

We have buildings on order and they are in fabrication. Not sure yet how to get the one into Port-au-Prince. The one for our use here will ship out of Miami for Port-de-Paix. It would be nice if it makes this boat but that would take some help from God.

We are trying to get a new generator for the hospital 16 miles from us. The missionaries turned it over and they are doing a great job with the hospital but no one has money to replace a generator as long as it is still working and the last one still is, barely. Places that we would get generators from are having to order them from Europe so you know how long that takes.

Here we are working on the projects we were already working on to help with agriculture and see that they are even more important at the moment. Trying to increase food production in the next 12 months for all the people here plus the ones who have showed up all of the sudden. Have two churches to finish and trying to do that in the meantime.

There is supposed to be help coming into the country. I would ask for prayer that we could get some of it for the people here, particularly for drinking water and food production. We are also at the moment trying to get a diesel generator welder for the mission compound in Port-au-Prince and one for here and so far have not found the right door to knock on. That is also a prayer request.

We have a team of a father and two sons who came in through the back door and are redoing the roof on the house that we use for visitors. I knew it was bad but it is only when you take it off that you see how really bad it is. That is a real help. We are also working on getting another load of supplies from the cruise ships to here. Takes a lot of time and coordination to get it flown over but the supply houses in Port-au-Prince are rubble and there are more people than usual hurt. I don't normally do this but these are not normal times.

I have not been called to Port-au-Prince where the worst damage is. They seem to have plenty of help down there as all want to come right now when the cameras are there. I do not know how it will be after or if God is keeping me out here rested up for something else.

They announced that school everywhere that had a building should restart today. One of my guys said he would send his children to school in a tin roof school but not to the concrete roof schools in Port-de-Paix. People are all the sudden looking at the buildings (and the new cracks) out in the provinces and realizing that many of them are and always were structural hazards and they are scared.

Thank you for your prayers and support. It is OK to send the funds on to the mission and we will work with them out of there.

In Christ,
Bruce