

Haitian Christian Ministries August Issue - 2023



Preaching and teaching the Word of God

Planting Churches

Meeting the Physical Needs of the People

Pillatre campus full of activities

Thank you to Pastor Bob for providing this article.

"But the Lord is faithful. He will establish you and guard you against the evil one." 2 Thessalonians 3:3

The indicators are still red in Haiti, but God is still moving in the ministry. The Pillatre campus has been busy with camps and celebrations. We wanted to highlight a few of these opportunities that we are thrilled to host. It takes a lot of coordination to make these events happen. We are grateful to provide these to the youth in Northern Haiti.

Activity 1- A busy, busy summer on Haitian Christian Ministries Campus at Pillatre. After students depart for their short summer break in late July, we were so glad to host "CEMUCHCA music camp 2023" again this year on our Campus for two weeks (July 30-August 13). More than 140 gifted and talented students from everywhere in Haiti gathered to improve their musical skills. This is the second year in a row we have hosted this camp. I am so grateful to our campus staff, kitchen staff, AJECP staff, security, and church staff for their leadership.



Activity 2 - "Coach One for Haiti" (A Leadership Program founded by our Field Director Past. Bob) celebrated on July 29th the graduation of their fourth cohort 2022-2023, baptized "Kofi Annan" under the auspices of Haitian Christian Ministries. As the saying goes said "If you give a man a fish, you feed him for a day. If you teach a man to fish, you feed him for a lifetime." Looking forward to meeting our 5th Cohort & in September 2023.

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Activity 3 - More than a dozen teens from Pillatre, Lory and Haut Dehene Christian Church attended the "2023 Dance Summer Camp with YWAM CAP-HAITI". This one week of training and dancing was AMAZING. YWAM - *Youth With A Mission* is an international volunteer missions movement of Christians from many backgrounds, cultures and traditions, dedicated to serving Jesus throughout the world. Their purpose is simply to know God and to make Him known.



Please pray for:

- Please pray for a peaceful school year as the kids from the short break are getting ready to enter school the first week of September.
- Pray for HCM staff and churches.
- Pray for a fruitful HCM board meeting in Bloomington as Pastor Bob will be attending in person. Then he will fly to Savannah, Georgia for a leadership conference. His son will be joining him on this trip.
- Pray for a safe trip as Pastor Jim from Colorado is traveling to Haiti for an annual leadership training with the HCM leaders and other theology students.