



I will be a member of a SOMA Team, along with: Dudley Baker (team leader), Pat Halligan-Baker, Kjeryn Allard, and Kay Forsyth (from St. Timothy's) going to Kenya and Rwanda. Wanjiku Kirono, from the Mathare Valley Projects will join us as we lead a conference for 250 women in Rwanda for a week. We will be going to Kenya and Rwanda from March 16th to April 3rd.

As a team, we would value your prayers now as we prepare. We also ask that you would pray for us daily while we are away. My prayer is that God will teach each of us more about His ministry and how His Holy Spirit moves among the people.

This is my first overseas mission of this nature, so I know that I will have to rely on the Lord in everything that I do.

Yours in Christ, Michael

Mission Trip to Haiti 2007

Between June 23 and July 7, 2007, a team of five women from St. Paul's is going to work at the orphanage "God's Littlest Angels" in Haiti. The team includes Barb Dixon, Darlene Hergert, Christine Tupper, Kim Crickmay and Regula Brandle (team leader).

At the moment we are busy preparing ourselves for this mission trip. Not only are there all sorts of administrative and organizational aspects to attend to, but we are also doing team training by helping out with the kids' program at Missions Fest (Feb. 23) and by overseeing the children's program at St. Paul's on Easter Sunday (Apr. 8). And of course, we also spend regular time with one another so that we can spur each other on to be spiritually, mentally, physically and emotionally ready for this great adventure with God and the kids/people at GLA. Our goal is to be God's vessels wherever we are and whatever we do!



When we are working at GLA in Haiti, our responsibilities will include offering a Vacation Bible School for the older kids during one of the weeks there. During the other week we will be doing individual care for babies, toddlers or older children. The individual care includes cuddling, feeding and bathing infants and working on their developmental needs, going for walks, teaching nursery songs and playing with toddlers, and possibly doing English lessons with the older kids. Of course, we will also help out in whatever capacity we can and are asked to – even chopping onions in the kitchen (Darlene Hergert's favorite activity – sort of)

How can YOU support this mission trip?

1. We would very much appreciate your prayers – now, as we prepare, and at the time we go. Please let me know if you would like to specifically pray for the team and the trip and I will add you to our monthly prayer request list.
2. We are hoping to take a number of supplies with us down to GLA. We would appreciate your help with that. Look out for the bulletin insert in March, where we will list all the items desired/needed by GLA.
3. And if you can't do either of the above, we are also most happy if you can contribute financially to this trip (donation to St. Paul's, memo note on cheque: Mission Trip- Haiti 2007)

If you are interested in what GLA is and does, check their website (<http://www.gla-missions.org>). You can also get more info about GLA from any of the mission team members or Wendy & Rob Goetze (whose daughter Jazmyn is from GLA Haiti).

Blessings,
Regula (on behalf of the Mission Team, Haiti 2007)