## Greetings to all,

This overdue communication is an update of the last 18 months.













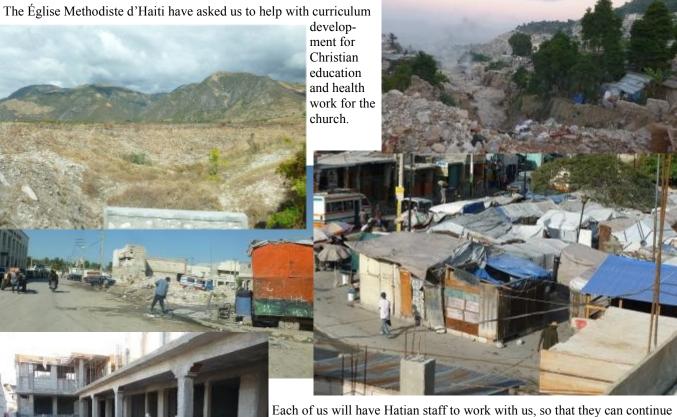
## Haiti

So what was this about us both leaving our jobs at the end of March 2012?

We have been accepted as Mission Partners again by the Methodist Church and have been employed by the church from April. We were invited by the Methodist church in Haiti to visit as the final stage of our interview process which started in January

2011 when we first contacted World Church Relationships to say we felt we were again called to offer to serve as Mission Partners. These pictures are from that brief 6 day visit.





Each of us will have Hatian staff to work with us, so that they can continue the work when we leave, as well as help us understand the culture and traditions which will affect how the programmes will develop.

Sharon will help to develop the teaching materials for Sunday School (ages 3-18), and for Youth, Women's and Men's groups as well as updating training for 600 local Preachers.

John will help to update the 11 clinics which the church has, to establish them on a sound footing, and start up a community health programme for the church for as many communities as request this.

Arrangements for travel and also for our Commissioning Service have now been made. The service will be on Friday 3rd August at 7:30pm at St. Andrew's Methodist Church, Tonge Moor, Bolton. BL2 3BJ, with light refreshments before the service and hot drinks / juice and biscuits afterwards. Please remember this in prayer, and if you wish to attend let us know (harbottlejs@gmail.com or 01204596873).



We arrive in Haiti during the final week of August so as to be with the church there at the start of the Methodist year on 1st September. Your support with prayer will be greatly appreciated.

With our love and best wishes

Sharon and John.

