

TEAM WORK ASSOCIATES



October - December 2003



Chairman's Greeting

Groups

Dear Friends:

What a joyous time this is as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

“He will be great and will be called the son of the most high, The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever; his kingdom will never end.” – (Luke 1:32,33)

What an awesome God we serve!

And as the end of the year draws near, we also remember the words of Simeon when he declared – “For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have prepared in the sight of all people” – Luke 30 (NIV).

We are humbled and proud that we may also make that declaration, for the Lord has made provisions of grace and mercy for every single one of us.

God has been faithful to us at Teamwork. I am grateful for another year of health, strength, family and friendships and most of all His love.

We are also thankful for the support and prayers with which you have blessed us at Teamwork

May you and yours experience greatly, God's peace and grace during this wonderful Christmas Season.

Menzie Oban

Missions Discovery

During October 21-27, Missions Discovery again visited with a team of 30 persons. Their mission was to minister in a children's home and home for the aged, as well as assist in the building of a church and school in the Lilliput area.

Harvest Time Ministries

From October 6-13, 10 persons from Harvest Time Ministries, Florida visited for the second time. They visited children's homes, engaged in street ministry and brought food, clothing and the word of God to the poor and needy. The group also joined with Teamwork Church for fellowship and ministry.

Here I am Send Me Ministries

Seven persons from the New Testament Church of God in Philadelphia (Jamaicans now living in the U.S.) were with us from November 3 – 9. In addition to participating in fellowship with us here at Teamwork, they too visited children's homes and engaged in street ministry.

Medical Teams

Glory Unlimited, A medical team from the U.S., ministered to the students of Teamwork on October 8 and 9. It is also our privilege to welcome Dr. Rich

Montgomery and his team on their passing through visit on November 9.

Transportation

We have now been able to sell the old pick-up truck and await the arrival of the new truck and bus. Please be in prayer about shipping arrangements and for an early delivery.

A call to Missions

Serve at Team Work
MINIMUM OF TWO YEARS

Information & Communications Technology Co-ordinator with strong ICT, administrative and teaching skills and a desire to minister to youth and adults within the context of education and the wider ministry of Teamwork Associates.

General Manager: The Board of Directors has recognized the need for a General Manager to ensure that management keeps abreast of other developments in the ministry and that we are able to maximize the potential we have in many areas.

Qualifications required include:

1st Degree in Business – preferably MBA with finance component. 10-15 years experience as Manager of a multi-disciplined organization. CV and job history required on application.

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Surprise Party	(Church cont'd)	(School Cont'd)
<p>Ssshhh!!!!</p> <p>We are excited to host a surprise birthday celebration on the occasion of Menzie's 75th birthday at the Centre on Saturday, November 29th from 5:00 p.m.</p> <p>We would like team players, relatives and friends, prayer partners, supporters and well wishers from far and near to participate. Please send in ideas and suggestions, CD or video greetings, gifts and tokens to Toni Anderson, Administrative Assistant. Her email address is tonianderson@email.com and her mailing address is c/o us here.</p>	<p>addition to our building.</p> <p>Please continue to pray concerning the leadership and administration of the affairs of the church.</p>	<p>challenges we face in these times are indeed great. We know however that our God is able and we remain committed to our motto, "Striving to Perfection" and to our theme for this school year, "Expanding our Horizons to Fulfil the Vision".</p>
	<p>School</p>	<p>Merry Christmas</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Church</p> <p>On Sunday, October 28, we shared the excitement with 6 persons who were baptized in the pool at Casa Torada. Please continue to pray for those being added to the kingdom and wanting to follow the Lord as his Disciples.</p> <p>Ground has been broken on the west side of the church and excavation done for a meeting room for children's church, youth ministry, hospitality and other activities. The church is making plans and trusting the Lord for the finances and building skills to complete this much needed</p>	<p>Enrollment continues to increase and now stands at 280, up from 112 in October 2000. Continuing growth is anticipated as our promotion strategies are implemented. Of the current enrollment, 74 have been placed by the Ministry of Education.</p> <p>Our second annual Fund-raising Banquet was held on November 7 at the Holiday Inn Sunspree Resort. It was a pleasant and enjoyable occasion and a financial success. Proceeds go towards construction of our sports complex on which work is to re-start during the month of November.</p> <p>Our "Open House" is to be held on Saturday, December 6 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Residents of the surrounding communities will be invited to find out more about Teamwork School.</p> <p>We praise God that we now have our full compliment of teachers. Please pray for us as the</p>	<p>As this Christmas day is nearing Think on Christ and this thought share Whom the world at large rejected He alone your sins did bare</p> <p>Come to Him who died to save you Who forgives and cares for you He will never, never leave you He will surely see you through</p> <p>Soon His coming will be sounded When the trump of God shall blast Then all we who know the Savior Will be one with Him at last.</p> <p>Have a wonderful Christmas! From: The Oban Family</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Prayer Requests</p> <p>The shipping of our truck and bus Available missions positions New church building Sports Complex Peace in the world A wonderful Christmas season</p>

Opportunity for Giving

As some of you know, the Team Work dorm doesn't have hot water. (Those cold showers wake you up real fast.) Menzie has received an estimate of US \$ 12,000 to install solar hot water systems, not only for the dorm, but also for the staff house and kitchen. This amount could be a gift from 1 person, a church, a Sunday School class, or the accumulation of many small individual gifts. This is an opportunity to improve the facilities at Team Work. Please consider what part you, your Sunday School class, or your church could have in making this improvement possible.

Opportunity for Work and Fellowship

In the Spring of 2004, a group of adults from southern New Jersey will travel to Jamaica to work and have fellowship. All are welcome to come with us or to meet us there. We would love to meet others who support this ministry and fellowship with them. If you are interested, please email us @ teamworkamerica@aol.com or write to TeamWork Associates USA, 102 Wildwood Ave., Pitman, NJ 08071. We'll provide more details as plans are finalized.

Finally

“We always thank God for all of you, mentioning you in our prayers. We continually remember before our God and Father your work produced by faith, your labor prompted by love, and your endurance inspired by hope in our Lord Jesus Christ.” 1 Thessalonians 1: 2,3