

Pray for Our Country!

For quite some time, we have been watching the situation in Haiti unravel. We have stayed fairly quiet because it feels like a betrayal to the country and people we love. This is not the Haiti we know, and as "outsiders" it is not our place to comment on such a deep-rooted, difficult political situation. We don't know the right answers. But we do know it is affecting our community and programs in St Roch. The people we know and love are suffering. We are trying to figure out the best way to help at this time. The gang situation is out of control, no gas or diesel, and limited food. Clean water is very challenging to locate, leading to another cholera outbreak. All roads are blocked including in and out of St Roch. We ask at this time for your prayers for the country and people we love. We Believe In Haiti.





School was scheduled to start in Haiti in August; however, due to the country's instability, it has still not been able to begin. Innocent children are genuinely the most affected by all of this instability. We are continuing to support the teachers and principals at our schools financially. We are also actively trying to support teacher training at the Hope Center during this time. The feeding program will be restarting after a few community-wide handouts.

As a reminder, sponsoring a child is only \$20/month or \$240/year. There are MANY children left to support, please click <u>here</u> to help a child and their family at this critical time.







We currently have three different sewing groups. The first two have completed their classes and are entering their exams. They will each create an intricate piece to showcase what they have learned for their final exam. We are excited to see their finished projects.



By now, you probably know that Believe in Haiti

- Provides tuition to children to receive an education otherwise out of reach (thanks to their sponsors)
- Provides meals to kids and families who would otherwise go without
- Teaches English to aspiring students to prepare for a brighter future
- Has farmland where locals work, in exchange for their child's tuition, to provide food and nourishing ingredients

BUT DID YOU KNOW

- Believe in Haiti employs local people with meaningful roles in the organization
- Believe in Haiti not just helps with obvious needs, but also takes their relationships with those in Haiti very seriously. They have become friends and family to us.
- Believe in Haiti participates in other Emergency Relief situations throughout Haiti
- · Has an entire board of volunteers in the US who help because their hearts are in it

There are a lot of tasks, programs, and employees that require funds to begin, progress, and advance.

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO KEEP BELIEVE IN HAITI GOING STRONG WHAT CAN YOU GIVE? <u>Donate here!</u>



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