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Vida Center's community well brings water to it's community in the Dom Rep

I heard the phone beep and saw that I received a voice message on my cell phone. It was from Josué, one of our Church leaders in Haiti. He described how they were just struck by an earthquake and the people were in a panic, disoriented, hungry and bewildered. Some were running out into the streets while others were hiding in their houses. Josué said that the people were suffering with extreme hunger and that they were desperate to feed their families. He pleaded for aid and asked if we could help them once again in their time of need.

Can you imagine if it was you and your family living in one the very poorest countries in the world; your president was just assassinated and natural disasters plunged your country even further into civil unrest and anarchy? The assassination occurred on July 7th, 2021. On August 10th Tropical Storm Fred bludgeoned the small seaside Caribbean town causing severe flooding in the village, followed on August 14th by a 7.2 earthquake killing 2,207 and leaving more than 12K wounded nationwide. Finally, once again, the village was ravaged by hurricane Grace on August 16th. Grace's impact to Haiti was more extreme than normal for this kind of storm due to the earthquake that had just occurred a few days earlier. There was severe flooding once again as rivers over flowed their banks.

The people of Anse-a-Pitre, Haiti live in darkness. There is no public electrical





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Haitian children draw water from our Vida Center well.

service nor has there ever been in our tiny border town. Our Vida mission church and community center is a lighthouse of hope in this dark and needy place. The Good news is Jesus Christ is proclaimed and our LORD is passionately worshiped and adored. The children and youth are being raised up in the word of God and the congregation as a whole is given opportunity to participate in the spiritual ambience of this palm branch tabernacle.

We want to thank all of you that are praying and financially partnering with us in the expansion of the ministry so that we can continue to impact our world!

Together We Touch the World,

Together We are LSMI/Vida Internacional!

Lu & Carol

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