

# TEAM WORK ASSOCIATES

## Newsletter - December 2004

### Chairman's Greeting

We greet you at this Christmas time with the reminder that God is always true to his Word.

The prophecy in Isaiah 7:14, "Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a Son, and shall call His name Immanuel" (NKJ), has found fulfilment in the coming of the Lord Jesus into the world to be with us. Indeed "the Word became flesh and dwelt among us." (John 1:14 NKJ).

Let us praise God for his Word and his faithfulness and may you and yours have a safe and Holy Christmas.

Every blessing,

Menzie Oban



### Thanksgiving

At the end of another year we pay tribute and give thanks to all our trustees, board members, church members, staff, associates, friends and well-wishers who have served the ministry in many and varied ways.

For your prayer support, love and fellowship; counsel and advice; hard work; communication by letter, e-mail, fax and telephone; visits; donation of time, transportations, expertise, materials, and cash; sponsorship of students; and other evidence of moral and practical support, we offer our sincere thanks.

### New Jersey Visit

We praise God for the time of fellowship Winsome, Cleveland and I were able to enjoy with our NJ friends. We were very pleased to meet old friends and make new ones.

Special thanks to those who planned for us, accommodated us, travelled long distances to see us, on December 14.

extended yourselves to facilitate us in many ways and to provide for and load the two containers which should arrive in Jamaica on December 14. Please pray that we will be able to clear the containers speedily.

### Ministry /Work

Teamwork Associates continues to be involved in outreach as we have hosted several missions teams this year. There were 8 teams from Missions Discovery in the US as well as teams from Project Increase, Collingswood UMC, Zimmerman Baptist Youth, Reaching Out Ministries, Liberty Church, Here am I send me, Parkside Education Youth Group and Glory Unlimited. We give God thanks for the sharing of the love of our Saviour Jesus Christ on the streets, hospitals, children's homes, schools and churches.

Various local groups also used our facilities for retreats and conferences.

From January 20 - 27 we will have a group led by Skip Fuller from the Collingswood United Methodist Church. Please be in prayer for this group as they come to minister unto the Lord in Jamaica and to work on the refurbishing of our office complex and administration department that was badly damaged by Hurricane Ivan.

### WJCTC 2005

It is planning time again for the Western Jamaica Christian Teaching Conference and we have decided to continue with the theme from last year, "Empowering the church to Change the Nations".

Confirmed speakers for the adult conference are Myles Munroe, Dean Brown, and Dwight Nichols. Local input is still to be confirmed. Please be in prayer for our planning and work teams and our speakers.

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## Church

Teamwork Church and 'Send the Light' Ministries hosted a special Praise & Worship seminar on Saturday December 11 with Ministers Kevin & Anne Durant from the USA.

Nineteen churches were in attendance and we had a great time of teaching and ministry.

The Durants were at Teamwork Church for two services on Sunday, December 12. The church has been greatly blessed by their teaching and ministry.

The church has received the prophetic word to reach out to those nearby and special outreach efforts continue under the direction of J.D. and Susan Isbell. Evangelistic tent meetings are being planned for March 2005 in the Ironshore area.

## Thanksgiving



A view of the crowd at the Praise & Worship Seminar

## Jasmin Johnson



## School

Congratulations are in order for Mrs. Jasmin Johnson who was appointed Vice-Principal in November. We appreciate the input already made by Mrs. Johnson and ask you to continue to pray for God's wisdom, grace and blessing for her.

We also offer congratulations to our sports teams that have entered the netball and football Independent High Schools competitions.

Our netballers have won 2 of their 3 regional matches, and the footballers have won their 5 matches so far. The footballers expect to receive the award for rural champions and to move on to compete against the urban champion.

## FOOTBALLERS



## Netballers



## Prayer Requests

Thanks to God for his faithful provision for us

Thanks to our workers and supporters

The clearing of the 2 containers

Outreach efforts

WJCTC 2005

Special projects:

Playfield

Office refurbishing

Computer lab

Church extension

Camp facility

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