

Global Christian Mission Outreach

The Haiti Christian Congregations of Delmas 75, Carrefour, Fonfrede, Cambry, Saut-D'eau, Jeremie & Tom Gato GCMO-Haiti.org — October 2023

Dear Coworkers in Christ:

Special greetings in Christ Jesus, the Author and the Finisher of our faith,

We are so grateful for faithful friends like you who stand with us in the work of the gospel during these perilous times. It was really reassuring to know we are not in this thing alone but you have our back, pleading for us day and night before God. God has certainly heard your plea. His name is Faithful and True. He will not abandon us even when all hell turns loose. He surely will keep His precious promise,

"When thou passes through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee: when thou walkest through the fire thou shall not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle up

through the fire, thou shall not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle upon thee. For I am the Lord thy God, the Holy One of Israel, thy savior: I gave Egypt for thy ransom, Ethiopia and Seba for thee. Since thou wast precious in my sight, thou hast been honourable, and I have

loved thee: therefore will I give men for thee, and people for thy life." (Isaiah 43:2-4 KJV)



We were so glad to be back in the field. We felt compel to be in the place we called to serve. As you know the general situation of the country has worsened. We first stopped in Cap Haitian where all seemed safe and somewhat stable. We visited with our friends Bill and Sandy in Savanne Carre. Sandy was doing even better than we expected after several weeks of chemotherapy. Her radiant countenance and joyful face are a great testimony of her unweaving Christian faith and character.

Yvon & Claudie Selin

Mission Bonberge at Milo Then we spent some times in Milot where we exhorted our brothers and sisters to stand for the faith which was once for all entrusted to us.

Furthermore, we went to Grand-Pre where we visited our colleague, Pastor Blaise from Grand-Pre Baptist Church. We visited this place several times to translate for Dr. Don Graham. But this time, I was the preacher. We encouraged our brothers and sisters in Christ to maintain high and tall the banner of our faith. We preached from the book of Habakkuk, 'When Faith in God Doesn't Make Sense, We Still Trust Him.' We have learned to trust Him when our little world is scrambling around us. We have learned to trust Him when the resources are failing,

and the fig tree and olive tree are missing. We have learned to trust Him when the banks are going bankrupt and the economy is in recession. We have learned to trust Him when we lose our home and have no place to turn. Therefore the just shall live by faith.

Special thanks to Bill and Sandy Younger for their gracious hospitality and for putting the mission resources at our disposal. Thank you to Toto and to Christian who took us around Cap Haitian and elsewhere. Thank you for Foufoune who has worked tirelessly to cook our meals day after day. We were right at home in the peaceful atmosphere of Milot. We really enjoyed it. We will surely come back.

From Cap Haitian, we flew to Port-au-Prince and from Port-au-Prince to Les Cayes where we stayed for over a month. Pastor Kelly as well as Baby were already waiting in the little airport at Les Cayes. The welcome was warm and touching. We rode a motorcycle and crossed the river to get to Christville.

Upon arrival at Christville Tamar, Pastor Kelly's wife gave a warm welcome and then led us to the table where she served a delicious meal. On Sunday the Place was filled. The worship was uplifting. The people were eager to listen to the Word. What an experience! Christville Christian Church has grown a whole lot and the Lord keeps adding each day to His Church those who are being saved.

The month went by pretty quickly. We usually get up at 6:00am; we did our personal





devotion and then getting ready for the school devotion at 8:00am.

We shared each morning a brief presentation of the gospel to the school boys and girls. We shared with them the testimony of our life. How we encountered Jesus

Christ on our Damascus road. We taught them some new songs and we prayed together. The school too is doing exceedingly great. Our school ranked one of the best of the South Metropolis. We have a one hundred per cent success this year on official state exam. Our school is growing a whole lot. We continue to serve a hot meal every day to our school thanks to the generous giving of our steadfast supporters and our brothers and sisters of Main Street Christian Church.

As we are writing this note preparation is underway to have a complete third cycle school. We appreciate the support of Master's Hands Ministry in this regard. We took this opportunity to thank Master's Hands for their ongoing support to the School. The last six classrooms concrete have been poured. The work has been nicely completed. Christville Christian School is moving forward to accommodate more students for the third cycle this school year.



Second floor rooms at Christville School

Additionally, we did some home visits around Christville, Demion and Nicolas and visited the sick, the shut-ins, and the elderly. We took time to listen to them. The highlight of those visits was to see Brother Larissol Paulin. Brother Paulin was one of the first Elders of Christville. He is now 96 years old. He is kind and gentle but is too feeble and too weak to walk to church. We bring him communion at home most of the time. It is always a delight to sit down and talk to him.

October 1, 2023 was an exceptional event; we joined Dr. Jacky Connell in this worldwide movement of prayer. We mobilized five GCMO congregations to join as well in this unprecedented event: Christville Christian Church, Carrefour Christian Church, Delmas Christian Church, Cesselesse Christian Church and finally Colora Christian Church. In spite of the distance, all these churches though in different geographical areas were brought together in one accord around the following





theme, "If my people which are called by my name, shall humble 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)



Youth In Action Carrefour

We spent the first hour from 5:00pm to 6:00pm in heartfelt worship, and from 6:00pm till 7:00 we cried out to our God. At Christville some of us knelt down; while at Delmas, people brought their sackcloth and fell on their faces. We are now waiting to see what God is about to do after the people of God have prayed so intently and so purposefully in one heart and in one accord.



October 2, 2023 our Annual 40 Day Revival and Prayer in Christville began. The theme this year is taken out of the Epistle of Paul to the Romans Chapter 13: 11-14. We were assigned to preach the first three days of the week upon the theme, "What Time is it in the Prophetic Horloge, in The Clock of God?"

As we were trying to understand the overall contest of Paul's letter, we discovered as Paul said it clearly in no uncertain terms it is surely very late indeed. The night is over and the day is almost here. Meanwhile the church of our

Worship Service at Delmas 75 generation soundly sleeps in debauchery, drunkenness, and sexual immorality. It is high time for us to wake up from our slumberness for our salvation is nearer than when we first believed. The church was packed each night. What an awesome privilege to be the voice of God in such a time like this.



A gang of thieves broke through the concrete block wall surrounding Yvon and Claudie's house and ransacked their home. They had people staying there and praise God, no one was injured and the thieves didn't take anything.

While we preached and worshipped, the forces of darkness were at work tirelessly as well. Bon Repos, the neighborhood where Claudie and I have our house for over three decades, was ransacked by a gang. They burned several cars and destroyed houses along their way. Brother Joel and his wife, Nephtalie with their children: Michaelle, Isaak, and Benjamin, and Andre-Anne fled for their lives.

The gang broke in the walls and got into the house. They turned things upside down and ransacked our belongings. They were fighting to gain more territories. We praise God for watching over His Children. No one was hurt. The gang left the same way they broke in.

We have already made a police report, and the damages were minimal. We sent a mason worker to repair the walls. The situation has lasted about three days. It was a week-end of terror. Now the situation is somehow back to normal and the people are back in the house. We have lived this situation before in November of 1998. The house was ransacked and at that time they carried away all they could. But today all who were involved in that thing are all long gone. The sad reality is that many members of the gangs do not live long enough to see their 25th birthday. The Psalter says it all, "A little while, and the wicked will be no more; though you look for them, they could not be found. But the meek will inherit the land and enjoy peace and prosperity. The wicked plot against the righteous and gnash their teeth at them; but the Lord laughs at the wicked, for He knows their day is coming." (Psalms 37:10-13 NIV)

We still live the same place. We still serve the same God and we still use the same weapon, "For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh: for the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds; casting down imaginations, and everything that exalted itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ."(II Corinthians 10:3-5 KJV)

What an awesome God we serve! We will tell of His awesome greatness wherever we go. Claudie and I are so thankful and appreciative to you for your partnership in the work of the gospel. We love you all and we prayed for you often.

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

Warmly in Christ

Yvon & Claudie Field Director Global Christian Mission Outreach

A Country In Crisis

Haiti's government has spun out of control and lawlessness and anarchy now grip much of the country including the capital city of Port-Au-Prince. Gangs rule the streets, and law enforcement is nowhere to be found. In much of the country, robbery, murder, kidnapping and rape are faced by the members of our congregations and their surrounding communities every day.

It seems the world has turned a blind eye to the plight of the country. Many will testify conditions are worse now than when NATO troops were deployed to restore law following the flight of Aristide in 2004. The only country to respond to Haiti's plight so far is Canada who stated they would invest \$1.8 million to investigate the violence. I'm not hopeful...at the same time; Canada said they would be investing \$44.8 million for climate control in the Caribbean.

I was in Haiti in 2006 and witnessed NATO's machinegun manned two story sandbag emplacements at every major intersection of Port-Au-Prince. I stayed alongside of NATO troops billeted in a third class hotel named The Magic Bud. I saw the people huddled close to the NATO troops for protection.

Haiti needs to restore lawfulness on its own. The problem is being caused by the oligarchy fighting for control of the country. Almost 90 percent of the wealth in Haiti is controlled by 25 families. The various families sponsor the gangs and provide the guns and ammunition to try to win political and financial control for themselves. The evil comes from within.

GCMO applied for aid assistance for members of our congregations and surrounding communities who have been so severely impacted. Many have had their places of employment ransacked and destroyed while others fear to travel to their employment. Unfortunately, our application was considered not to be worthy... understandable considering all the earthquakes and flooding around the world.

We haven't sat idly by. We have designated some money each month to go to those so desperately in need because of the violence. The financial drain on our already stretched finances is rapidly depleting our funds. GCMO is heading toward a financial cliff.

I would appeal to all of our supporters to help with our financial situation. Donations can be made directly to our general fund through our website at: GCMO-Haiti.org. At a time when Haiti is in need of so much help, the violence is forcing out and closing charitable organizations and NGO (Non-Government Organizations) operations.

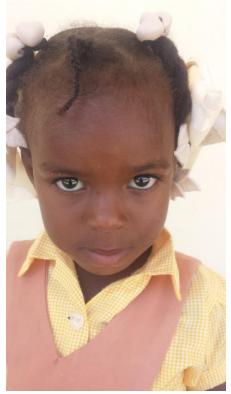
You can also send your checks to GCMO-Attn. Jack Spaulding, 8966 S. 650 W., Milroy, IN 46156. All donations are 501-3 tax deductible and donors will receive a statement at the end of the year for tax purposes.

In Christ's love,
Jack Spaulding
GCMO Forwarding Agent - Chairman of the Board

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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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 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.



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."

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 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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