

The Bower Family

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missionaries to

Haiti

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Jephté Still Waiting For Heart Surgery

Please continue to pray for Pastor Vanier Pierre's son Jephté. Jephté was born with congenital heart defects and needs heart surgery. A humanitarian organization has arranged for the operation at a hospital in the Cayman Islands and a number of people have already graciously given the funds necessary for the operation. But sadly, as soon as everything had come together, the Cayman Islands closed due to COVID restrictions. Jephté has just turned one and continues to have a lot of health issues due to his heart birth defects. Please continue to uphold Pastor Vanier's family and son Jephté in prayer. This has been difficult for them to see one miracle after another take place; the humanitarian organization coordinating the operation, the funds miraculously coming in, passports and all the paperwork completed, only to be told to wait. But they are patiently waiting and trusting the Lord for His perfect timing. They would like to express their gratitude and thanks to all that have contributed and helped to raise the funds for Jephté's surgery. They are asking for your prayers for Jephté's health and that the Lord will open the border of the Cayman Islands so that Jephté can get the surgery he so desperately needs.



Bible Seminar At End Of March

Tim will be returning to Haiti for two weeks. He will be travelling back to Haiti to teach a seminar during the school Easter Break. When we were last in Haiti, we left a very hostile environment. We are hoping upon Tim's return he will see a notable difference. He will have a lot to do during the 2 weeks he will be there. He will be organizing and teaching in a Bible seminar that typically has over 350 people attending. The seminar is a 5 day, 6 hours per day, Bible doctrine conference. Tim will have meetings with the pastors of the three new church plants and get an update on their new ministries. He will have meetings with the directors of all the campus ministries encouraging and exhorting where it is needed. There are also a lot of maintenance issues to deal with including an electrical short in the security system, a float valve to repair in the water cisterns, and a broken-down truck.

(photo from our last seminar - 350 attendees)

Road Work Continues As The Wall Comes Down

The government has been working on a bridge in front of our house for almost a year now. Last spring, they annexed the front part of our property and tore down the security wall on the front part of our campus. This caused a whole slew of security issues and the necessary for a temporary wall made of tin, which we put up immediately. The first phase of the bridge construction is finished, and the second phase is starting. This phase will bring the road up to meet the bridge. The road crew will now take down the rest of our concrete security wall in the front of campus. Not only will the remainder of the wall come down but also the school outhouses and our water distribution building that we use to give purified water to the community. Access to campus will also be restricted because the main entrance to the road will be cut off. While Tim is there he will need to assess and plan for a new entrance so the children and church members can access the church and school easily.

Furlough Travel Plans

Our furlough is coming to an end. We have two big trips yet to come. Lord willing, be going to Canada this June and then out West to Utah and Arizona in mid-July. We will work our way back to Florida and fly into Haiti in August.

Thank you for your prayers and continued support of the ministry in Haiti,

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