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We haven't secured our water source yet at the Savane Carree Medical Dormitory/Mission House, and Bill needed a supply of water for general use. Two young Haitian girls brought the water from our other well on the property - nearly 300 yards away. The 2 girls used 5 gallon buckets to fill our 100 gallon barrel. The buckets were full to the brim - about 40 lbs of water - carried by the young girls that might have weighed 75 pounds. They worked tirelessly all day and were glad to make a little extra money for their families.



GSM: ▶ providing Christian Education and Discipleship to over 1600 Haitian children in Milot, Biclair, and Savane Carree..
▶ changing a nation by changing hearts - one child at a time.

“Go ye therefore ...”

“be devoted to prayer” - Romans 12:12

- Bill is having difficulty securing the water supply for the Medical Dormitory/Mission House at Savane Carree. The earth is rocky on the surface and down deep, and the few drillers that are available in Haiti are reluctant to drill. Keep him & Sandy in your prayers as they work to resolve the situation.
- we have a target date of February 2017 for the doctors group we have been working with to come to Savane Carree to initiate some work and as they say, “*test the waters*” a bit. There is much to do to have the dormitory ready for people to live in by then. Pray for Bill & Sandy as they continue working to get the facilities ready. And pray that God will supply the needed work teams to help get everything ready.
- pray every day for Bill & Sandy as they continue to oversee and manage the diverse and daily activities and problems of the ministry. It can be a bit daunting at time.
- keep Aimee in your prayers. One of our Medical Team doctors took some of her blood work home to test. Indications are she does not have Sickle Cell Anemia. And the Typhoid Fever is under control too. Thank God and continue to pray.



The Shepherd's Care Project

The Situation

In February of 2017 we hope to have the doctors group we have been working with come to Savane Carre to initiate some work and, as they say, "test the waters". We have made great progress on the facilities, but they are not quite ready to house people at this time. Also, we want to get the old mission house down by the church building remodeled and suitable for use as a temporary clinic. And finally, the doors on the sanctuary have to be replaced. We will likely use the three class rooms in the sanctuary as a screening area and perhaps a pharmacy until the more permanent facilities are established.

The Summons

We are praying that God would call skilled workers to come to Haiti and help Bill & Sandy get everything ready for this next step in *The Shepherd's Care Project*.

The Need

We need several skilled carpentry/general construction teams of 2 to 5 people between September 17 and October 25.

Your Response

Contact **Lamar** if you need more information, or to make plans to go. Or perhaps you could scholarship a worker. And pastor's, please encourage your church family to consider whether God may be calling some of them to help ...

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