



Global Christian Mission Outreach

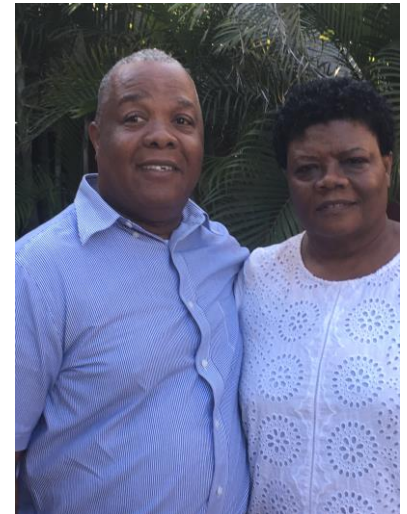
The Haiti Christian Congregations of Delmas 75, Carrefour, Fonfrede, Cambry, Saut-D'eau, Jeremie & Tom Gato
GCMO-Haiti.org - October 2021 – Earthquake Report

**Dear Coworkers in Christ:
Special greetings in Christ Jesus our Savior and Lord,**

The year 2021 has been very difficult indeed in the life of our people: the social and political crisis that tore the country for too long has reached its highest peak.

Never before have we seen in the streets of Port-au-Prince such a reign of terror where violence, bloodshed, and impunity seem to become the norm. Never before have we seen people from all social strata taken captive into the spiral of violence.

Even the president with all his entourage has not been spared its snare. He has been brutally assassinated in his private chambers in the middle of the night on July 7, 2021. Since then, fear seems to dominate every sphere of the people social life. On the faces of many you can read fear, desperation, and uncertainty.



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Consequently our young people are desperate and they are ready to leave the country at the first opportunity. Those who finally have escaped this horror after a long and difficult journey to reach the border of Eldorado, then all of a sudden, they saw their American dream miserably fade away.



To this very complicated situation to say the least, added the devastating 7.2 earthquake of August 14, 2021, a terrible disaster that leaves destruction and death throughout the three geographical areas of the country: namely Nippes, South, and Grand-Anse. The casualties are enormous; the death toll is high indeed, and the suffering beyond description. More than 2200 people were reported dead, hundreds are still missing, 5700 people are

severely wounded, and innumerable others are displaced to other regions of the country especial to the Northern part of Haiti. Our partners at IDES estimates 61,000 homes were completely destroyed.

Earthquake Relief Was Immediately On The Way



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we were able to minister to a plethora of communities where the government is unheard of and aid was unavailable. In so doing, we touched the lives of thousands while making a lasting impact for Christ. Thank you for stretching out your hands to touch the least of these our brethren. You are really behind the scenes the real hands and feet of Christ that continue to touch in a very compassionate and meaningful way. We have done our best to care for the least of these our brethren following the earthquake. In Fonfrede alone, we have distributed 1100 hot meals every day to those who were hurting by hunger. We have fed them a substantial meal for over a month. Soon the word got out and people came from all over to be fed during this time of crisis. We got people from Labarel, Kawa, Fonfrede, Borgela, Nicolas, Demion Tuffet, Jansac, Cambry, Cance, Laval, Pesimal, Delforce, Savanette, Fontanie, Pelerin, Vonvon, Citadelle, Paulin, Bamboo, and Charier to name just a few. On the other hand, we also distributed tons of dry grain to several communities Like Christville, Cambry, Prospere, Dubreuil, Torbeck, Camperrin, Tom Gato, Saut-D'Eau, Cesselesse, Delmas 75, and Carrefour. We handed out to hundreds of families a kit consisting of 25 kg bag of rice, 15 pounds bag of beans, a case of spaghetti, and one gallon of vegetable oil. We have handed out a substantial package capable of sustaining a whole family during an entire month.

Once again when disaster hit so severely, we turned to our longtime friends and our partners for help. Thank you for responding so promptly to our Macedonian call. We can never thank you enough for your compassion your love and your Christian generosity. Thank you for empowering GCMO to serve our countrymen in the midst of that massive human crisis. You have empowered us to respond effectively and quickly in order to bring hope to the disheartened and to soothe the pain and the suffering of many. From upper Fonfrede where we established our base of operation, we were able to minister to a plethora of communities where the government is unheard of and aid was unavailable. In so doing, we touched the lives of thousands while making a lasting impact for Christ. Thank you for stretching out your hands to touch the least of these our brethren. You are really behind the scenes the real hands and feet of Christ that continue to touch in a very compassionate and meaningful way. We have done our best to care for the least of these our brethren following the earthquake. In



Claudie and I are so thankful and appreciative to you all our dear friends and partners for being there for the people of Haiti in time of calamity and uncertainty when we needed you the most. A friend in deed is a friend indeed. Again thank you for your compassionate love, your great concern, and your Christian generosity. We love you all our

Hundreds of families are being served.

On behalf of our brothers and sisters of the Greater South, we want to say thank you to you all: Special thanks to our brothers and sisters of IDES for coming alongside of us in this time of crisis as usual. IDES was there for us as they were in January 12, 2010. Today, IDES is still among our first responders. We praise God for our brothers and sisters of IDES.

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It is an awesome undertaking to feed 1,100 people per day



One of the centers of distribution was Delmas 75.

sisters of Humility Church of God of Boston for their generous support as well.

Many donated to our cry for help. To mention a few there were: Larry & Linda Daubenspeck, Sidney White, Marianne Volkmann, Paul & Beverly Bockstege, Bill &

Special thanks to our brothers and sisters of Main Street Christian Church in Rushville, Indiana who were among the first to send their support to the field. Special thanks to our dear brothers and sisters of Eden Westside Baptist Church Family which went the extra mile to coordinate with other churches in Alabama to send their generous support. Special thanks to our brothers and sisters of Port Charlotte United Methodist Church for being always there for us in critical time.

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Dawn Montgomery, Phil Junker, Connie Mckamey, Tim & Helen Slicker, Marc & Jennifer Wesner, Ann Hinch, Sara Owen, Michael & Kim Swafford, Amy Mohr, Sam & Beth Hoehner, Darla Johnson, Terry & Gretchen Hawk and Jack & Chris Spaulding, our chairman of the board who gave themselves to the Lord and gave their support as well

Special thanks to you all, our dear friends and longtime partners in the ministry of GCMO, for this outpouring of love, and your sacrificial giving in this time of great need. Our heart goes out to you all who have given so generously and so sacrificially to the least of these our brethren.

The Aftermath of the Earthquake

Today we just come from a tour of the South, the situation is still tough, but people are also tough and resilient. Surely enough we will rise from the ashes of fear and despair, and someday we will laugh again. If our initial effort was to address the urgency of the hour, our tour was to bring God's comfort and



The church at Cambry was damaged by the quake.

fortitude that brings calmness to the chaos of our day. God is now here in the midst of chaos and life uncertainty. More than anything we bring, it was of utmost importance to be there with our brothers and sisters of the South to bring the Word of God in the middle of a major crisis. It was of utmost importance to pray and mourn with those who are hurting in the very depth of their soul.



Damage at the Christville Church at Fonfrede.

you sent us over there to serve in this hour of crisis.

There is still a whole lot more to do. Here is where we want to intervene in our second plan of action:

When our dear Lord of heavens and earth put aside His garment of majesty to take the likeness of a humble servant, He took the form of a servant, and humbled himself until death on the rugged old cross. Then the Word became flesh and dwelt among us. Then and only then, can we behold His glory as He really is. You make the gospel message look more tangible as

At Christville, one concrete pole has been damaged and one inside wall behind the pulpit is down. We got a team that will start the repair soon beginning next week.

At Cambry, the building received a serious blow too, we are still evaluating what needs to be done there in order to begin repair next week as well. The house of the preacher of Cambry, Brother Villardson received a major blow as well and Brother Villardson has started the repair already, but GCMO will definitely stand by his side.



The stairs at Carrefour have to be repositioned.

At Saut d'Eau, there is an urgent need for a concrete floor and a roof. The Season was so tough with gusty winds and heavy rains almost every day. We think we can do the floor but we do not have enough means to put on a metallic roof.



Carrefour served as a distribution center.

help in anyway. Lesly will be deeply missed. He was a very hard worker. He was a member of this congregation of Delmas 75 for over 12 years. He was always at the door greeting everyone with a big smile and escorting people to their respective seat.

At Carrefour, the stairs leading to the main entrance of the congregation are also down; the congregation had already started a project to get access to the Church. They seem to reach their limit and are out of resources. We are already communicating with Carrefour to continue the job that was already started. For the need is so pressing to have access to the

building.

Once again we want to thank all of you our dear friends and partners who have given so generously to make things happen.

In Memory of Lesly Thermil

Once again the phenomenon of insecurity knocks at our door at Delmas. On the morning, of September 7, 2021, our Brother Lesly Thermil was struck down and killed. He was a young man 35 years of age, married to Kerlie Thermil and the father of two: Neika 5 years old and Neisson 2 years old.

Early on that fateful morning, Lesly went to work as usual in his carpentry shop in the vicinity of Delmas. Suddenly, two gangsters riding on a motorcycle opened fire and gunned him down. He has fallen down in daylight before all without having the time to say goodbye to his loved ones. It all

happened so quickly that no one was able to

He will be deeply missed! We are asking for your fervent prayers for comfort for Kerlie, the widow and her two children.



Baptism at Delmas 75!

Delmas Continues To Press On

In spite of all, Delmas continues to carry out the Great Commission to go and make disciples for the Lord. On Sunday September 26 of 2021, the congregation was mobilized on the streets of Delmas. They went two by two, knocking on doors to present the gospel message to a lost community. More than 323 people were reached in this campaign of personal evangelism. Thirteen of them were gloriously saved as they received Jesus Christ as their personal Savior. And the

Lord keeps adding to His Church those who are being saved. Moreover, the department of Evangelism of Delmas is getting ready to launch an evangelistic campaign to Anse-a-Veau, a place devastated by the recent earthquake. About thirty young men and women are getting ready to leave for Anse-a-Veaux from Friday October 29 thru Friday November 5, 2021. We request your fervent prayers on behalf of the team.



2018 baptism in a creek at Sait-d'Eau

Saut d'Eau is Moving Forward

After a few years of latency, Saut-d'Eau is finally moving forward. We begin to see signs of life in the congregation. From September 19 thru 26 the congregation of Saut-d'Eau organized a revival around the theme, "Hurry Up To Get Enrolled in the Book of Life" (Revelation 20:15).

The Crowd came from everywhere and they pressed every night to hear the gospel message. Nine young men and women were gloriously saved and added to the Church. We praise God for what He is happening in Saut-d'Eau.

Carrefour Intercedes for the Nation



Sait-d'Eau food relief.

At Carrefour a new cell group was born. The name of the group is the Intercessors. They regularly met on Tuesday with the sole purpose of praying for the nation. We are living the most challenging time in the history of our nation. We seem to be going to the very bottom of the pit. And people are crying out is there hope? However the Lord has given out a prescription long forgotten, *"If my People which are called by my name, shall humbled themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land."* (II Chronicles 7:14 KJV)



Baptism at Carrefour

The Church of Carrefour is located in the very axis of evil. They fight hard to maintain the faith transmitted to the saints once and for all. On September 12, 2021 Pastor Va reported that seven persons were baptized and began a whole new adventure with Christ, our Lord.

Christville

At Christville the congregation continues to grow steadfastly. During the last week of September seven new members

were baptized. They now enjoy a whole new fellowship with the Lord. It was so thrilling to be at Christville to see my brothers and sisters in the faith. We have missed them so much. Our immediate goal is to develop the great district of South so that they can have their own convention. And we are nicely moving in that direction. Just recently a new congregation in Guichard, Camperrin came to join us. They are now located under a tent on the road to Camperrin. We hope and pray we can get them to the next level. It was also thrilling to see the school children in their beautiful uniforms. The school keeps growing each year.

On the other hand, we were finally able to deliver the two boxes of seed we received from Hope Seeds. Most of the seeds will be distributed to the people of the South. A little garden will be cultivated to grow vegetables for the needs of the school canteen. Our special thanks to David Balsbaugh and Hope Seeds for their generous donation.

Finally we are so grateful to you all for your prayers and ongoing financial support. Be assured of our love and our prayers for you and your family as we look forward to hearing from you.

Warmly in Christ
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Global Christian Mission Outreach's Child Sponsorship Program

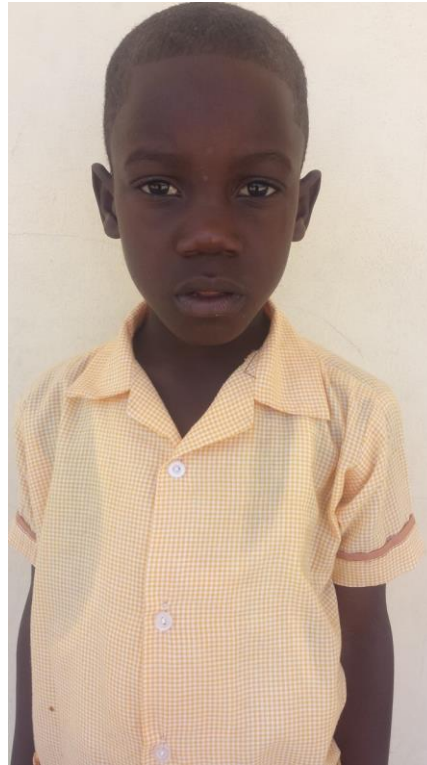
The program is designed to be a partnership between a sister church in the United States or an individual or any other organization. Within the partnership, the sister church or the individual is encouraged to sponsor one or several school children. In so doing you will in turn allow Global Christian Mission Outreach to accomplish its mission statement: Come, Abide and Go.

- 1) To plant new churches (Come)
- 2) To equip leaders for service (Abide)

3) To commission them to go in order to reach out to the surrounding villages (Go)



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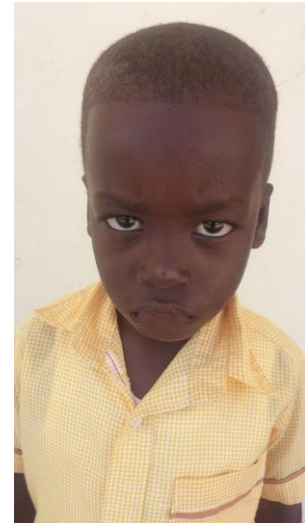
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What Are The Benefits Of Sponsoring A Child?

The benefits are twofold: First of all, a child will enjoy the bread of education, which otherwise would not be available to him. Consequently, there will be no child left behind in the dark margins of social life. Secondly, the sponsor will have the joy of investing in the things that matter the most, making a lasting impact in the life of a young child, shaping his young mind via a solid Christian education. Your monthly contribution will provide a needy child with books, uniforms, school supplies, and a hot meal every day. You will be provided opportunities to develop a special relationship



Matthew 25:40 - I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me."

with that child. You will be kept informed of major events taking place in the life of the child through e-mails, personal letters, or even maybe meeting the child in his or her own little village. You will also be provided with opportunities to monitor the spiritual and intellectual growth of the child as you periodically receive copies of his/her report card.

Would you help Global Christian Mission Outreach by sending one needy child to school?

How You Can Help

First of all you can be a prayer warrior who presents the daily needs of the mission field before the Lord. We presently have five hundred or more schoolboys and schoolgirls waiting in line to be sponsored. Some of them walk several miles, even crossing rivers to come to class. Many of them come to school hungry, hoping to be served a hot meal for lunch. There are also classes

to be started at Tom Gato and at Cambry.

We can't make it without you. Without your help many children will be turned down this school year. They will be denied the unique opportunity to learn about Math, Reading, and Social Studies. More importantly, they will be denied the greater opportunity to learn about Bible stories, creation, and our Lord Jesus Christ.

Would you please fill out an application to sponsor one child every month at least for one year? With only thirty dollars a month, one dollar a day, you can make a big difference in the life of a child in a little village of your choice. If you so desire, please select a child and send an e-mail to Jack Spaulding at jackspaulding@hughes.net, or on our website at GCMO-Haiti.org or write to Global Christian Mission Outreach, Attention: Jack Spaulding, 8966 S. 650 W., Milroy, Indiana 46156-9727, and he will send you the profile of a child needing a sponsor. 100 percent of the money goes to supporting the children and the schools.

God willing, our intention is to expand GCMO's schools in the south to educate 700 more children, and someday, build a much needed orphanage.

Contact Information for GCMO and for Yvon & Claudie Selin:

Jack Spaulding at jackspaulding@hughes.net or call 1-765-629-2493 Cell 1-765-570-6701, if we don't answer, please leave a detailed message and a call back number. You also can write to Global Christian Mission Outreach, Attention: Jack Spaulding, 8966 S. 650 W., Milroy, Indiana 46156-9727. Visit our website at GCMO-Haiti.org where tax deductible donations can be made online. Thank you one and all for your prayers and support.

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