

## **Global Christian Mission Outreach**

The Haiti Christian Congregations of Delmas 75, Carrefour, Fonfrede, Cambry, Saut-D'eau, Jeremie & Tom Gato GCMO-Haiti.org – January 2022

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

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The year 2021 was exceptional and very challenging.
We have experienced the Covid-19 pandemic. More than
5,000,000 people have been pronounced dead worldwide.
You probably are mourning the departure of a loved one. We
praise God for the gift of life that He has freely given to us!
We praise His holy name for sustaining us and restoring us



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throughout the ordeals of 2021. We also praise Him, and we celebrate His holy name for the liberation of the 12 remaining American missionaries who were held captives in Croix-des-Bouquets. We have been praying for their safety, now we rejoice that they are free and unharmed celebrating with their loved ones at home. His name is El

Shaddai He is still in the business of setting the captives free.



2021 saw the unsolved assassination of Haiti's President Jovenel Moise.

Furthermore here in our country, we have experienced the assassination of President Jovenel Moise in the privacy of his own home. More than seven months later, the investigation is still on going. The perpetrators of this heinous and villainous crime are not behind bars where they belong. Consequently Haiti is living the darkest days of its history. It is a perpetual

nightmare in daylight. Have we ever seen such a chaos in the land created a political vacuum? To top it all, a 7.2 earthquake hit the South of Haiti, leaving destruction and death here and there all along its route.

But in spite of it all, we can cry with the apostle; "What then shall we say in response to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare His own Son, but gave Him up for us all- how will He not also, along with Him, graciously give us all things? Who will bring any charge against those whom God has



Against all odds and with the Hand of God delivering them, all of the remaining Haiti captives escaped their captors in the dead of night! Photo Toronto Star

chosen? It is God who justifies. Who then is the one who condemns? No one! Christ Jesus who died — more than that, who was raised to life- is at the right hand of God and is interceding for us. Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? For your sake we face death all day long; we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered. No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us." (Romans 8:31-37 NIV)

We praise God for faithful friends and partners like you. We were not in this thing alone. You have

walked alongside of us during these perilous times to help us to continue victoriously to carry the torch throughout this dark moment. You have answered so promptly to our Macedonian call: Your heartfelt prayers were a constant source of encouragement for many in the field. And your generous contributions have fed the hungry; enlightened the children, repaired broken homes, and broke the fortresses of a nation in constant crisis.



Following the earthquake and the hurricane, we were able to feed thousands of meals and send tons of rice and beans to starving people in the GCMO congregations and surrounding communities.

At the dawn of the year 2022, we take a look in the past to contemplate the long road we have made together and most of all the great things which God has done through this great partnership. We are so thankful and appreciative to you all. In this Greeting Season, we hurry to wish to you all a belated, "Merry Christmas and

Happy New Year 2022"

"For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful,

Counselor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of peace." (Isaiah 9:6 KJV)

How great was our recent visit with you in Indiana. Indiana is like a return to our Alma Mater. We have more than 30 years of great memories of Indiana. We love the peaceful atmosphere of Indiana. There was no disturbing noise but the sound of the birds. Even the weather was very clement to us. It was unusually warm during our recent visit. It was such a delight to see our great friends of the GCMO board. Some of you traveled a long way to be with us. We love you all and we admire your commitment to serve the least of these.

The board meeting went well in a great atmosphere of laughter and brotherhood. It was such a joy to spot Brother Jack in the great crowd of people at the Indianapolis International Airport. We briefly talked about was on the menu for that weekend. The board meeting went well. At Brother Jack's and Mrs. Chris home, there was no exotic

food this time: No frog legs, no alligator tails, no quails but the meals were delicious and great.

The worship experience at Main Street Christian Church was heartfelt. You have raised not only your hands but your heart to God. We thank God for Brother Chip and for his dear wife for all the kindness they have showed to us. At the end of the service, Mrs. Amy Mohr took us to lunch in the majestic setting of a Mexican restaurant. Amy's late father and my generous friend Karl Mohr, a faithful supporter of the ministry, would have done the same.

For the Last Supper on my stay at the Spaulding household, Mrs. Chris served a rabbit slowly cooked in a special blend of spices. The food was so good and we were immensely satisfied. You made feel special in every way. I can't wait to come back. Thank you for all your deeds of kindness.

A week later, my journey continues from Indiana to Alabama. It was so great to see all our friends and coworkers in Christ down there in Alabama. We love Alabama, we love the people of Alabama and we love the food down there too. Thank you for giving to us this opportunity to visit despite your busy Christmas schedule. It was so great to see our dear friend, Pastor Scotty who welcomed us in the Great Atlanta Airport. We did not know that when we did the reservation, it was a several hour trip from Atlanta to Birmingham.

We quickly forgot about the long road trip when Brother Scott and Christina along with his daughters took us to Yummi, an exotic Japanese restaurant. The food was delicious to say the least.

On Sunday morning, the worship experience was breath taking; it was so marvelous to see that Eden Westside was filled to capacity in both services while other states are still paralyzed by fear of the pandemic.

Following the worship experience, we had lunch with Brother Jacky and Mrs.



Dr. Jackie Connel of West Eden Baptist Church preaches the Word at a service in Haiti in 2018.

Denise and Brother Scotty and Christina, and we spent the rest of the day briefing them on the general situation in Haiti. Brother Jacky and his wife Mrs. Denise are in very good shape following their sickness with COVID. We praise God for what He is doing in Pell City. He is Jehovah Rapha! He is still in the business of restoring us when our health is going downhill.

Later that Sunday evening, we were picked up by our great friend Pastor Lamar Lyon who drove us from Pell City to Birmingham there we attended a solemn Christmas concert at Glenn Iris Baptist Church where Pastor Chris Lamb is the Lead Pastor. Following the concert, Dr. Lamb scared us to death when he requested for an interview on a Radio and Television program. There was need for alarm as the interview went smoothly and very well.

The highlight of the trip was to visiting with Mrs. Jane Graham. We shared memories of her late husband, Pastor Donald Graham who was such a great partner to

us in the ministry of the gospel. Everywhere we went in Birmingham, we were presented as a dear friend of Brother Graham.

The first time we welcomed Pastor Don Graham in Port-au-Prince, he was accompanied by Pastor Glenn Bonds. My last night in Clanton was spent with Pastor and Mrs. Glenn Bonds home. We were received with unusual hospitality in the lovely home of Mrs. Bonds. The reception was warm and the food delicious. Special thanks to Pastor Glenn Bonds for going the extra mile to give us a ride all the way to Atlanta. The trip was worthwhile to see our great partners we have not seen during the last three years because of Covid-19 and the exiting political and social situation on the field.

Finally we just want to say thank you to all our long time friends and faithful partners in the ministry of the gospel. Claudia and I are so thankful and appreciative for all your acts of kindness toward us. Thank you for your constant prayers and your ongoing financial support, thanks to you: the blind see, the lame walk and the good news is being preached to the poor.

Be assured of our prayers for you as we look forward to hearing from you

Warmly in Christ

Yvon & Claudie

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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)







Hans Ely Boyer



**Juvenson Calix** 



**Kervens Rchonaud** 



**Livinson Morsey** 



Wenson Alphonse

### 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 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



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."

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 <a href="mailto:jackspaulding@hughes.net">jackspaulding@hughes.net</a>, 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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