



CHALLENGE

OFCB (l'Organisation de la Force Chrétienne de Bayonnais) Newsletter

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Breaking Bread

Yes! We're doing it again!
Two locations this month!
Come share this opportunity to network with Pastor Actionnel Fleurisma, Kenold Decimus, sponsors and others who are interested in lifting students out of poverty through education.



Breaking Word at South Mecklenburg Presbyterian Church

April 11 at 7:00-8:00 PM

Location: SMPC Chapel
(on the right side of the circle at the end of the main driveway)

First Presbyterian Myrtle Beach

April 7

Unable to make the event in Charlotte? Come see us in South Carolina — bring a friend!

Scholarship Events in April

Light of Christ UMC: April 3 and April 10

Sardis Presbyterian Church: April 10

MISSION MOMENT: Eye Clinic in Haiti

We are continuing to do amazing things in Bayonnais, Haiti. Three Church groups traveled together in January to administer over 2,000 eye screenings of adults and children. Of those 2,000 tested, 573 were referred to FMBC's optical professionals for further technical exams. Of those receiving prescriptions, 135 received pairs of glasses. Additional prescriptions are being filled in Charlotte and will be sent to OFCB with another visiting group. All Haitians who participated in the eye clinic received a quart baggie with items such as toothpaste, toothbrush, comb, washcloth, soap, etc. These items were purchased or donated by people from the three churches and were assembled before the trip.

If you are interested in joining a mission team in Bayonnais, Haiti, contact David Nichols at david5cents@aol.com.



Integrity Plus

by Actionnel Fleurisma

For the last 18 months or so, I have been less active, very reserved and have been thinking differently and doing things differently than I did some years ago. One may well say that it is normal since I just turned 52 on the 10th of February. That might be very much true. But, the social and political environment I am living in has certainly a lot to do with it.

Over time I have been asked if I would run for political office. But, my response to them is this: "Nobody would vote for me. If by any accident I got elected, I would have been in my own world by myself. Actually it looks like nobody in the Haiti political World at this time in our history would cooperate with any political Party by the name: Integrity Plus"

In fact, if today had been 1993, it seems that OFCB would have been called INTEGRITY PLUS. Too late now to change the name of the Ministry.

Our new way of living and doing things has nothing to do with aging at all. I believe it has a lot to do with living in an environment/community where people are fleeing to another country to find work, where politics have become a monetary game, where inflation is continuing to rise, and where people can't find food or water to drink. The corruption since 1804 has been the cause of this in Haiti. What if the education system caused this corruption and results in the way people act and feel?

"Righteousness raises up a nation. But, sin is a disgrace to any people." Proverbs 14:34

We need integrity, values, characters, morality and ethics in this country and in our education system. Our 2,500 girls and boys in Zoranger, Nicolas and Cathor are being taught just this. Thanks and gratefulness to World of God, Friends of OFCB, and our over 500 sponsors

through World of God and to every church congregation for holding our arms up to keep on teaching and preaching what our society needs to put into practice. The work has become more and more challenging, but you as our sponsors and supporters have become stronger.

So, let's keep moving forward and rescue one at a time and thank you so very much on behalf of all Bayonnais and OFCB ministries for all you have been doing.

Upcoming Mission Trips

Light of Christ UMC
April 27 - May 2, 2016

First Presbyterian Charlotte
May 12-17, 2016

Lake Norman Baptist Church
May 19-25, 2016

AVAILABLE FOR MISSION TRIP
May 31- June 7, 2016



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