



PHILIPPINES

12.6 MILLION  
PEOPLE LIVE ON LESS  
THAN \$1.90 A DAY  
POPULATION:  
100.9 MILLION PEOPLE  
HAS OVER  
7,100 ISLANDS

# the PHILIPPINES

## AT A GLANCE\*

CAPITAL CITY: Manila

POPULATION: 100.9 million people

GEOGRAPHY: 7,107 islands

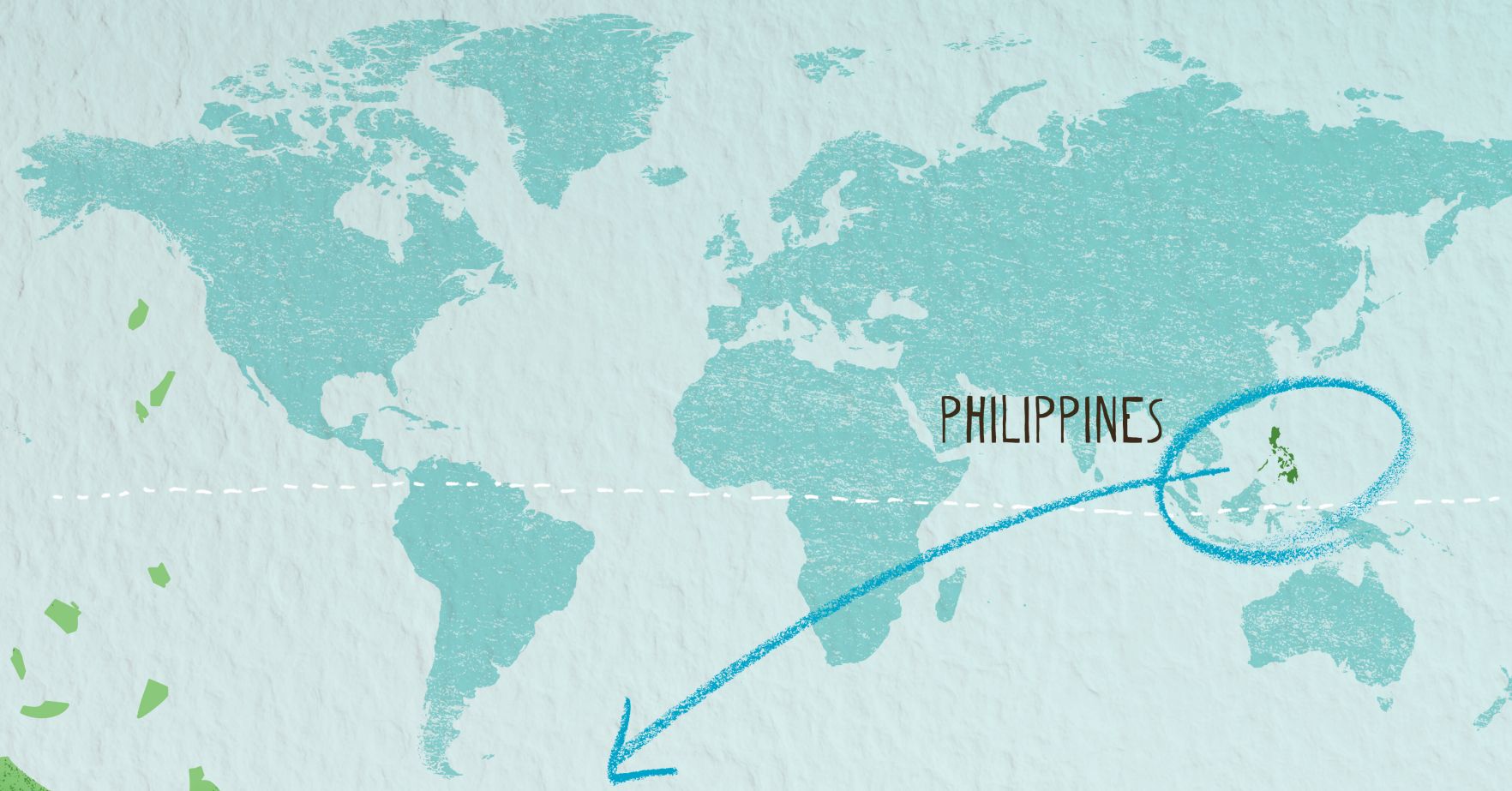
OFFICIAL LANGUAGE: Filipino and English

CLIMATE: Tropical Marine, Seasonal Monsoons

LITERACY RATE: Male 95.8%, Female 96.8% (2012)

LIFE EXPECTANCY: Male 65 yrs, Female 72 yrs

\*[https://www.unicef.org/infobycountry/philippines\\_statistics.html](https://www.unicef.org/infobycountry/philippines_statistics.html), <https://povertydata.worldbank.org/poverty/country/PHL>



PHILIPPINES

AROUND 25% OF  
THE WORLD'S OVERSEAS  
NURSES ARE FROM  
THE PHILIPPINES

THE MONKEY-EATING  
EAGLE, THE LARGEST OF  
ALL EAGLE BREEDS,  
IS THE NATIONAL BIRD

AROUND  
EIGHT TYPHOONS  
MAKE LANDFALL  
ANNUALLY

BASKETBALL IS  
THE MOST POPULAR  
SPORT WITH ONE  
OF THE OLDEST  
LEAGUES IN THE WORLD

THE WORLD'S  
LARGEST  
EXPORTER OF  
COCONUTS AND  
TROPICAL FRUITS

HOME TO HUNDREDS OF  
MAMMAL AND BIRD  
SPECIES FOUND  
NOWHERE ELSE  
IN THE WORLD

SEMICONDUCTORS  
AND ELECTRONICS  
ARE THE PRIMARY EXPORTS

THE NILAD  
IS THE  
NATIONAL  
FLOWER

TOURIST DESTINATIONS  
INCLUDE BEACHES, MOUNTAINS,  
RAINFORESTS, ISLANDS, AND  
CORAL REEFS

MANY FILIPINOS  
WORK AS FISHERMEN

Releasing children from poverty  
**Compassion**  
in Jesus' name