

Lighthouse of Hope

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Church Planting
Children's Home Ministry

Hello Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

It is always great to be able to update you with the good things the Lord is doing in Guyana. The Lord is good...ALL THE TIME...the Lord is so good! We have been seeing steady growth numerically and spiritually. Every week we go out soul winning and visitation. We are seeing people get saved, sick people encouraged and strengthened, people of other faiths be challenged in good conversation that leads them to conversion to the Truth of Jesus Christ! Hallelujah! Day by day, little by little, we are seeing God move mountains! I am reminded in Matthew 17:20 "...If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence unto yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you."

In early January we had another Medical Evangelistic Outreach for our village and the communities around us. We were able to reach 4 other villages besides our own. Over 800 people came through the clinics and 359 got saved! Several of them have started coming to our church, and we are still following up with many of them. This keeps us busy in visitation!

January, our "baby" church did their first project financially and physically on their own. We needed to concrete our one Sunday School area and Junior Church area because it was all sand. We also wanted a wall built on the one side of our sanctuary. We put it out before the congregation on a Sunday evening (thinking it may take a few weeks, perhaps months to get all the monies together); that same Sunday evening service the money came in; Monday, we bought the supplies; Tuesday, men and teen boys from church came and got it done! Praise the Lord!

Below: Dr. Waller and his medical team who came early January to help us in our Medical/Evangelistic Community Outreach.



Below: Several of our church folk who helped mix and lay concrete in our Junior Church area.



Jan- Feb
2016
Bi-Monthly Update

- ☺ Home Sending Church:
First Baptist Church
of Ocoee
106 Ohio Street
Ocoee, FL 34761
(407) 656-2548
Pastor: George Harris
- ☺ Sending Mission Board:
Baptist Missions to
Forgotten Peoples
(BMFP)
P.O. Box 37043
Jacksonville, FL 32236

Below: Saturday Bible Kids Club...we've been averaging in the 40's. These children bless our hearts!



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Bushy Park, E.B.E.
Guyana, South America

Church on Sunday mornings is ranging from high 90's to low 100's; Sunday evenings and Wednesdays its been 65-75; with the all time high for a Wednesday being 131 last week! We are in process of making more pews, to match the ones we have, thanks to Victory Baptist Church in Hanover, PA! The ones we have now seat 85 comfortably, and they are usually full most times having to add chairs many times. Praise God!

We have two students enrolled in our Bible Institute right here at the church. Bro Andy and Bro Rovin are studying to be Pastors. They have surrendered to the call and their wives support them! Pray for them as they follow the Lord in this decision.

We have many who are getting saved, and baptized, and stepping up to serve the Lord within our church in many ways: from planting plants, to watering plants, to cleaning the church grounds, to nursery workers for all 3 services, Sunday School teachers, Junior Church workers, helping at Kids Bible Club, soul winning, Bible Studies, etc. Harbour Light Baptist Church is going full throttle and we are enjoying it! Praise the Lord!

****Don't forget to look at your calendar and plan an individual or a church wide mission trip to Guyana. Whatever your gifts and talents are, God can use them to help in the Church or Children's Home. If interested please contact us asap. So far we have 4 scheduled, and possibly a 5th, for this year 2016! But we have room for many more!**

Prayer Requests and Praises

PRAYER REQUESTS: ****A single person or a married couple/family to help teach many of the people of our church to read, so they can understand Gods Word better. Contact us for details if interested. It can be a summer program, or a one year term, or even a crash course of maybe 6 weeks if the right person would know how to accomplish this. **For a man in our church also named Ray who has a very bad case of skin cancer on his nose. All he can afford to do is trust God for a healing. Our God CAN do it! **For a lady in our church named Semindra to be healed of a swollen left leg twice the size of her right leg. Doctors cant find the problem for over a month now. **For a group of Jehovah Witnesses to get saved that are continually bothering several of our church folks. Our people have been coming to us on how to handle them because they wont stop coming by. However, its been a blessing to see how this has helped our people grow closer to the Truth themselves through it.**

PRAISES: ****For all our gracious supporters who support us monthly and for those who give above and beyond. We appreciate you! **For the many salvation and baptism decisions** For all the wisdom, safety and protection God so graciously supplies!**

In closing, we praise the Lord for you and we want to thank you for all you do for us in prayers and support. It takes time to pray for us and finances to contribute in our ministry, and we couldn't be here without either. We appreciate that more than words can express! Please know that we love you and are praying for you too! We pray God continues to bless you richly as you also serve Him wherever you are called to be!

Serving Jesus Together,

Bro. Ray and Kim Boltz
Proverbs 3:5-7

Below: This is 14 year old Micheal who Kim is teaching to read. He has never been to school a day in his life but has excellent skills. He desperately wants to read!

