



... providing the spiritual, educational, and physical needs of the village of LeFond, Haiti.

**HURRICANE UPDATE!** We are so thankful that our mission was spared from the catastrophic loss that so many areas of Haiti received during Hurricane Matthew. Two homes were lost, our gutter system was lost, the pastor lost four goats, and one family lost their donkey. The critical need is for food. All of the vegetation was lost throughout most of Haiti so the lack of food and clean water is taking a toll – causing sickness and loss of life (on top of the lives that were lost during the hurricane). We have filled our reservoir with clean water and are hopeful that cholera will not become a problem for our village. We have a crew going to the mission next month and hope to raise enough money to buy 150 large bags of rice (50 lbs. each) to give to each family that attends our school and church. A bag of rice with cooking oil costs \$50. No matter how much money we receive for rice, more or less of our goal, we will distribute it evenly among our village. We want to share God's love by serving the needs of our people ... spiritual, educational and physical. If you want to help us do what God has called us to do, please make a donation on our website or mail a check to us before November 5.

We want to thank the generous individuals and churches who have already donated towards our Rice Fund and Water Fund. It costs us \$150 per month to keep clean drinking water in our reservoir and this is vital to the health of our village.

**OUR TEACHERS:** Our teachers are proudly wearing new uniforms this year. They attended their annual seminar to stay current on new methods for teaching our children. We are glad to have them as part of our mission staff.

**CHRISTMAS IN HAITI:** Thanks to the Dakota Watch Company, we are giving each child in our school a new watch for Christmas. They are providing them for \$5 each and will be treasured by our children. If you can help us with the cost of these watches, you can mail a check or donate via our website. We will also be doing a Christmas Pageant next month and will be posting pictures soon after we return.



A home needing repair



Lunch Time



Life-saving rice



Our teachers in uniforms



Christmas Watch

**A CHILD NEEDS YOU:** If you would like to help support a child's education in Haiti, the cost is \$20 per month. We will send you a t-shirt and photo so you can share your support proudly! If interested, please contact Teresa Bowlin (513-829-9751) or email us at [servantshearhaitimission@yahoo.com](mailto:servantshearhaitimission@yahoo.com). Payments can be mailed or made on our website via PayPal. You can also choose to pay several months at a time or yearly – your choice. Please pray about this opportunity to make a difference in the life of a child. Your sponsorship pays for mission salaries (Haitian), building maintenance, school uniforms, daily lunches and school supplies.

#### MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

**Haiti Presentation, Sunday, October 23, 10:45 a.m., at Elmwood Wesleyan Church:** Everyone is welcome! The church is located at 309 Linden Street, Cincinnati, OH 45216.

**Western Day, Sunday, October 30, 10:30 a.m., at Winton Road First Church of God:** Everyone is welcome! Dress like a cowboy/cowgirl, hillbilly, etc., and enjoy FREE Skyline Coneys after the morning service. We will be taking a love offering for our rice giveaway during our May/June trip in 2017. The church is located at 6200 Winton Road, Fairfield, OH 45014.

**Mike's Car Wash Coupons:** We will be selling Mike's Car Wash Coupons again this December in support of our 2017 Haiti Crew. Plan to buy enough to last you all next year! Our discounted price is \$7 per coupon/wash. They do not expire and you can use them for yourself, for gifts, or tips!

*"And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." Colossians 3:17.*