

NEWSLETTER

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HAITI MISSION TRIP

Our next mission trip will be on November 1-8, 2012. It is not to early to get your deposit in and start preparing for this trip (vaccinations, passports). We had several people who wanted to join this last trip and we did not have enough room in Haiti for them to join us. This also would be a good reason to let

I know many of you are thinking what is a BHAG ? **A Big Hairy Audacious Goal** is a strategic business statement which is created to focus an organization on a single medium-long term organization-wide goal which is audacious, likely to be externally questionable, but not internally regarded as impossible. My friend and Pastor Shane Robertson challenged Project James, Carolina Bays Community Church and Ignite Church to take on this BHAG of having all the children we have documented at Christian Light School sponsored by May 7, 2012. That's right in less than three weeks now to have 113 children with a new sponsor.

As part of our loyal newsletter recipients, prayer partners, financial partners, friends and family the gauntlet has been cast down to reach this BHAG. We pray you will take up the challenge to sponsor a child and advocate to everyone you know to help us reach this goal by May 7. I am going to include a brochure in the newsletter for you to share with at least one friend.

It is \$35.00 a month to help save a child's life which in-



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cludes meals, education, medical care and of course the Gospel.



March 2012 Team Haiti. 18 incredible team members!

HAITI MARCH 2012 REPORT

It is so difficult to put in words especially in this amount of space all the great ministry that happens on these trips. The team painted the third floor, repaired a leaking roof, provided medical care at the school and the tent city in the Ravine, distributed the Peanut Butter balls in the Ravine, loved on many children

and adults, built and installed a screen door on the school kitchen, played basketball and soccer with the children and a community food distribution.

One of my highlights was watching Camden Clark and the young man (Marc) he and his family sponsor, bond over the course of the week. They became

great friends who impacted each other and myself as I watched these two young men grow to respect and love each other. We had a very young team that was a concern going in but after working with and watching how everyone of these members carried themselves it truly was a blessing to work with all.



The team bagging up the food. Rice, cooking oil and spaghetti noodles distributed to supply families with some much needed food.

COMMUNITY FOOD DISTRIBUTION

The community food distribution was in Dessources a small community outside of Port Au Prince at El Shaddai Children's Home and Christian School headed by Marie Prinvil. Marie arranged to pick up rice, spaghetti noodles and cooking oil to distribute in the two villages near her orphanage. The team spent several hours packing gallon sized bags with rice, a package of noo-

dles and cooking oil in a Bilo grocery bag. Which we handed out to over 260 families. Marie explained to us many of these families had not eaten for several days or weeks in some cases. This was a time of heartfelt thanks from many we had the opportunity to share the food with that our team purchased for this project. I know for many of us this was one of the highlights of the

trip. It also was a stark reminder that people are not eating everyday. It was also disturbing to know that we had the funds available to purchase rice and beans but the beans were not readily available even with the funds to purchase. We come from the land of plenty and even with funds could not purchase a much needed staple for a source of protein while in Haiti.

Proverbs 28:27

He who gives to the poor will never want, But he who shuts his eyes will have many curses.

MINISTRY PARTNERS

All Donations made to Project James are Tax deductible per IRS code of a 501(c) (3) organization.

If God lays on your heart to become one of our financial ministry partners please make checks out to Project James and mail to P.O. Box 15312 Surf-

side Beach, SC 29587.

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Our website is
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Thank you all so much!

Please PRAY for Rhonda, Jeff, Project James, Ms. Sherrie, Christian Light School and all the children!



The rice, spaghetti noodles and cooking oil before we packed it for each family.