				0	0	0
9				0	0	0
10				0	0	0
<b>Total</b> ▶				0	0	0

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

**Part II Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

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		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events	
		<u>Michigan Golf Outings</u>	<u>Philadelphia Banquet</u>	<u>1</u>	(add col. (a) through	
		(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	col. (c))	
Revenue	1	Gross receipts . . . . .	244,942	169,613	2,420,774	2,835,329
	2	Less: Contributions . . . . .	141,787	131,806	1,923,010	2,196,603
	3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2) . . . . .	103,155	37,807	497,764	638,726
Direct Expenses	4	Cash prizes . . . . .			0	0
	5	Noncash prizes . . . . .	7,435		0	7,435
	6	Rent/facility costs . . . . .	41,797	6,500	262,537	310,834
	7	Food and beverages . . . . .	30,095	24,550	412,558	467,203
	8	Entertainment . . . . .			0	0
	9	Other direct expenses . . . . .	35,728	16,109	75,011	126,848
	10	Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) . . . . . ▶				( 912,320)
	11	Net income summary. Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) . . . . . ▶				-273,594

**Part III Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

Revenue		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col. (a) through col. (c))
Direct Expenses	1 Gross revenue . . . . .				0
	2 Cash prizes . . . . .				0
	3 Noncash prizes . . . . .				0
	4 Rent/facility costs . . . . .				0
	5 Other direct expenses . . . . .				0
	6 Volunteer labor . . . . .	<div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No</div>	<div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No</div>	<div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No</div>	
	7 Direct expense summary. Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) . . . . . ▶				( 0)
	8 Net gaming income summary. Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d) . . . . . ▶				0

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: \_\_\_\_\_

a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states? . . . . . ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "No," explain: \_\_\_\_\_

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? . . . ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain: \_\_\_\_\_

- 11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:
- |                               |     |   |
|-------------------------------|-----|---|
| a The organization's facility | 13a | % |
| b An outside facility         | 13b | % |
- 14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Address ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

- 15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 0 and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 0 .
- c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Address ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

## 16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 0

Description of services provided ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Director/officer
☐ Employee
☐ Independent contractor

## 17 Mandatory distributions:

- a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 0

**Part IV** **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

SCHEDULE I  
(Form 990)

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,  
Governments, and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service  
Name of the organization

Bethany Christian Services

▶ Information about Schedule I (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- 2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1) -----							
(2) -----							
(3) -----							
(4) -----							
(5) -----							
(6) -----							
(7) -----							
(8) -----							
(9) -----							
(10) -----							
(11) -----							
(12) -----							

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table. ▶

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table. ▶

0

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

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Schedule I (Form 990) (2013)

**Part III** **Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.  
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

	(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
1	Medical and mental health costs	1,038	270,082			
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						

**Part IV** **Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information.

Part I Line 2 Bethany Christian Services pays for certain medical and health care costs for some of our clients, including expectant

birthmothers, refugee clients, and others who do not have sufficient insurance or other financial resources to pay the costs

themselves. In conjunction with our counseling, foster care, and refugee programs, Bethany Christian Services pays third party health

and mental health providers for necessary expertise in psychological evaluation, therapy, and language translation services. Payments

are made directly to licensed facilities, physicians, and counselors.

**SCHEDULE J**  
**(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Bethany Christian Services

**Compensation Information**

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest  
Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Information about Schedule J (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

**1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account            | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

**b** If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain . . . . .

**2** Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a? . . . . .

**3** Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee              | <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations     | <input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

**4** During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment? . . . . .
- b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan? . . . . .
- c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? . . . . .
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a–c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

**Only section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5–9.**

**5** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:

- a** The organization? . . . . .
- b** Any related organization? . . . . .
- If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

**6** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

- a** The organization? . . . . .
- b** Any related organization? . . . . .
- If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

**7** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III . . . . .

**8** Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III . . . . .

**9** If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)? . . . . .

	Yes	No
1a		
1b		
2		
3		
4a		X
4b		X
4c		X
5a		X
5b		X
6a		X
6b		X
7		X
8		X
9		



**Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees.** Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

**Note.** The sum of columns (B)(i)–(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)–(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
Blacquiere, William 1 CEO	(i)						0	
	(ii)	192,891			20,366	12,249	225,506	
2	(i)							
	(ii)							
3	(i)							
	(ii)							
4	(i)							
	(ii)							
5	(i)							
	(ii)							
6	(i)							
	(ii)							
7	(i)							
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11	(i)							
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12	(i)							
	(ii)							
13	(i)							
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14	(i)							
	(ii)							
15	(i)							
	(ii)							
16	(i)							
	(ii)							

Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Part I Line 3 The compensation of the CEO is reviewed annually and approved by the Executive Committee of the National Board of Directors. The compensation structure review consists of a comparison of the compensation of Bethany Christian Services' CEO with CEO's of similar organizations. The process is completed in conjunction with the annual performance evaluation of the CEO. The decisions of the Executive Committee are documented in minutes that are recorded by the Secretary. The process was last completed in March 2013.

**SCHEDULE M**  
**(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Noncash Contributions**

- ▶ Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
- ▶ Information about Schedule M (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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**Part I** **Types of Property**

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art—Works of art . . . . .				
2 Art—Historical treasures . . . . .				
3 Art—Fractional interests . . . . .				
4 Books and publications . . . . .				
5 Clothing and household goods . . . . .				
6 Cars and other vehicles . . . . .				
7 Boats and planes . . . . .				
8 Intellectual property . . . . .				
9 Securities—Publicly traded . . . . .	X	7	36,755	Market price date of gift
10 Securities—Closely held stock . . . . .				
11 Securities—Partnership, LLC, or trust interests . . . . .				
12 Securities—Miscellaneous . . . . .				
13 Qualified conservation contribution—Historic structures . . . . .				
14 Qualified conservation contribution—Other . . . . .				
15 Real estate—Residential . . . . .				
16 Real estate—Commercial . . . . .				
17 Real estate—Other . . . . .				
18 Collectibles . . . . .				
19 Food inventory . . . . .				
20 Drugs and medical supplies . . . . .				
21 Taxidermy . . . . .				
22 Historical artifacts . . . . .				
23 Scientific specimens . . . . .				
24 Archeological artifacts . . . . .				
25 Other ▶ ( ) . . . . .				
26 Other ▶ ( ) . . . . .				
27 Other ▶ ( ) . . . . .				
28 Other ▶ ( ) . . . . .				

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgment . . . . .

29

30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 - 28, that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period? . . . . .

b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.

31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions? . . . . .

32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions? . . . . .

b If "Yes," describe in Part II.

33 If the organization did not report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.

	Yes	No
30a		X
31	X	
32a	X	
33		

**Part II** **Supplemental Information.** Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Part I Line 32 Bethany Christian Services uses a brokerage firm to process the sale of all

publically traded securities.

**SCHEDULE O**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Bethany Christian Services

**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

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Form 990, Part III, Line 4d: Program Service Expenses: 18,843,121, Grants and allocations:

270,082, Revenue: 14,081,886. See Schedule O for description of services.

Form 990, Part III, Line 4d: Other Program Services provided include: 4,170 children received

post-adoption services to help them thrive in their new families; 15,370 children benefited

from general counseling or specialized ADOPTS counseling; 8,430 people benefited from

pregnancy counseling services protecting unborn children.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 11b: This Form 990 is prepared by an employee of the

organization, the Director of Finance, and provided to our audit firm of Plante & Moran for

technical review by their Tax Department. Prior to filing the return is provided to the Audit

Committee of the Board of Directors for review. The return is made available to all members of

the Agency's Board of Directors by way of posting on the Agency's web portal. Once the return

is reviewed by the Audit Committee the Chief Financial Officer is instructed to complete the

electronic filing requirements of the IRS.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c: The organization has a standard written Conflict of

Interest Policy that each board member and officer is required to abide by. Each person must

certify in writing his or her acceptance of the policy. Directors are required to disclose

annually any financial interest that may give rise to a conflict of interests. Directors may

deliver written notice to all other Directors or may give oral notice at a meeting of the

Board of Directors. A director having a personal financial interest may not participate in the

approval of such proposed transaction unless his or her judgment is necessary to the

disinterested directors consideration of the transaction.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 15 a & b: This Group Return is filed on behalf of all

branch offices of Bethany Christian Services. Filing requirements of the 990 do not allow the

activities of the Parent Organization to be included with those of the Group Return. All

officers of the corporation are compensated by the Parent Organization. There are no employees

of the offices included in this group return who are officers of the corporation.

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Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2013)

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Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19: Governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and

financial statements are available upon request of the Parent Organization, Bethany Christian

Services, Inc.

Form 990, Part X, Line 10a & 25: As a result of the legal entity restructuring completed by

the Parent Organization, certain real property assets and long-term pension liabilities have

been eliminated from this Group Return and are now shown as Parent Organization assets and

liabilities.

Form 990, Part VII, Section A, Line 1a: The officers listed in Section A are full-time

employees of the Parent Organization, Bethany Christian Services. Each officer's duties

consists of administrative and operational management on behalf of both the Parent

Organization as well as all members reported on the Group Return. While each officer records

his or her actual time worked, it is not practical to differentiate those hours worked on

Parent Organization matters from those hours worked on Group Return entity matters.

**SCHEDULE R  
(Form 990)**

**Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships**

- ▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.
  - ▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.
- ▶ Information about Schedule R (Form 990) and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990](http://www.irs.gov/form990).

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Bethany Christian Services

Employer identification number

38-2822017

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2013**

**Open to Public  
Inspection**

**Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity
(1) -----					
(2) -----					
(3) -----					
(4) -----					
(5) -----					
(6) -----					

**Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
(1) Bethany Christian Services 38-1405282 901 Eastern Ave, NE Grand Rapids, MI 49503	Social Services	MI	501(c)(3)	x	Bethany Christian		X
(2) -----							
(3) -----							
(4) -----							
(5) -----							
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(7) -----							

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Schedule R (Form 990) 2013

**Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of- year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	
(1) .....												
(2) .....												
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**Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No
(1) .....									
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**Part V Transactions With Related Organizations** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.**Note.** Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.**1** During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II–IV?

	Yes	No
<b>a</b> Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties or (iv) rent from a controlled entity . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>b</b> Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>c</b> Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>d</b> Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>e</b> Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>f</b> Dividends from related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>g</b> Sale of assets to related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>h</b> Purchase of assets from related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>i</b> Exchange of assets with related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>j</b> Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>k</b> Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>l</b> Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>m</b> Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s) . . . . .	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>n</b> Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>o</b> Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>p</b> Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>q</b> Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>r</b> Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>s</b> Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**2** If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds.

	(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a–s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) Bethany Christian Services (Parent)		m	11,043,608	Actual Cost
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
(5)				
(6)				

**Part VI** **Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
				Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	
(1) _____													
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## Part VII Supplemental Information

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions).

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**Part V, Line 4b (990) - Authority over a Financial Account in a Foreign Country**

At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country:	
1	Ethiopia
2	Ghana

**Part VI, Line 17 (990) - States with Which a Copy of this Form 990 is Required to be Filed**

<input type="checkbox"/>	Armed Forces the Americas	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Louisiana	<input type="checkbox"/>	Palau
<input type="checkbox"/>	Armed Forces Europe	<input type="checkbox"/>	Massachusetts	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Rhode Island
<input type="checkbox"/>	Alaska	<input type="checkbox"/>	Maryland	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	South Carolina
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Alabama	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Maine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	South Dakota
<input type="checkbox"/>	Armed Forces Pacific	<input type="checkbox"/>	Marshall Islands	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Tennessee
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Arkansas	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Michigan	<input type="checkbox"/>	Texas
<input type="checkbox"/>	American Samoa	<input type="checkbox"/>	Minnesota	<input type="checkbox"/>	Utah
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Arizona	<input type="checkbox"/>	Missouri	<input type="checkbox"/>	Virginia
<input type="checkbox"/>	California	<input type="checkbox"/>	Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands	<input type="checkbox"/>	U.S. Virgin Islands
<input type="checkbox"/>	Colorado	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mississippi	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Vermont
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Connecticut	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Montana	<input type="checkbox"/>	Washington
<input type="checkbox"/>	District of Columbia	<input type="checkbox"/>	North Carolina	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Wisconsin
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Delaware	<input type="checkbox"/>	North Dakota	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	West Virginia
<input type="checkbox"/>	Florida	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nebraska	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Wyoming
<input type="checkbox"/>	Federated States of Micronesia	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	New Hampshire		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Georgia	<input type="checkbox"/>	New Jersey		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Guam	<input type="checkbox"/>	New Mexico		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hawaii	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nevada		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Iowa	<input type="checkbox"/>	New York		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Idaho	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Ohio		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Illinois	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Oklahoma		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Indiana	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Oregon		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Kansas	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pennsylvania		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Kentucky	<input type="checkbox"/>	Puerto Rico		