

Please Pray for

Keith Phelps

Director of Africa

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Say not ye, There are yet four months, and then cometh harvest? behold, I say unto you, Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest" John 4:35

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We want to thank you so much for your prayers & monetary support for our recent mission trip on Aug 26th— Sept 3rd to Dominican Republic. We had a great trip! It was a blessing to travel &work again with Brother Joe Hendricks, & 4 other men that went with us on this trip; Elijah Gentry, Caleb Wheeler, Tim Hartley & Scott Barlow. Our main purpose of this trip was to help get the construction of the new church building underway for national pastor, David Jean & to have some special services at some local churches nightly. We mainly worked with Haitians that have migrated to Dominican from Haiti. It was a blessing to have our main FBHM missionary from Haiti, Pastor Iliobert Destine, to come across the border to help organize all of the meetings there & do most of our interpreting, along with our FBHM Haitian pastor there in Dominican Republic, David Jean! We arrived to our destination on Sat. afternoon on Aug 26th. The following day on Sun. morning, our team split up & we had 2 different services in 2 different locations & we also had 2 different services in 2 different locations on Sun. evening!

We teamed up with some local laborers & some local church members to assist in getting as much work done as possible on the new church building for the days we were there. By God's Grace, most of all the main walls were put up (along with a block septic tank & a block water cistern) & they were making plans for the roof when we left! Even through there was a language barrier between us Americans and the local laborers, the Lord really united us together to get the job done, just like Nehemiah getting the Walls of Jerusalem rebuilt for God's Glory!

In the place we are building the new church building, there is a lot adjacent to the church that came up for sale the week we were there. After much prayer & seeking God's guidance & provision, the Lord graciously provided the funds to purchase that much needed lot beside the new church building! Praise God for His provisions! Now the church has room for growth in the future & room for special activities outside!

Our special services each night went good also. Everyone with us, had as opportunity to preach & many of them also sang special songs! On Thurs, night, Pastor Destine prayed with one young man to accept Christ as his Saviour! Hallelujah! We were also able to carry in our suitcase many of the Creole BTCP books that were needed for the Local Creole BTCP schools to help train pastors that we helped get started last April!

It truly was a great trip & we praise God for His protection & His provisions that allows us to go! By God's grace, we are already planning to go back in December of this year to participate in a special Dedication service for this church building that God has provided! Thank you again for your faithful support!

God Bless,

P.S. I am also enclosing a few pictures of this trip! If your church would like for me to come by and give a short video presentation on this trip, be happy too! Please contact me at: 828-244-2013 or keithinncusa@gmail.com.