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Previous Highlights

- Meet our preachers
 - o Their financial need
 - o Material & equipment needs
 - o We love what we do & do what we love. And Philena is amazing!!!

Current Highlights

- Summer work highlights
 - o Select keys visits and ministry goals
 - o Wakenaam, Lethem Town
 - o Cotton Tree & New Amersterdam
- Philip Duncan's important work.
- Beginning to use internet
- Richard Adams starts school
- Many pictures from Awarewaunau Village

Those who drink the water that I give will never be thirsty again.

(John 4:14)



Dear Readers

Preparations are underway for a July Guyana trip. I will visit several of our preachers to encourage and enhance their work.

Clinton Fredricks (Wakenaam) and Sylvan Alcides (Culvert City) will receive personalized ministry at-



tention and sermon tools. I will visit with Dharmendra Ramgobin, at Cotton Tree, the first in two years, which will greatly encourage him since he has suffered many personal and ministry hardships. Sister Violet Clarke, a longtime cook for Amerindian Missions teams, continues to suffer greatly from her fall, in Oct. 2017. Glen Brown (Nappi & St. Ignatius) and Ernesto John (Bon Fim, Brazil) are also on my radar. They are among our exceptional servants in the Lethem Town area.

In Lethem Town, Philip Duncan assists the Culvert City church in continuing to lay groundwork for our future Marriage Officers. It's been more than a year since our last mention of movement in this area. I am very pleased to say that we are legally closer. This is a profound point in God's work because Marriage Officers are such a pivotal part of legal marriage, and encourages cohabitating couples to fix their sinful relationship with each other and their spiritual standing with God.

Also in Lethem Town, is the center of our internet Bible classes to assist the church. While the remoteness of villages makes internet classes a dream, it is possible at the Culvert City church. Each congregation needs it greatly, but we can only start with the opportunities and open doors in front of us.

Richard Adams has served the last year as grounds keeper for the compound on which the Culvert City Church of Christ assembles and where GCU students receive instruction. He has recently relocated his family to the St. Ignatius Village where he is building a house. I have seen the plot of land, and it is hard, rocky soil. The foundation and water-well must be dug by hand. He is a hardworking Christian man who has decided to enhance his knowledge of the Scriptures through training at GCU. We know he will do well.

Oavid and Philena















he recent trip to Awarewaunau Village in Guyana's Deep South went well. The five or so baptisms were encouraging to the local church as was advice given for some problems between members. Overall, the church there is doing as good as anyone can expect under the conditions of this remote, hardscrabble area. While we did not have as many baptisms as other campaigns that are similar in nature—about 20+, normally—we did have much good success for the local church and for Christians in adjacent villages. All the pictures on this page are from that campaign.



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