

## The GSM Christmas Ministry 2023

Miraculous is the best way to describe it. Haiti is a country in complete disarray. Yet the Lord answered your prayers. We shipped our Christmas container and got it onto our compound at Milot with incredible ease and speed. Nothing was lost. And a small Christmas team went in on Dec 14th and was able to share all of your gifts. We also shared 50 lb bags of rice for our worker's families, 70 Hope buckets, and best of all, the wonderful Gospel of Christmas. It is said that a picture is worth a thousand words. So here are some pictures that will tell the story. Thank you for enabling us to have another great year sharing *"The Hope of Christmas"* ...



# **Savane Carree Medical Clinic**

Our medical Clinic in Savane Carree has been in operation for 2 1/2 years. And we want you to know how things are going. Despite our high hopes, there have been some problems. Some clinic staff have been using the operation for personal profit at the expense of community service. Sometimes it is hard for us to know this is happening. Nevertheless, we have become aware of some improprieties. This has also affected the community's feelings toward the clinic. So after great and prayerful consideration we believed it best to temporarily close the clinic. And the clinic was closed on January 1, 2024. For various reasons, the clinic will remain closed for several months, perhaps up to a year. However our plan is to reopen the clinic at the right time, wiser, and with new staff. Please be in prayer with us as we work through this situation.

### **Prayer Calendar**

Load & Ship Biclaire High School Building from AL Medical Team for our students Maintenance & Repair Team Concrete Team for Biclaire High School slab Biclaire High School Construction Team Campus Life Revival Team - Feb 12 - Feb 15 - 22 - Mar 5 - 12 - Mar 19 - 26 - May 2 - 9 - May 14 - 21



#### **Update: A Truck for Christian**

At press time we have \$16,100.00 given toward our goal of \$38,000.00 for a work truck for Christian. Christian's work involves a tremendous amount of traveling between our 3 compounds, his home, and the business center of Cap Haitien. We need to provide a good vehicle for him to use. Our experience has been that the shipping, duty tax, breakdowns (*a safety issue*) and repairs for a used vehicle have not been cost effective. A new small pickup truck can be bought in Haiti for around \$38,000.00 USD. Please give this your prayerful consideration.



### The Work of GSM

Your support is the means by which GSM is able to provide Christian Education to over 1600 children in grades 1-12, support our Haitian staff of over 160 workers, support our American missionaries, continue the medical care we provide for our staff and students, and continue sharing the Gospel in a multitude of ways. Pray for us. Contact us any time ...

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