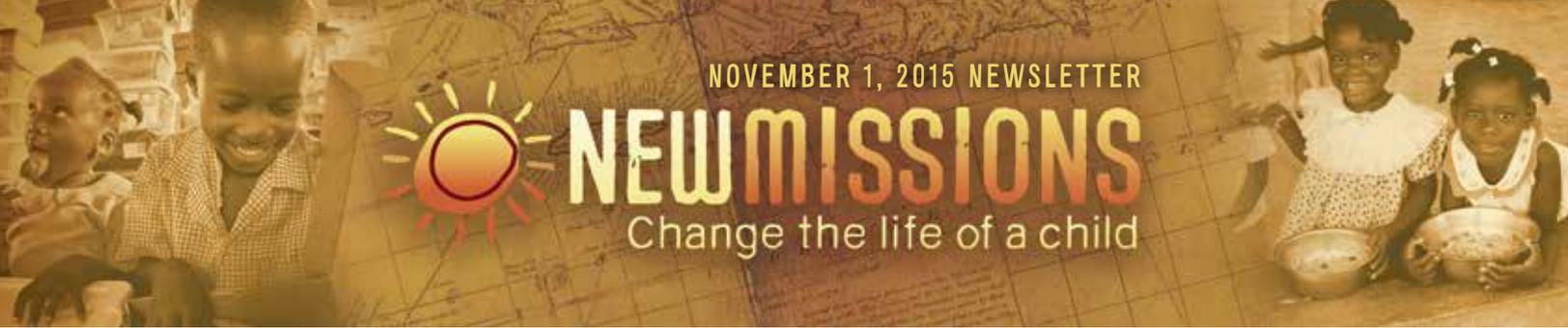




NEW MISSIONS

Change the life of a child



FEEDING THE CHILDREN IN HAITI

This fall, I spent some extra time visiting different food dealers looking at food products and the prices to feed our 8,500 school children in Haiti. I was looking to provide other grains besides rice for the school meal. I value my food contacts highly. When buying in bulk, the price is critical, as thousands of dollars can be saved. New Missions was also able to purchase dried fish, garlic, and tomato paste to add to our school food, and we buy vegetables throughout the school year. Altogether, nine truckloads of food were delivered to our mission in September. We thank God for our new warehouses to store this food. We thank God for our donors who make this mission possible!

Feeding the children is vital to the success of our mission. The school lunch may be the only meal of the day for the Haitian child. Visiting a Haitian school will change your perspective on the world. Our schools are a positive impact upon the children. A devotional is given at the start of the school day, and before long...the school bell rings and it's time for a hot lunch.

~Charlie DeTellis



Recently, food trucks delivered 66 tons of rice! The rice delivery came in 2,400 sacks, each weighing 55 pounds.



Middle: In less than two months, all of this rice will be consumed by our school children.

Bottom left: Dry, salted and smoked herring, tomato paste, and garlic are in our warehouse and ready for feeding our school children.

Bottom right: Glory to God! Our students are growing healthy and strong thanks to your giving. Goodbye hunger, hello hope!



MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

New Middle Schools: Our vision is to raise a generation of Christian leaders. Through our Christian schools, we are fulfilling this vision. This year, we now have eight middle schools in Haiti located in: Neply, Mare-Chal, Masson, Leogane, Tom Gateau, Signeau, Vieux Court, and Fond-Jacques. These middle schools welcome students in 7th and 8th grade who are advancing from our primary schools. Our middle schools are strategically located in the villages where the students live so they do not have a long commute.



Bless our Teachers: This school year, we have a record number of 453 teachers working at New Missions. Our teachers are on the front row of seeing lives changed. Did you know we collect shoebox gifts for our teachers? We want to bless them this Christmas with a special shoebox filled with items they can enjoy and share with their families. Visit www.BlessATeacher.com for packing ideas. Our collection for shoebox gifts runs through December 31, so you have plenty of time to participate.



Leadership in Haiti: In the village of Concrab, our school teachers and school director recently met for a planning meeting. Through chapel services and daily Bible classes, spiritual development is at the core of what we do through our schools. We are thankful for the leadership in each of our schools at New Missions—as they serve the children and families in Haiti and the Dominican Republic. Our churches and schools are led and run entirely by Haitians and Dominicans who live locally. Please remember our pastors and teachers in your prayers.



Construction Continues: As we near the end of 2015, our church and school construction is not slowing down. This year, we have built five new churches located in Darbonne, Decouze, L'Acuil, Mathieu and Santo. Four more locations are on the horizon as soon as funding is raised. For New Missions, the local church is at the center of everything we do when it comes to serving children and families. Thank you for your generosity as we continue to build more churches and schools—changing lives forever by the Gospel message.





SHARING MY CRACKERS

Last month, I spent a week with my mother, who is 95 years old. She told me a story from her time in Haiti. “I was in church and many children were sitting very close to me. I only had a few crackers with me. But, as I gave one child a cracker, they quickly shared that cracker with the next child.”

I am telling you this story about the crackers because when you send your child a Christmas shoebox, this is exactly what happens. The items inside the box are not selfishly kept just for your sponsored child, but the child shares the contents with the whole family. Sharing in Haiti is their culture and their means of survival. Their mindset is, “I share with you today and tomorrow you will share with me.”

In a village setting, when one family is eating and they know another family has no food, they share. They know this is an investment of provision that will come back to them when they are in need.

I encourage you to have great joy in your heart this holiday season to bless your child with the gift of a Christmas shoebox so there are enough crackers for all.

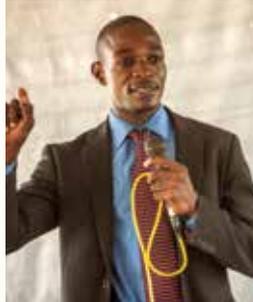
~Jeanne DeTellis O'Connor

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SHOEBOX DRIVE

The 2015 Christmas Shoebox Drive is happening now and will conclude Dec. 31. For more info visit ShoeboxDrive.com



BLESS A PASTOR

This Christmas you can bless a pastor with a shoebox. New Missions has a pastor on staff at each of our school locations. Visit BlessAPastor.com



YEAR-END GIFT

Please consider a special year-end gift to build churches & schools in Haiti. We have four locations on the horizon once funding is raised.



BLESS A NURSE

This year you can pack a shoebox for a New Missions nurse. Each school has a nurse who helps meet the needs of our students. Visit BlessANurse.com

*“We love because
He first loved us.”
1 John 4:19*



Share
God's Love
this
Christmas



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CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX DRIVE
Serving in Haiti since 1983
shoeboxdrive.com



Top: What's your shoebox packing goal? When you send shoebox gifts to our students, you bless their entire family.

Bottom left: We love our students and care for them by providing food, medical care, and education.

Bottom middle: You can send a shoebox gift to your sponsored child. Visit shoeboxdrive.com or call 407-240-4058.

Bottom right: Thank you to our volunteers who are serving this fall—helping pack and collect shoeboxes for Haiti.

2015 Collection Dates:
Oct. 1 through Dec. 31

BENEFITING THE CHILDREN OF NEW MISSIONS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 2016

7:00AM CHECK-IN

8:00AM RACE BEGINS

CAN'T MAKE IT? BE A "SLEEP-IN" SUPPORTER, RECEIVE A TSHIRT AND STILL SHOW YOUR SUPPORT.

AT LAKE BALDWIN PARK IN ORLANDO, FL
REGISTER AT WWW.MANGO5K.COM

GIVESNEAKERS.COM PRESENTS

MANGO RUN

OR WALK 5K



RUNNING ERRANDS OR DIVINE APPOINTMENTS?

When I was nineteen years old, I was attending Quinsigamond Community College in Worcester, Massachusetts. There was a nightclub in Worcester called Ralph's Diner. It was a diner by day with a second floor nightclub where there was a bar and place for music bands to perform at night. It was a place that attracted college kids. I got in the habit of going to Ralph's Diner on the weekends to go drinking and listen to the bands with some friends from college. My father would confront me about where I was going and what I was doing. So, I would sneak into the house quietly without turning on the lights. One night my father was waiting for me to come home. He was sitting in the dark in a chair by the door. After I gently opened and closed the door in the dark, my father softly said to me, "George, you do not want to lose God's blessing on your life." Those gentle words broke my heart.

As a young man in my father's church in Worcester, Massachusetts, I came to a place in my life where I rededicated my life to Christ. I prayed and asked God, "What do you want to do with my life?" I felt the Lord leading me with the words, "You can serve Me by serving your parents." I became my father's errand boy—the "go to" guy for getting things done. It was about this time that we started our missionary work in Haiti.

My first errand at New Missions was packing suitcases for mission trips going to Haiti. In 1983, my father gave me a job taking care of the child sponsors

at the mission in Haiti. Dad gave me three things before he left for Haiti. One was a key to our post office box. Then, he gave me a 3"x5" alphabetical file card box. Inside that box was a file card with the name of each of the child sponsors, and the handwritten records of their monthly child sponsorship payment. He gave me a duplicate receipt book for handwriting receipts for each donation received. Looking back on over thirty years of ministry, everything I have done has been errands that became divine appointments.

In 1 Samuel chapter 17, there is the story of a boy named David who was given the errand to take some food to his brothers who were fighting a battle against the Philistines. *Take these ten loaves of bread and these ten cheeses to the captain over your brothers and come home and tell me how your brothers are doing. (1 Samuel 17:17-18)* That errand turned into a divine appointment that would make David a victor in a

battle with a giant, and the future King of Israel. In the movies there is always an inciting incident that is the cause for the beginning of the story, and there is always the last act climax that is the culmination of the story. As I have gotten older, I often ask myself what will be my last act climax? When David was challenged by Goliath to fight him, David said, *I killed the lion and a bear to protect my father's sheep. I will do the same to this giant named Goliath.* The errands of life are preparation for the appointments.

~George DeTellis, Jr.

GOD IS THE MOVIE
PRODUCER OF
YOUR LIFE

No matter what we have accomplished in life, no matter what last year's success was, we can't live in the past. We can be thankful and grateful for all that God has done for us, but we can't be satisfied by living life looking backwards. Every day is a new day that cries out for us to go conquer, to do, to work, and to learn. When I think of my last act climax, I pray to God, "Do You have one more errand for me to run for The Master?"

George DeTellis, Jr

P.S. Everything you have experienced up to now is preparation for what God wants to do with you next! Read Romans 8:28.

