

THE Smiths

CHRISTIAN LAYMEN ASSISTING INTERNATIONAL MISSIONARIES

Dear Encouragers,

Hebrews 6:10 reminds us, "For God is not unrighteous to forget your work & labour of love, which ye have shewed toward his name, in that ye have ministered to the saints, & do minister."

It has been our privilege to minister to His saints for 16 years now. During the months of June & July, we were blessed to serve at two different Maritime ministries in Canada - Forest Glen Bible Camp of Brookfield, Nova Scotia & Calvary Baptist Church of Fredericton, New Brunswick. It was a privilege to help get things prepared for camp this summer at Forest Glen & to help give Calvary Baptist Church a facelift. We worked beside some of the best volunteers we have ever met! Over a total of 20 days, our team of volunteers worked hard! Here is a sampling of what they did: washed windows,



Painted decks & rails, demolished & rebuilt, painted cabins inside & out, installed windows, moved buildings, mowed lawns, framed, installed flooring, helped put up a steeple, washed windows & light fixtures, installed a new playground, sewed, washed & hung curtains, scraped old paint & painted new, cleaned, organized, built & installed steps, installed & mudded drywall, & so on. You get the idea. One of the most exciting things was seeing the steeple go up (pictured in the background of this letter).

This church did not have a steeple before & many people passing by commented that they didn't even know it was a church. Well, now they do! Our prayer is that everything our hands touched will be used to further God's Kingdom. We look forward to hearing of the young people who get saved or dedicate their lives to Christ at Forest Glen this summer & of the many new faces that show up at Calvary & the lives that are transformed as a result. Thank you for your prayers for both of these projects, & "thank you" to our faithful, hard-working volunteers!

Please pray over these opportunities & allow God to use you to minister to saints all around the world!

Reaching the World with our Tools, *Philip & Susan Smith*

Upcoming Projects

August 11 - 21 - CLAIM Servant's Heart Camp, Ramey, Pennsylvania

This project is now closed. Please pray for this team as we seek to minister!

September 8 - 18 - CLAIM Seven Islands Baptist Church, in Sept-Iles, Quebec

Project: Removal of stucco on church & installation of new siding. **Cost:** Travel Expenses - food & lodging are provided.

Deadline: August 18th

September 22 - October 2 - CLAIM Good Shepherd's Baptist Church, Sherbrooke, Quebec

Project: Remodeling the auditorium. **Cost:** Travel Expenses - food & lodging are provided. **Deadline:** September 1st

October 30 - November 10 - CLAIM Solid Rock Baptist Church, Belize **MEN ONLY BECAUSE OF ACCOMMODATIONS**

Missionaries Dan & Tracy Dinsmore

DATE CHANGE!!!! **Project:** Plumbing, Electrical, Tiling, Metal Decking, Block Laying, Painting **Cost:** Flight cost plus \$600

US for food & lodging. Deadline: October 1st

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ANY OF THESE PLEASE CONTACT US AT: 254-342-5390 OR CLAIM4GOD@GMAIL.COM

