

Episcopal Diocese of Haiti Partnership Program

**Information and Guidelines
2010-2011**

THE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM OF THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF HAITI

Just as the early church reached out in partnership with the church in Jerusalem, today the broader church must join together in the service of our Lord in Haiti. As sisters and brothers in Christ, Haitians and North Americans come together to share God's love with each other in many different ways.

The Partnership Program serves Haitians and North Americans by giving them a system through which they can work in confidence, trust, good accountability, and transparency.

The love of God is expressed through the mission and ministries of the Partnership Program in a variety of ways: ministries of education, healthcare, agriculture, micro enterprise, nutrition, food and clothing, sharing the joy of Christ, and the Story of the love of God. Many ways emerge through which we can accomplish God's work in Haiti. Together, the partners seek to discern God's particular placement and timing in their mutual ministries.

First, and most importantly, the Partnership Program is about building relationships. We do many wonderful things together in Christ's name, but most of all we come together to grow in oneness with each other and with Christ our God. All that we do and all that we are, by God's grace, grows out of our inspired hearts, which moves us to serve. Blessings abound for all that are involved, receivers and givers alike.

The coordination of these efforts is essential for their proper functioning. The Partnership Program exists to provide such coordination. These organized efforts help the

Bishop of Haiti to be better involved and informed for his oversight responsibilities.

The Partnership Program is under the oversight of The Bishop of Haiti. The Bishop of Haiti, the Rt. Rev. Jean Zaché Duracin, has appointed Father Kesner Ajax as Coordinator of the Partnership Program, to carry out it's mission and goals.

COMMUNICATION WITH THE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM COORDINATOR

Through the contact information below, communication with the Program Coordinator is readily available. Please feel free and know that you are encouraged to communicate often and fully. The Coordinator is here to serve.

Mailing Address:

Rev. Kesner Ajax
c/o Agape Flights Acc # 2519
100 Airport Ave
Venice Fl. 34285

Please refer below to the section titled "SHIPPING THROUGH AGAPE"

Phone: 011-509-3445 3346 OR 011-509-3724 8376

** This is the full phone number needed when dialing from the USA. When dialing in Haiti, simply dial the last eight digits.*

Email: kesnerajax@yahoo.com

ARE YOU BEING CALLED BY GOD TO BECOME A PARTNER?

Becoming involved in the Partnership Program is very easy. Simply write or call the Coordinator. The Coordinator will then consult the Bishop of Haiti and, in conversation with you, will recommend a mission. A partnership mission will be recommended based on the most desperate needs, while utilizing natural connections and interests that you may have previously possessed. When possible, we will put you in touch with existing partners to facilitate networking. Answer this call from God. Do it today. You will be blessed and a blessing.

PARTNERS BEGET PARTNERS

Sharing your story with other churches in your area regarding the mission and ministry in Haiti is one of the most effective ways through which to form new Partnerships. Show them your slides, photographs, and Power Point presentation; share from your heart what God is doing through you and your relationship with the people of Haiti. Invite them to become involved. Let the Coordinator know of any potential new partners or inquirers; he will be able to help you encourage and provide information to those interested. Let us strive together to have partners for the entire Diocese of Haiti.

CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE PRIEST

The Partnership Program is happy to be of service in assisting with the correspondence between the Haitian and North American partners. You may send correspondence to your particular Haitian priest through the Partnership Program's contact with Agape Flight, and the priest may correspond with you the same way. When sending correspondence to your priest, address the outside envelope to Fr. Kesner Ajax. Place the correspondence for your priest inside that envelope. The outside envelope **must** be addressed to Fr. Kesner Ajax in order for Agape Flight to process it. Agape Flight delivers only to subscribers, and Fr. Kesner Ajax is the subscriber for the Partnership Program. Many partners always send such mail in unsealed internal envelopes or with copies to Fr. Kesner Ajax to aid in communications. This is quite helpful, as it helps to keep all parties fully informed. Address your correspondence using Fr. Kesner Ajax's mailing address below found in the section: "SHIPPING THROUGH AGAPE FLIGHTS".

Some of the priests have the ability to receive mail through other means. It is perfectly fine to use that avenue. However, when doing so, please also send copies of your correspondence to Fr. Kesner Ajax, the Program Coordinator. Good coordination requires good communication. Let us strive to keep everyone informed.

REPORTS FROM THE PRIESTS

The Bishop of Haiti has asked the priests of the Diocese of Haiti who are in partnership relationships to make reports to the partners each month and more often as needed and as is appropriate for each situation. These reports should give you a financial and programmatic account of the Parish and share with you updates on the lives of your partner Parishioners. Please request and expect these reports. They are a part of a healthy relationship.

QUESTIONS, PROBLEMS, CONCERNS

The Coordinator is ready to assist you with any questions, problems or concerns that you may have. Please be in touch as any inquiries arise. Communication, clarification, fact-finding and cross-cultural understanding resolves thorny situations and assists in strengthening relationships. Let us address these issues with love, open minds and hearts, and a willingness to grow beyond the narrowness of our own experience and worldview.

SENDING MONEY FOR YOUR PARTNER

The Partnership Program maintains a process and accounting system to facilitate the safe receipt and disbursement of money that comes for the projects of the Diocese of Haiti. An independent accounting system carefully receives the money, maintains books that account for every cent, and gets the money to the priest responsible for the project. The funds are kept in a bank account that is separate from other Diocesan funds. Extra care is taken to assure that the money is used for its intended purpose(s). Each priest is required to request the funds in writing, stating the intended use of the money. That statement of purpose must match the intention of the giver. If at any time you have questions about any transaction, simply contact Fr. Kesner; he will be able to address your questions and concerns. Money is received and disbursed in U.S. dollars. By receiving U.S. dollars the priest is able to make the exchange into Haitian gourdes at the current market rate.

Make checks payable to: “Partnership Program/Diocese of Haiti” and send them to Fr. Kesner Ajax. Wire funds to:

Citibank Haiti
Beneficiary name: Partnership Program Diocese Haiti
Account #: 250-535-023.
Citibank Haiti Account #: 10998812
Routing: 021000089
Swift code: CITIHTP1

All financial transactions are processed by the Diocesan Treasurer. With your checks, always include a letter giving all the pertinent details, including:

- 1.) Name of priest-in-charge
- 2.) Intended location
- 3.) Intended use
- 4.) Any other helpful and pertinent information

This will help Fr. Kesner, the Priest-in-Charge, and the Diocesan Treasurer in handling funds properly.

THE 10%: WHAT IS IT, AND HOW IS IT USED?

The Diocese of Haiti has clearly stated that there is a need to have this Partnership Program in existence. It is seen as an essential and integral element of the church’s mission strategy at this economically difficult time in Haiti’s history. However, the Diocese currently has no funds to allocate for the support of the Partnership Program.

Therefore, to provide these much needed funds, ten percent (10%) of all donations received through the Partnership Program are allocated to general Program overhead. These funds are used for two basic

purposes: (1) to award grants to the priests to help meet some of the needs that are not otherwise met and, (2) to cover the expenses of the Partnership Program office.

Awarded grants are created for purposes such as, continuing education seminars for teachers, salaries for teachers who otherwise are not being paid, construction, nutrition, youth camps, and equipment purchases. As you know, the needs in Haiti are formidable, with new challenges every day, like January 12th. Our immediate vision is to help alleviate some of the most desperate situations.

Expenses of the office of the Partnership Program include those normally expected: office supplies, cargo and mail services, office equipment maintenance and purchase, vehicle maintenance and repair (Haitian roads are very hard on vehicles), and utilities, etc.

We assure you, every effort will be made to keep these overhead costs low, to ensure that every penny possible goes directly to the aid of the people and the Church of Haiti. Keep in mind that the funds spent for grants and office expenses are also part of this direct aid.

SHIPPING THROUGH AGAPE FLIGHTS

The Partnership Program coordinator has contracted with Agape flights cargo service to send and receive mail and parcels to and from Haiti. Agape Flights Cargo service is a Christian missionary service that has been in operation for more than 20 years. They provide an incredible opportunity for the people of Haiti!

Please remember, ALL MAIL MUST BE ADDRESSED TO Fr. Kesner Ajax ONLY. Addressing mail to Kesner Ajax is the only way to ensure each item will be delivered properly. Inside each item please document who the intended recipient is. Once received, the mail will be immediately delivered to the rightful recipient.

SENDING MAIL

Address ALL Mail, Packages or Cargo to Haiti as follows:

**The Rev. Kesner Ajax Cay Acct# 2519
c/o Agape Flights
100 Airport Avenue
Venice, Florida 34285**

We also have a few pointers for you to keep in mind while preparing to send packages.

1. Try to keep individual packages to 40 pounds or less. This helps with loading the plane, accounting for costs of shipping and distribution at the end destination.
2. Please try to pack the packages as full as possible to try to avoid any crushing or destruction during shipment.
3. Seal your boxes with tape, but do not wrap in paper. Customs officials may remove the paper during inspection, which can result in the loss of address information.
4. Please be sure to include a return address and write a brief description of the contents on the outside of the box.
5. We can transport large or unusual shapes. Please call or email us if you think your package might need special consideration.

The cost to transport packages and cargo is \$4.00 per pound. We ask that you take this into consideration and pay for the transport of packages in advance. This can be done online by going to the Agape website or by contacting Agape directly and paying with a credit card over the phone or senders can tape an envelope, with your check inside, addressed to "Agape Flights" on the outside of the box.

These costs include fuel, oil, landing fees, etc. If you are sending a check, please make sure to provide enough information to identify the packages you are paying for and note that the packages you are paying for will be received by Kesner Ajax. If you have any questions regarding this process, please call Karen or Jennifer at Agape Flights 941.488.0990

A FINAL WORD

The people of Haiti are a wondrous blessing to all that come to the dear land of Haiti. The deep and abiding faith of the people, the beauty of the mountains and the sea, and the beaming smiles on the faces of those who have experienced such tremendous difficulty, delivers a strength and warmth to all who are blessed with their encounter. The power of the love of God is apparent in Haiti in a way that is seen in few other places around the world. It is truly a blessing to be able to serve in Haiti. God is good.

Haiti as a people and as a country struggle desperately. Bishop Duracin often prays publically that Haiti and her people may be delivered from their misery. That is happening in and through the work of Christ, which is revealed through the work of the Church. The Church in Haiti is just as directly involved in bringing the incarnate presence of Christ into the lives of people as anywhere else in the world. There is no doubt that if there have ever been "some of the least of these" in this world, they can be found in Haiti. There is no doubt that the Church in Haiti is proving faithful in serving these least among us. Thousands of North Americans join in this vital mission and ministry of love. Sisters and brothers in Christ join hands and hearts across cultural and national divides to become one in service for Christ to the people of Haiti. The Partnership Program offers a way to facilitate these ministries and provides a direct, transparent, and sound financial framework. Money and goods that are sent to the Partnership Program go directly to the Diocese and are used for their intended purposes. Come. Join us in Christ. Be blessed and a blessing. And may our Lord bless you.

The Diocese of Haiti: Active Clergy, retired priests, missionaries, seminarians, parishes, missions and preaching stations.

P=Parish

M=Mission

S= Station

DI=Diocesan Institution

Ven. Bernier Noé, Cap Haitien

Archdeacon, Nord ,Nord Ouest, Nord Est & Artibonite

St Esprit, Cap-Haitien (P)

Notre Dame, Molas (M)

St Mathias, Grande Rivière du Nord (S)

Rév. P. Accimé Max, Gonaïves

Saint Bazile le Grand, Gonaïves (P)
Saint Mathieu, Bayonnais (M)
Saint Luc, Petite Rivière de l'Artibonite (S)

Rév.P. Ais Jean Nesly,Port de Paix

Saints Innocents, Port-de-Paix (P)
Saint Aidan La Tortue(M)
Saint Jacques Morne Rosette(M)
Transfiguration Chanlsome(M)

Rév.P.Toussaint L. Rosanas, Limonade

St Etienne Limonade (P)
St Luc, Trou du nord (M)

Rév.P.Quatorze Jean Lenord, Gros Morne,

Resurrection, Gros Morne (P)
Bon Samaritain, l'Acul (M)

St Michel, Fiervil (M)
St Barnabas, Treuille(M)
St Paul, Chermaitre (S)
St Luc Figaro (S)

Ven. Désiré Fritz, Grande Colline

Archdeacon, Sud Est & Leogane

St Matthias, Cherident (P)
St Matthieu, Begin (S)
St Barthelemy, Bahot (M)
Ste Marguerite, Meyer (S)
Epiphanie, Morin (S)
St Andre, Cavanack (S)
St Thomas, Lavano, Jacmel (S)
Christ-Roi, Monchil Jacmel (S)
St Esprit, Marigot Jacmel (S)
Transfiguration, Duvillon Jacmel (S)
St Jean Baptiste, Moreau(S)
St barnabee, La ville de jacmel (S)
St Pierre, Bero (S)
Bonne Nouvelle, Leba(S)
St joseph D'Armathe (Pilard)
Notre dame, Bois Neuf (S)
St Jacques, David (S)
St Paul, Beaudin Jn Pierre (S)

Rév. P. Délicat Kerwin,Léogâne

Ste Croix, Leogane (P)
St Luc, Mercery (M)
St-Marc, Bire (S)
St Nicolas, Nicolas(S)
St Philippe & St Jacques, Collin (S)
Bonne Nouvelle, Bigonet (M)
St Joseph d'Arimathee, Jasmin(M)

Rév. P. Auguste Pierre, L'Acul Léogâne

Epiphanie, l'Acul (P)
Bon Berger, Danot-Grand-Goave (S)

Rév.P. Beauvoir Jonas, St Etienne

St Etienne, Buteau (P)
St Joseph, Embouchure (M)
St Luc, Lazile (M)
St Patrick, Tom Gateau (S)

Rév.P.Phanord Jean Berthol, Mathieu

St Matthieu, Mathieu (P)
St Paul,Grand Fond (S)
St Jacques, Petit Boukan (S)
St Jean Baptiste. JeanJean (M)
Ste. Marguerite, Latournelle (M)
St Barthelemy, Campan (M)
St Thomas, Dumal aux Parques (M)
Christ Roi, Bongnotte (S)

Rev.P. St Louis Samuel Darbonne

Annonciation Darbonne (P)
St Timothee Château Gaillard (M)
St Andre, Mithon (M)
St Michel, Orangers (M)
St Pierre, Gros Morne(M)
St Barnabas, Francoise (S)
Christ-Roi, Corail (S)
St Agnes, La colline (S)

Rev. P. Vil Jean Mardoché,Bainet

Ascension, Bainet (P)
Saint Luc, La Bresilienne(M)
Saint Cyprien, Labiche (M)
Saint Timothée, Larevoie(S)
Saint Nom de Jésus, Venant(S)
Incarnation, Saurel(S)
Bon Berger, cote de fer(S)
Bon Samaritain, Bras de gauche(S)
Sts Philippe & Jacques, petite Rivière(S)

Christ-Roi, Moise (S)
La Transfiguration, Corps(S)
Sainte croix, Gazou(S)
St Esprit, chemin a bœuf(S)
St jacques, Denard(S)
Epiphanie, Gandou(S)
Porte Etroite, Dupera(S)
Saint Thomas, Dutête(S)
Les saints Innocents Bellevue(S)
La Toussaint, la Feuillade(S)

Rev. P.Michaud Jean Fruitho, Trouin

St Marc. Trouin (P)
Christ- Roi, Grande Savane (S)
St Jean l'Evangeliste, Petit harpon (M)
St Simon et St Jude, Duny (M)

**Ven. Diègue J. Tancrel ,Port au Prince
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Ecole Professionnelle Sainte Trinité, (DI)
La Redemption, Belair Port au Prince(S)

Rév. P. Duveaux Iriel, Arcahaie

St.Thomas, Arcahaie (P)
Christ –Roi, Léger (M)
St. Jean l'Evangéliste, Jean Dumas (M)
St. André, Cazale (M)
St. Matthias, Délices (M)
Transfiguration-Grande Colline (S)
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St Jean Baptiste,Morin (S)

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St Jacques, Bois Brule(M)

St Esprit, Gros Mangles(M)

St Barthelemy, Nan Mangot(M)

St Simon & St Jude ,Platon Balai(M)

St Jean Baptiste,Plaine Mapou(M)

St Philippe ,trou Jacques(M)

St Barnabas,Lotore(M)

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Saint Paul, Montrouis(P)

Saint Marc, Bois Blanc(S)

Rev. P. Leon Sadoni, Port au Prince

Epiphanie,Port au Prince(P)

Saint Vincent,Port au Prince (DI)

St Jean l'Evangeliste, carrefour feuille(S)

Rév. P. Lucas Rigal,Port au Prince

College St Pierre,Port au Prince (DI)

Cathédrale Sainte Trinite, membre du staff Clérical

Rév. P.L. Fernande, Port au Prince

Ecole Sainte Trinite, Port au Prince (DI)

Cathédrale Ste Trinite, membre du staff Clérical

Rév. P. Valdema H.Fritz , Croix des Bouquets

Saint Simeon, Croix des Bouquets(P)

Transfiguration, Gorman(M)

Saint Marc, Lilavois(M)

Saint Alban, Crochu(M)

Saint Michel, Thomazeau(S)

Saints Sacrements, Fond Parisien(S)

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Archdeacon,Sud Grande Anse et Nippes**

St Paul, Petit trou de Nippes (P)
St Marc Jeannette, Paillant, Jeannette (P)
Marie Madeleine Bondeaux, Miragoane(P)
St Jacques, Lindor, Petit Trou de Nippes (S)

Rév.P.Jean Philippe Jean Alphonse, Torbeck

St Paul, Torbeck (P)
St Barthelemy, Dubreuil (M)
Incarnation Le Pretre (M)
St Hilaire Petite Riviere (S)
St Andre, Maccabe (S)
St Matthias, Gracette (S)
St Marc, Lhomond (S)
Ascension, Bereau (S)

Rév. P. Estil Colbert, Cayes

St Sauveur, Cayes (P)
St Jean Baptiste, Savanette (M)
Sainte croix, ravine à l'anse (M)
Saint Augustin, Maniche (M)
Saint Esprit, cavaillon (S)
Saint Thomas, Mersan (S)
Sainte Croix, Jérémie (S)
Sainte Madeleine, Bonbon (S)

Rév. P. Ajax Kesner, Cayes

Bishop Tharp Business & Technology Institute, Cayes (DI)
Partnership program, diocèse of Haïti (DI)

Ven. Joseph Jean Jeannot, Mirebalais

Archdeacon, Plateau Central

Saint Pierre, Mirebalais(P)
St Luc, Pouillé (M)
Christ Roi, Civol(S)
St Jacques, Les Bayes (M)
St Andre, Triano (S)
St Mathias, Deslande (M)
St Paul, Gascoye (M)
Epiphanie, Diamond (S)
St Michel, Lachapelle (S)
St Patrick, Nordette (S)
St Marc, Cerca (S)
St Etienne, Machecana (S)
St Timothe, boucan carre (S)
St Innocents, Boromain (S)
Transfiguration, Petite Riviere de L'Artibonite(S)

St Thomas, Palto (S)

Rev. P.Milor Medela, Lascahobas

Saint Esprit, Lascahobas (P)
Saint Andre, Flande (M)
Transfiguration, Belladere (S)
Saint Philippe Saint Jacques, Corosse (M)
Ascension, Pouly (M)
Saint Jacques Lahoye (S)

Rev. P. Fritz Lafontant, Cange (retired Priest)

Rév. P. St Louis Jn Michelin,

Bon Sauveur, Cange (P)
Hopital de Cange (DI)
St Luc ,Vieux Cayes (S)
Annonciation,bernaco (S)
St Innocents, Bel-Air (S)
St Mathieu, Chapoteau(M)
St Jacques, Moge (S)
St Mathias, Cajouc- Franc (S)
St Paul, M. Thomonde (S)
Transfiguration, Tierramouscady(S)
Christ-Roi Bois-Joly (S)
St Marc,Cabestor (S)
Ascension,Blanchard (S)
St Jn Baptiste, Epin(S)
St Jean, Morne Michel (S)
Bon Berger,Domond (S)
St Thomas,Roche Mulatre(S)
Ste Croix,Hicaque
St Michel,Morne Mouton
St Philippe et St Jacques Palissa
St Barthelemy, Casse

Rév. P. Decamps Walin,Hinche

St. Andre, Hinche (P)
St Mathias, Thomonde (M)
St-Etienne, Salmadere(S)
St-Paul, Caracol (S)
Epiphanie, Loranette (S)
St-Barthelemy, Maissade (S)
Confession de St Pierre, Parcasse (S)
St-Thomas La Mer, Sept(S)
N.D. de L'Annonciation, Boc-Banique(S)
Sts-Innocents, Labegue (S)
St Patrick, Lorcorbe (M)
St Luc, Thomassique (S)

St Jacques, Terre-Cassee (S)
St Benoit, Mombin-Crochu (S)
St Marc, Cerca la Source (S)

Priests Studying at VTS

(Virginia Theological Seminary)

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Rev. P. Sonley Joseph
Rev. P. Wisnel Dejardins

Missionary

Ms Angela Galbreath

Retired Priests

Rev. P. Jean Elie Charles
Rev. P. Yvan Francois
Rev. P. Roger Desir
Rev. P. Simpson Coriolan
Rev. P. Mc Donald Jean
Rev. P. Jean Elie Millien
Rev. P. Joseph Remy
Rev. P. Gesner Montes

Seminarians--2nd year

M. Willy Bana
M. Luc Desire
M. Daniel Fils
M. Michelet Jacob
M. Markendy Jean
M. Jackson Laguerre
M. Samuel Louis Charles
Dr. Wilnique Pierre
Ms Deniese Lochard
Ms Denise Tervine

4th year (Postulants)

M. André Wildaine
M. Avril Wilky
M. Célestin Jois Goursse
M. Chéry Marie Carmel
M. Guerrier Michel Marguy
M. Metelus Donald

Recent Graduate and Postulant

Ms Saintilver Margarete