

Living Hope Ministries - Haiti

New Year, New Joys



Third Grader's Bible-based Skit



Receiving of Christmas Gifts

For the Christmas season, the primary school classes each prepared and performed a Bible-based skit during the final days of classes before Christmas break. All the children performed spectacularly! The trade school classes had their first trimester exams- theory and practical. In addition to these exams they had a style show, a cooking presentation, and an art presentation. All the students have done very well and we are so proud of all their accomplishments.

As the year came to a close, church members had a big cleaning day and enjoyed fellowship on January 1st after the conclusion of church service. The faithful ones in the new believer's class recently received their own Creole bibles, which will help strengthen their walk with God. They are now learning how to use their bibles and how to understand the references. The leadership training classes have allowed us to learn many things we often take for granted in life such as: colors, seasons, church, how to teach and preach effectively, and our Savior Jesus dying to save us from eternal death.



Sixth grader who is presenting his second year artwork

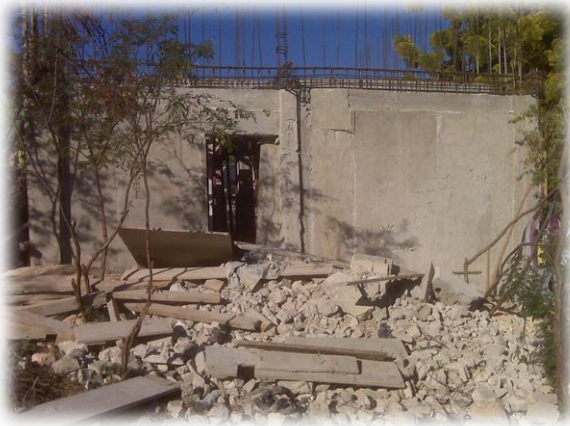


Sewing students line up for the style show

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Cooking school construction underway



Interior view of cooking school construction



Welders working on church benches



January 1st: Church fellowship time

Cooking School Construction

Work on the cooking school lab continues to progress with the foundation, posts, and walls being poured and put in place. The workers are in the midst of framing up the beams, collar, and roof even as I write! In addition, the metal work is being tied and laid in place while the electricity is being placed on the roof. After this process, everything will be poured with concrete and the final masonry work will begin. This will involve the tuck and point (plastering) of the exterior and interior walls.

Construction on the church benches has progressed as well. The welding teachers and students have set up their forms and are cutting the pieces to weld them together for the bench legs and backs. We are really excited about everything that is going on at Living Hope Ministries. The church dedication date is set for May 6th in which all of you are invited to come and attend.

Interested in going on a short-term mission trip to Haiti?

Complete the form below and mail or email it to Living Hope.

I AM INTERESTED IN A SHORT TERM MISSION TRIP

NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE: _____

Choose best time for a visit: (winter, spring, summer or fall) or any special month or date _____

Indicate areas interested in:

_____ Physical labor _____ Skilled labor _____ Non-physical labor _____ Help with Youth Week

_____ Help with VBS _____ Help with Leadership/Pastor's seminar or Teacher's Training seminar

Special opportunities for giving and assisting the mission:

- ❖ The materials for the church benches have been purchased and will soon be delivered
- ❖ Internet hookup into all the elementary classrooms, the church, church office and business classroom \$3,000
- ❖ 2 Lapel Microphones for Speaker and Translator \$1,500
- ❖ Memorial gifts that can be given in the name of a departed loved one

Prayer Requests:

- ❖ Forgiveness for the past and present leaders of Haiti.
- ❖ Wisdom like Solomon and direction like Moses for President Martely Michel and Prime Minister Gary Conille- that they will have a benevolent heart towards their people and nation.
- ❖ That the Congress and leaders of Haiti would work together positively for the development and future of Haiti.
- ❖ Direction, wisdom and discernment for Andris, Mary Jane, the US board members and LHM staff in Haiti.
- ❖ The truth of Jesus Christ to be preached and lived out by the Christians in Haiti.
- ❖ The finances for the ministry in Haiti: that we can continue to move forward for payrolls, needed repairs and improvements.

Please send this completed form to: Living Hope Ministries Haiti, PO Box 28366, Columbus, OH 43228-8366.

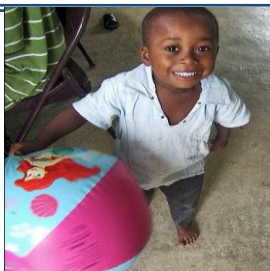
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***Please make all checks payable to Living Hope Ministries in Haiti.**

For any questions, please contact Mark Breeding at (614) 562-8310 or mabread@gmail.com.

Sponsor a Student

Student sponsorship is so important because it provides the children with a hot nutritious meal daily, textbooks and school supplies. Would you be willing to help sponsor one child at \$30 a month, which is only \$1 a day or possibly even two children a month at \$2 a day? There are currently 122 sponsored students out of the 250 currently enrolled. Our prayer is 100% sponsorship. Thank you for your assistance in growing up the next generation in Haiti with a Christian education and vocational training. For more information, contact Mark Gunderson at MLGondo@comcast.net or 734-996-2435.



Gifts of Hope for LHM

**Your Donations will be receipted quarterly.

- 1) Electronic Giving Online at www.livinghopehaiti.org
 - a) Direct payments from a Checking or Savings account (one-time or recurring), or b) Credit Card payments (one-time or recurring)
- 2) Check by mail, made payable to Living Hope Ministries in Haiti. Please note giving category in the memo field.

Giving categories:

- ____ Electricity for Mission
- ____ Primary/Trade School
- ____ Church/Community Projects
- ____ Student Sponsorship (please include child name **and** number)
- ____ Building Fund
- ____ General

***“Thank-You” everyone who contributes or prays for LHM.
You are a blessing to us and you are reaching the people of Haiti with Christ’s love in Action.***



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To train a generation of young
men and women to change their
families, communities, and nation
with the Gospel of Jesus Christ in
Word and Action.



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