

The Brockintons in Belize --- October 2016 Newsletter



FRIEND DAY PICS: Friend Day was a powerful, unbelievable day for the LifeNet Family. Friend Day is a Sunday every year that we reach out to our **unchurched** friends, neighbors and relatives. This **year we had 311**, which is our largest Sunday in the history of LifeNet. It was so crowded that people stood outside the room. We had **4 salvations** and about 20 unchurched families visit the church. We had a cupcake social after church.



LEON (from pimping to praising): Recently a leader in our church reached out to a common-law couple and they began coming to church. They both rededicated their lives back to the Lord. I am excited to tell you that last Friday, they got **married**.

If this is not exciting enough, then you need to hear a little of his story. Grew up in Belize City, **fatherless home**, raised by his grandmother. Got involved in the **gangs** and immigrated to Las Vegas where he became a **pimp**. Eventually came back to Belize where the Lord showed up in a vision which drew him to seek guidance. This led him to one of our leaders, Robert, that led him to come back to the Lord and get plugged into LifeNet. He and his wife Ola are going through our discipleship as well.



REACHING THE UNREACHED: On Friend Day, we had a young **Taiwanese** lady come who **had never visited a church** before in her life. This young lady will be moving in with one of our families soon and I have no doubt she will come to the Lord very soon. Her name is Raincy – please keep her in your prayers.



A POWERFUL MOVE OF GOD: LifeNet is experiencing a powerful move of God. Our average attendance for the month of October was nearly **260 people**, which is about 60 more than normal. We have had **7 salvations** and **11 baptisms** in October. The presence of the Lord in our service has been **powerful**.

SECOND WELL: The first well is complete--which is used for washing, toilet and showers for three families. Now we are in the process of digging a deep water well to be used to supply drinking water to about 100 people in the village. LifeNet received funds from Grace Covenant Church and is also partnering with another ministry here to provide this well. This should begin soon.



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BAPTISMS: We **baptized 7 people** and another ministry connected to LifeNet baptized another 4 in October. Pictured is **Larisha**, our 9 year foster daughter.



THE BUILDING UPDATE: The downstairs, outside walls are finished. The next big step is the **upstairs floor** (this is the most expensive part--about \$50,000US), After that, we need to finish the upstairs walls costing about \$15,000US. Moving forward, we just need funding for it.



OUR BUDGET: I recently wrote an email to about 100 people that receive our newsletter. This is a portion of what it said, **"2016 has been particularly hard on our budget for a few reasons: We lost some financial support due to economic reasons, our insurance went up \$90 a month. Inflation in Belize has been high this year and almost everything is costing more. Next year, we will have 2 kids in college, we will need to buy Tori a car in May for college and we also took in another foster child. Foster children come with no allowance from the government like they would in the states. We are now a family of 7, working toward adopting these 2 Belizean children"**. This pretty much sums it up. Please continue to pray for us. Our budget is supported by individuals and churches and we must raise 100% of our own budget. Pray that additional churches and individuals will catch the vision and expand our support. Foursquare churches have the option of designating a portion of their missions giving directly to a local missionary. If this is of interest, please let me know. **For those that sow sacrificially, thank you so much. It means so much. We are not asking for you to increase, just praying for others to join us on the journey and sow into the work here.**

MORE PICS: Pic #1 (below): In Children's church, two weeks ago, we had 73 kids + 6 toddlers.
 Pic #2: The Friend Day cupcake social.
 Pic #3: Little Amir enjoying his cupcake.



MORE PICS: Pic #1 (right): Our Youth Net. We have **30-40 youth** between the ages of 14-20 coming weekly. Most churches do not have a weekly youth meeting. We have a few coming from different churches.

Pic #2: Frontal view of the building.

Pic #3 : Side view of the newly erected walls.



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