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Life Update

We have had a wonderful year here in KY. In December we were blessed to be able to purchase our own home in Georgetown, KY just minutes from where we were renting and convenient to both of our jobs.

We have been very involved with church activities including small group, worship ministry and mission committee.

Haiti is constantly on our hearts while we are here and we have been working on a church/community partnership through our church and Versailles, KY with Mayette, Haiti. There is more information on this within the newsletter.



Haiti Neighbors Project

The neighbors project is a way for a church/community in the United States to partner with a church/community in Haiti. This project for our church began on our trip last year when we started a relationship with the community of Mayette, Haiti and their church and Pastor Daniel. Not only is this partnership with a city in Haiti but it has also brought two churches within the city of Versailles into very close partnership, which has been an amazing blessing! During Christmas this year our church had an Offering of Hope, which combined with funds raised from the other Versailles church will be enough to assist the church in Mayette to lay a foundation for a new church building. The members of the Mayette church will contribute what they can in materials and labor to take ownership in this project. This will be a primary focus of our trip this summer.



Trip Details

July 1-11

Mayette Neighbors Project through Northwest
Haiti Christian Mission

July 11-18

La Pointe, Haiti and Jacmel, Haiti
Water filtration installation in near Jacmel



Church Building Project

As previously mentioned, one major focus will be pouring the foundation for the new church building in Mayette. The church will be built in phases allowing the Haitian church to prepare materials in between our trips. This will be the first of many trips to help in building this church.



Weddings

We are privileged this trip to be able to partner with Diane Cornelius of Ruth's Bridal Shop in Lexington, KY. Diane has been travelling to Haiti for a few years and helping couples fulfill their desires to become a married couple, which will then allow them to participate fully in church activities. As a part of the Neighbor's project we will be able to provide this service to several couples in the Mayette Community.

Related Wedding Needs:

Men's suits sizes:

Coats – 36 – 40 short or regular
waist 28-30

Shirts – 15.5-16.5/32-34

Shoes – black or brown sizes 9-11

If you have any of this to donate please contact me.
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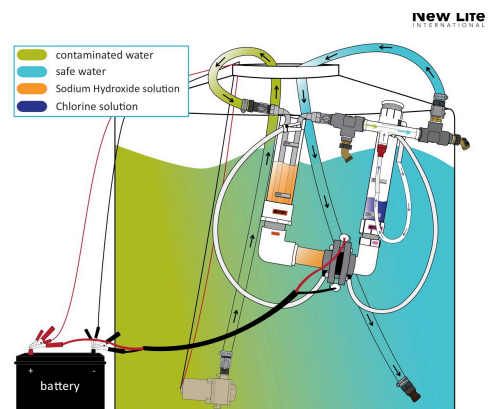


Water Purification Project in Lavalee, Haiti

Something we have wanted to do for a long time is work on water purification projects. After making contact with an organization while at the International Conference on Missions this Fall, we were blessed to receive a purification system donated to us to install in Haiti.

We have chosen to install the system in Lavalee, which is a small rural town just outside of Jacmel in Southern Haiti. This is the town where Rolgard's family lives and they will be the ones left in charge of running the system when we leave.

We would like to thank New Life International for the donation of the system and encourage you to check them out on the web:
www.waterfortheworld.com



How You Can Help

1. **Prayerfully** - Please pray for our trip this summer that God would be glorified in all that we are doing and that His will is done.
2. **Financially** - The trip will cost around 2,000 for each of us. If you would like to help financially please make out checks to Woodford Community Christian Church and send them to us at:
 115 Lovett Park
 Georgetown, KY 40324
3. **Give online:** www.nwhcm.org - click on "give" > "mission trips" and specify "Rolgard and Erin Casimir" in the notes box.

