



Haiti Relief Effort Report

Last week, I wrote to you about how the funds for relief efforts would be distributed. The following is a detailed accounting of the funds already collected and a listing of those places which will receive assistance

We are concentrating on the Department of Artibonite, Haiti, which is the area of our sister Diocese of Gonaives. Since the earthquake, an estimated 180,000 individuals have migrated to the various cities and towns in the Department of Artibonite. The significant influx of people is creating additional burdens, particularly on the schools.

At the end of January, 2010, we sent out a questionnaire to all pastors of the 35 parishes in our sister Diocese of Gonaives, Haiti. We requested information about damage to church buildings, the number of migrants in their parish and the approximate cost to face these challenges.

At the same time, we requested from the Diocesan Office of Education in Gonaives the number of students from Port-au-Prince who registered in various schools of the Diocese.

Finally, when I was in Haiti I visited a non-denominational non-governmental organization (NGO), called World Youth in Mission (WYAM), which set up various distribution centers in both St. Marc and Gonaives.

Based on the above and the amount collected, we have decided to provide additional sea containers of food and clothing to WYAM for distribution and financial support to various schools to accommodate the migrated students.

-R. Mortel

COLLECTED FROM JANUARY 15 TO MARCH 1, 2010

Mission Office, Archdiocese of Baltimore \$ 150,000
Online Donations (www.highhopesforhaiti.org) \$ 71,000
Total \$ 221,000

DISTRIBUTION (*see list below*)

- Purchase of food, benches, books, schools supplies \$ 149,000
- To Bishop for 30 seminarians who lost everything but their life \$ 45,000
- Shipping 3 additional containers of food and clothing \$ 15,000
- Reserve for 5 schools yet to respond \$ 12,000

Total \$ 221,000

DIOCESE OF GONAIVES SCHOOLS AND PARISHES

Paroisse Saint-Pierre de Poteau \$ 3,000
Paroisse Christ-Roi de Labranie \$ 3,000
Paroisse Saint-Pierre de Desdunes \$ 5,000
Ecole presbytérale congréganiste de L'Estère \$ 5,000
Paroisse de Gros-Morne \$ 5,000
Paroisse de Dessalines/ecole nationale Sainte Claire \$ 5,000
Paroisse Saint Joseph de Médor \$ 3,000
Paroisse de Terre-Neuve \$ 3,000
Paroisse de Désarmes \$ 5,000
Ecole presbytérale de Fleurenceau \$ 5,000
Paroisse Saint-Pierre de Saint-Michel de l'Attalaye \$ 4,000
Paroisse Notre-Dame de la Visitation \$ 3,000
Paroisse d'Anse-Rouge \$ 3,000
Paroisse des Verrettes \$ 5,000
Paroisse de Petite-Rivière de l'Artibonite \$ 6,000
Paroisse de LaChapelle \$ 4,000
Paroisse de Bassin-Mangnan \$ 3,000
Ecole presbytérale Saint-Laurent de Praville \$ 3,000
Ecole Presbytérale Saint-Ambroise \$ 3,000
College La Sainte Famille de Trou-Sable \$ 5,000
College Diocésain Saint-Paul \$ 5,000
College Saint-Pierre Clavier \$ 3,000
College Immaculée Conception \$ 4,000
Ecole Cyr Guillo (Frères de l'Instruction Chrétienne) \$ 3,000
Ecole presbytérale Père Marcel Sainte-Marie \$ 3,000
Ecole Marie Jacques L. Saint-Louis \$ 3,000
Bureau Diocésain d'Education des Gonaives \$ 2,000
Ecole presbytérale Immaculée Conception de Villard \$ 4,000
Ecole Congréganiste nationale Mère Sainte Alvire de Saint-Marc \$ 4,000
Ecole des Bons Samaritains \$ 4,000
Centre Emmaus St. Joseph \$ 1,000
Paroisse de Lalomas \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Montrouis \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Decostieres \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Marmelade \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Riviere Mancelle \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Sainte Therese \$ 2,000
Paroisse de la Cathedrale \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Sources Chaudes \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Pont Sonde \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Jean-Denis \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Dolan \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Ennery \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Pierre Payen \$ 2000
Paroisse de Liancourt \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Chenot \$ 2,000
Paroisse de Perodin \$ 2,000