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Our Vision

The vision for this ministry is to equip individuals & local churches to become more actively involved in Christian mission opportunities and service.

A word from Bobby

Recently, I returned from Ghana, Africa where we partnered with Coast for Christ Baptist ministry in helping place three water wells for the indigenous people of Winneba. The consecration of these three water wells drew national attention. The national news media and the radio media were there for the consecration of the wells. Even parliament sent representation. The area chief and his delegation were excited to see the water project open for the indigenous people. The happiest people were the recipients who will use these water wells and will no longer have contaminated water with infectious diseases. They will be able to give clean water to their families. Many of the recipients will still travel great distances to get the fresh clean water, one to eight miles one way. The people of Winneba send their love and thanks to you, the friends and partners of Unto the Least of His. With your help we are reaching thousands of people in Jesus' name. John 7:37 is written on the wall of the well housing.

Rev. Eddie Enim called on May 2, 2009 with a humbling report weeks later. The indigenous people are still drinking from the water wells and the temperatures are creating a greater need for water. He wanted to "Thank you for your kindness and generosity" one more time. Just an added note for the curious, I did drink from the water wells myself while I was there and it was goooood!

We are still looking for partners in the water well ministry for villages in Ghana & Kenya. If you or your church would like to help place a water well in honor or in memory of a loved one, we can help you give a gift that will keep on giving in Jesus' name.



Previous drinking water hole in Ghana, Africa



New functioning water well! Praise God!



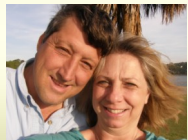
Water worth walking for!

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We would love to come and share our ministry with your church, Sunday school class, circle, civic group, school or community event. Please continue to pray for this ministry as we reach out to the least in our world.

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We would like to thank our partners in this ministry. God has made you a part of this ministry to serve Him and the least.



Thank you!

A Changed Life

Brian Hall wanted to do the right thing with his church, Mt. Pleasant UMC. He accepted the opportunity that his pastor, Rev. David Blackwood, presented to his congregation. What Brian did not expect was for the New Orleans mission experience to transform his life. He realized that his life and home were not so bad after being in New Orleans for a short period of time. Then came the big change in Brian's mind, he believed that he could get his G.E.D. after being out of school for about 20 years. He enrolled in some G.E.D. classes after returning from the mission trip. He will take the test this month, on the 21st. Upon completion, he will enroll in Law Enforcement School to be a policeman, which has been his life-long dream! Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him and He will direct your path. Proverbs 3:5-6



Rev. David Blackwood
& Brian Hall

Clothes Ministry Continues

We would like to thank Wrightsville UMC, Leslie and Desoto UMC, Sparks UMC, Warwick UMC, Irwinton – Toombsboro UMC, Midway UMC, Ingleside UMC, Powersville UMC and individuals who have helped us collect used clothes for mission work overseas and locally. We would like to extend an invitation to all to join us in this clothing project. We will take your used or new clothes. It is a great way to act locally with a far reaching result.



Hahira UMC



More Lives Changed!

In March 2009, we took another mission group to New Orleans that included 8 different churches.

Rev. Don Black and Rev. Mary Ann Braswell were leading the team. Pine UMC, Bryromville UMC, Bethel UMC, Stapleton UMC, Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Hill Baptist Church were 6 of the churches. These 8 different churches worked at 2 different locations. One group worked on a house near the lower ninth ward and the other group worked in a community center near the French Quarters. These different churches were unified by the love of God and the love of people.

In April 2009, Rev. Ken Morgan and Hahira UMC went back to New Orleans for the fourth time. Another changed life took place. Doug Tolson, who led the work coordination for the mission team each time they have gone, had a transformation in his life. During June of this year, Doug will lead his first mission team from Hahira UMC to complete the work of an elderly lady's home. Equipping and training the saints for mission work is our vision. I love to see God setting the leaders free to do the work of the kingdom!