

We at Mission of Grace are proud to serve Haiti and pray that we will do so to the best of our ability for many years to come. We desire to see lives changed and to see people filled with a hope and joy that can only come from knowing and serving Jesus.

We have several core ministries but at our heart are the children whom the hope of Haiti's future lies within and who are being raised to be the leaders of their country. Teaching them to love others, to have morals and ethics is of utmost importance.

Children of Grace Orphanage

The Children of Grace opened its door in 2010 in direct response after the mudslide in Carriès and the Haitian earthquake. We now operate in two locations, the original in Carriès and the other in Plaisance Sud. We've estimated that two-thirds of our 70 children would not be alive today without our presence. Some of our children have lost their parents; some have been abandoned while others have been given to us by parents who are unable to care for them. We provide housing, food, clothing, medical care and schooling for the children. We have taken the children from hopeless situations and are raising them to be the future of Haiti with a foundation in a belief in God, that they are loved and that God has great plans for their lives.



Young Girls Home

Our girls home opened in the spring of 2015 with the goal of providing housing, education and an environment of family, love, and support for at-risk teen girls. Our home currently houses 16 girls and gives the necessary stability and guidance to secure a brighter future. We provide more than just education and a bed; we offer hope and an escape from the cycle of young pregnancy, poverty and broken families.

Grace Community School

From the beginning of our mission, we have known that those we provide for and those in our community must be educated to move ahead and to further the progress in Haiti. Grace Community School seeks to serve the children of Carriès and the surrounding mountain communities who would otherwise be unable to receive an education. Each year we see growth and confidence in the children as they unlock their potential and discover the possibilities that await them.

We currently have nearly 120 students in our free school and when our new school opens in the Fall of 2016 we will be able to educate 350. Not only do we provide a free education, but we feed each of the children two meals a day. Sponsorship opportunities for individual students are available.

Grace Elderly Home

Our current elderly residence houses six grandmas and one grandpa who are lovingly looked after by four caregivers. We provide a clean, comfortable and safe place for the elderly of our community to rest and find peace as they live out their last years of life. A larger home is currently under construction and will open in the Spring of 2016 and it will provide housing for more than 30 elderly patrons.



Grace Community Medical Clinic

Founded in 2012, the clinic provides free services to all as we strive to make a healthier community. Open five days a week, we currently see nearly 70 patients a day for a myriad of reasons with infections, prenatal care, high blood pressure and malnourishment being areas of highest concern. We offer educational services and support to better the overall health of the entire community.

The clinic employs one doctor, one nurse, two security guards and has a healthy and prospering volunteer organization.



Grace Community Church

Our church is a quickly expanding central point for the community. More than 200 people attend our Sunday service and we also offer men's and women's Bible studies, community feedings and a place of refuge and peace where people can come together and meet in love, respect and support.



Single Mothers Home

Our newest ministry is a house for single mothers where they can escape the burdens of poverty and neglect. We provide a safe haven, education and training so a life of poverty does not have to be a way of life. In the future we hope to expand from the small house to something much larger.

THE MISSION OF GRACE

When a 2009 mudslide took many lives in the village of Carries [Car-ee-ess], Haiti, Linotte and Jean Joseph opened up their home and hearts with love and compassion and welcomed a hundred people to be fed bowls of spaghetti. When Linotte asked God how she could best serve this community she found the answer not far from her front door. Linotte walked across the street one day and found a young woman in labor and tried to help her, but by the time they had organized a vehicle to take the woman to a hospital an hour away, the mother and baby died. Linotte knew that this woman's death was so unnecessary and could have been prevented. At that moment she became a voice with a mission to serve this community. Soon she had a small orphanage and was a community leader.

In 2010 a young Canadian woman, Kim O'Dwyer, came to Haiti for a two month stay, but upon meeting Linotte she sensed something special was happening in Carries and wanted to be a part of the mission. She asked if she could come and serve the Mission of Grace and has been a blessing from God and answer to a prayer. The two have been together since 2011 and have seen amazing growth in the mission and in the community. During their time together the Mission of Grace orphanage has grown from 18 kids to over 70, a new elderly home is being built and will accommodate 30 grandmas and grandpas, a school of 180 children was started and when the new school opens in the Fall of 2016, 350 students will be able to attend, a clinic was built as well as other smaller missions were planted or are planned.

The Mission of Grace believes that there is a plan and a purpose for every life here in Haiti, and Linotte, Kim and many others have dedicated their lives to help raise Haiti's future leaders.



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“With God, all things are possible.”

Matthew 19:26