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PRAY

"Ask and it will be given unto you."

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Be Part of changing Haiti by Partnering with us. Please click on the link to fill out a Faith Promise.



Please, let us know if you are unable to fulfill your commitment. It is very important so we know how much we still have to raise.

To Fulfill your Commitment

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Other ways to be involved in our Ministry

If you would like to help us in our ministry but you cannot commit to a Faith Promise, you can give a donation to our:

- [Equip #2 Curriculum Fund](#) WMO6-1309. This will enable us to pay for the curriculums, meals for the students/leaders & many other things that will facilitate our Equip seminars

If you are *American*, you can write a check to Global Partners at: **P.O. Box 50434, Indianapolis, IN 46250** and write the project number on it.

If you are *Canadian*, you can write a check to the Wesleyan Church of Canada at: **1830 Mountain Rd, Moncton, NB, E1G 1A9** and write the project number on it.

Time flies! can you believe it? It has already been 4 months since we had the earthquake! However, we will be reaping the consequences years from now. I (Maya) am still nervous whenever i go to bed. I always feel tremors and it often brings me to prayer. The Lord has been faithful in protecting us; just last week, there was a 4.3 that brought few people to hospital. And once again, we were spared and we are most thankful for this blessing. Small aftershocks are now daily events in Haiti. We are constantly under threats for bigger ones, but the Lord has been gracious to spare our nation.

Post quake -Life goes on, but the need is the same. For the next few months, even years, we are embarked on helping to rebuild the Wesleyan churches that have been destroyed or badly damaged. These days, our Mission director is raising support in the US. Carl is responsible to take care of the few projects and teams coming to help. Since we have been back to Haiti, we have received three teams; two of them served in La Gonave. The last one came from Deep Water, a Wesleyan church in Nova Scotia, Canada. We are blessed to have so many people interested in Haiti! Maya and I are especially blessed to be in PAP and have the opportunity to connect with great people from all over North America. We have met doctors, plumbers, Pastors, building contractors, senators, university students, even Global Partners staff (Jon Steppe and Peter Moore were with us for a grand total of three days - it was a busy but fun time). At this point, churches are still meeting under tarps while waiting for a temporary structure to be built. Last Sunday we worshiped with our Petionville Church. Their small rented building was completely destroyed by the quake. They are still meeting on the old church ruins; and it was one of the best worship time we have had in Haiti. What a wonderful thing we have as Christians, that our connection with God isn't tied-up to a place or building; but wherever two or three are gathered He is in the midst of us! I just love Jesus, He is so out of trends.

The guest-house has been really busy. Our day starts between 4 and 5am. Besides the roosters, Zahra usually makes the first call around 4am then down goes the day. Needless to say that we are exhausted by the time dinner is over. Carl & I are a bit overwhelmed with all the work we have and so many areas in our lives are suffering. Between tears & joy, we sat down and decided that if we want to continue the way we are doing, we will have to set boundaries. Our relationship with the Lord needs to be ahead of everything else. It is so easy to get caught in the doing and forget what is most important, the being; and that only takes shape during focused time with the Lord. We admit to you that it has been hard. In the midst of all these, life reminds us of how essential it is to take a pause and reset our priorities. Why are we here? What did God call us to do? Yes we have to be VERY flexible because so many things have changed with the earthquake but we need to keep the balance. All this to say that we are in works just like you and we are encouraged knowing that the Lord is in the midst with us as He promised to be with us to the end.

It takes quite a bit of help to run the Guest-House as it gets so busy... and dusty! :-)) Our white flooring requires a few mop daily! With beds to make, washrooms to clean and two main meals to serve, we had to surround ourselves with three angels. It is our privilege this month to introduce to you our 3 pearls who are a part of our everyday life. They are more than workers; they are family who helps us maintain our guest house as a beautiful haven for teams that are coming to serve in Haiti.

We have Frère Herold (brother Herold). A 52 year old married man - who used to work for Carl's parents when Carl was growing up. He has an 8 year old son named Samuel. Frère Herold is the one making our house shine by cleaning both

Théa (2 years old) & Zahra (7 months)

Théa has been helping me grow a garden. She is so proud to go check on the tomatoes each morning and she makes sure all of our guests see them before they leave. Théa spends most of her day playing outside and chasing our workers around. She is making their work difficult! We need wisdom on the ways to discipline this little toddler. Théa loves Jesus and loves hearing Bible stories, but somehow, we would love that her love for Jesus go to obedience to her parents! Pray for us.

Zahra is growing up. She is 7 months and starting to crawl. She is full of energy. She still naps a few times a day and wakes up REALLY early in the morning... at times, she is even awake before the rooster! Zahra is having a hard time breathing since we are back in Haiti. She has a bad cough that doesn't want to go away. The pediatrician examined her and she thinks she has asthma. Please pray that she will outgrow it.

Bethsaina is 4 years old. It seems that God is opening a door to take her home. Our desire is ultimately to adopt her, but for now, it will be more like a foster child. We are going to spend some time with her in La Gonave on June the 5th & 6th. She has been at the orphanage for the last 2 years.

For more information on helping rebuild Wesleyan Schools & churches, please go to: [Global Partners](#)

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We receive short-term teams in our house in Port au Prince. We would love to have you come!

Prayer Requests

Zahra's condition - that she will outgrow her asthma

Our Field & Area Director Dan & Joy Irvine just lost their adoptive son Marcus following a battle with Leukemia. Pray for their family.

Balance between our Family & Ministry

The good functioning of the Guest-House

Carl's planning for his leadership seminars & an office to work in

Leadership Seminar at the end of May

Pray for discernment & wisdom regarding Bethsaina's adoption

Carl has to do an exam on June 15th; please pray for success

inside and outside. He also takes care of opening the gate for our guests going in and out of the Guest-House.

We also have Sè Darlene (Sister Darlene). A 32 year old married lady -she has two children: an 8 year old daughter & a 7 year old son. She takes care of breakfast, making beds & laundry... and so much more! She has a lot of initiative. She is also great with our girls! Darlene has great potential; our hope is for her to be in charge of the Guest-House one day.

Finally, we have our newly recruited Frè Joassin who is also married and has a toddler. Frè Joassin comes later in the morning and prepares us supper. He is a great cook and keeps the kitchen spotless! Frè Joassin also helps us with gardening.

All 3 employees have something in common, a high standard of cleanliness! Two of them are strong believers and one, we are working on. We are thankful for them and know that they are key to the success of the Guest-House. They are hard working people who often travel two hours each way to and from our house. *Tears run down my face when i think about their job so well done, yet the pennies they are making.* They are the only persons in their family working and they have so many expenses; just schooling for their children cost so much money every month. Our prayers is that we can be an encouragement to them and God's way of making their lives better.



Our Equip Seminars are still in a waiting mode, but not for long. As a matter of fact, at the end of this month, Carl will train a group of *World Relief* workers who in turn will do the seminars for young people. He is also approaching students of the Nazarene Seminary to be trained in this seminar. Pray for a good turn-out!

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[The Post earthquake Reconstruction Plan](#) EN

[The Post earthquake Reconstruction Plan](#) in French -more detailed with graphics

Praises & thank you's

God never ceases to show us His grace - Praise His Holy Name

Our workers, w/o them, we would be lost

Our supporters & teams that shower us with love & gifts & prayers!