

## 2018-19 STA Haiti Fund Report to the Parish

The Haiti Committee seeks to build a mutual relationship between the parishes of St. Thomas Aquinas, Indianapolis, and St. Jean Marie Vianney, Belle-Rivière, Haiti, through our reciprocal prayer, awareness of the faith, hope and courage of the people of Haiti, and our Gospel call to respond. We seek to walk with our sisters and brothers in Belle-Rivière by providing monetary and emotional support for their needs while respecting the customs and traditions of both communities.

The above Mission Statement has guided the work of the STA Haiti Committee for nearly 30 years. The scope of the current program would have been a lofty dream when this statement was developed in 1990. St. Thomas Aquinas parishioners have been quite generous in supporting the spiritual, educational, health, and nutritional initiatives which are at the core of the programs listed in the financial statement. Whether you donate \$5 monthly, throw a dollar in the Outreach basket, or contribute \$10,000, every dollar counts and you may be assured that every dollar is used for programming. Bank fees are an unavoidable means of transferring funds from here to there.

On the back of this sheet you will find a note from Pere Frednel Louis, the pastor of St. Jean Marie Vianney, outlining how the contents of the recent sea container shipment were distributed. We are saddened by his announcement that he will be leaving Belle-Rivière next month. Since his arrival in December 2010, Pere Frednel has been a positive force for the people of Belle-Rivière. We must now look forward to developing a positive relationship with the new pastor.

Again, thank you for your past support of the people of Belle-Rivière. We pray that you are able to continue your support and that others can see the good that is being done and choose to offer some level of support. - The Haiti Committee

### STA FUND

#### INCOME:

General Fund Through Parish (purple envelopes and designated donations)	29,849.42
School Lunch Program (designated donations)	27,714.00
Haiti Visit Donation (December 2018)	975.00
January Appeal Donations	15,992.00
STA School Water Penny Wars	1,500.57
Interest on Archdiocesan Account	1,881.75
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>77,912.74</b>

#### EXPENSES:

Belle Rivière Parish Church	9,936.64
Belle Rivière Parish School (15 teachers, 2 principals and 1 secretary)	24,114.52
Lhomond Chapel School (7 teachers and 1 principal)	7,381.20
TPC - National School Lunch Program (156 students fed 160 meals)	6,276.00
Parish School Lunch Program (329 students fed 160 meals)	14,364.03
Lhomond Lunch Program (130 students fed 160 meals)	5,091.84
Haiti Visit Expenses (December 2018)	975.00
Chapel Directors (7 people)	040.00
Tires for Parish Truck	640.00
Solar Maintenance	160.00
Christmas Giving Tree	1,000.00
Medical Clinic	8,530.00
PTPA - Sea Container STA	3,825.00
Gift of Water Program Techs (5 people maintain 1,100 water filtration systems)	6,900.00
Solar Project (Bequest funds)	5,300.00
Kindergarten Reconstruction (Bequest funds)	8,900.00
School Roof Replacement (Bequest funds)	15,300.00
5/3 Bank Fees	389.80
BUH Fees	143.00
Haitian Gov't. Fees	19.50
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>120,087.60</b>

	as of July 1, 2018	as of June 30, 2019
STA FUND Parish Account Balance	64,277.98	20,158.43
Archdiocesan ADLF Account Balance	250,051.37	251,933.12
<b>Total Balance</b>	<b>314,329.35</b>	<b>272,091.55</b>

The next committee meeting will be Tuesday, August 13, at 7:00 p.m. in the Bethany Room. All are welcome!!