



Lutheran Mission Association - 2010-11 Shipping Container -

The following is a listing of needs for the shipping container that will be sent to Cap Haitien, Haiti. Our initial deadline for receiving items has been extended. Items should be “ship ready” - packed, taped, and labeled on five sides of the package - and brought to our storage trailer at Dick Schmidt’s house (south of Bemidji on Hwy 71, 1 mile east of Hwy 71 on Hubbard Co 9, on the north side of the highway).

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**PLEASE NOTE: PLEASE, NO MORE WOMEN’S CLOTHES
(EXCEPT DRESSES & SHOES - BUT NO HIGH HEELS). THANK YOU!**

CHURCH

Folding chairs

Tables (both long and card tables)

Musical instruments (especially good keyboards, accordians, guitars - with extra set of strings)

Microphone systems with speakers and mixer

Lecterns

Communion ware

Communion wafers

Bibles in French or Creole

Luther’s Small Catechisms in French

French language hymnals at \$20 each (available through [CPH](#))

SEWING CENTER

Thread

Fabric (bright colors, African styles)

Crochet thread, hooks

Embroidery hoops, thread

Large spools of thread

COOKING CENTER

Propane stove

Apartment refrigerator, gas

Silverware

Cupboards

Stainless steel industrial kitchen set

Water heater, small, gas

Linens

Pots and pans

Cookie sheets

Family kits (see page for KIT CONTENTS)

Small freezer (non-working is ok)

CLINIC (with questions on medications and other supplies, contact Deb Larson)

Exam tables (non-electric)

TV-DVD-VCR Combo

Stainless steel counter

Snack size Ziplock bags

Porcelain toilet

2x4 Shipping Labels

Porcelain sink

Cabinets (locking)

Over-the-counter medications

Metal crutches

Storage tubs (small, for pharmacy - shoebox size)

Paper envelopes for medications

SCHOOLS

Uniforms (for pattern and instructions, contact Lil Spilde)

School kits (see page for KIT CONTENTS)

Outdoor playground stuff: swing set, hula hoops, jump ropes, soccer balls, etc.

Locking cabinets, storage cases

Maps - Any subject matter - Haiti, World, National Geographic

Chalkboards

Chalk, erasers

Textbooks (we will gather up donations to purchase French language textbooks in Haiti so the schools can own the textbooks rather than require the children to buy their own)

Computer Projector

Kindergarten mats

Backpacks

Bibles and Catechisms (both in French)

Felt chalkboard erasers

Rotary Pencil Sharpener (manually operated, wall-mounting variety)

CLOTHING

Children's shoes

Scarves for women

Women's shoes (no high heels)

Caps

Men's shoes, especially work boots

Sunglasses

Rain boots for all ages

Women's dresses (SMALL ONLY. No plus sizes.)

Men's clothing (NO plus sizes.)

Work gloves

Socks and underwear

Infant, toddler, and children's clothing

Infant carriers

Jogging-type strollers (the roads/streets are not smooth enough for regular strollers)

TOOLS, ETC.

Wheelbarrows

Spades

Shovels

Hammers

Hand saws

Screwdrivers

Hand operated cement mixers

Portable generators, gas or diesel

Skill saw

Water pumps (surface, shallow, and deep)

Cement screws

Pliers

4x8 plywood

4x4 lumber

PVC pipes, all sizes, including perforated sewer pipes

PVC joints (for above pipes)

Galvanized metal for roofing

Chicken wire

Chain link fencing

Picnic table kits

Bed frames with mattresses

Rat traps

Plastic tubs

OFFICE SUPPLIES

Copiers

Printers (Kodak)

Digital camera

MONEY!

The cost of shipping a container is about \$7,200 plus customs (which can be near \$4,000). Any help with the shipping cost will be greatly appreciated.

KIT CONTENTS

NEWBORN KIT:

- 1 receiving blanket
- 4 cloth diapers (may be made of t-shirts - contact Lil Spildee for pattern)
- 2 onesies or short-sleeved undershirts (small)
- 1 sleeper
- 2 bibs
- 1 bar of gentle soap (like Ivory)
- 1 bottle of baby lotion (taped shut with masking tape)
- 10 alcohol wipes
- 2 pairs of small plastic pants (can be purchased online)
- 2 diaper pins
- 1 soft washcloth

Instructions: Lay all items on the receiving blanket. Fold up tightly and secure with the two diaper pins.

HYGIENE KIT:

- 1 hand towel
- 1 bar of soap
- 1 bottle of lotion
- 1 bottle of shampoo
- 1 nail clipper
- 1 hair pick (NOT toothed comb)
- 1 washcloth
- 4 safety pins
- 1 toothbrush (in plastic bag or original case)
- 1 tube of toothpaste (large)

Instructions: Using the hand towel, put the hygiene kit articles on it, fold up tightly, and secure with the four safety pins. Please do not put in motel sized soap, toothpaste, shampoo, or lotion; if you have an abundance of small bottles of shampoo or lotion, pour them into larger bottles.

SCHOOL KIT:

- 2 pencils
- 1 pencil sharpener
- 1 eraser
- 1 ruler (metric)
- 1 box of 8 color crayons
- 2 pads of paper (5 x 8, at the largest)
- 1 children's scissor

Instructions: Pack all of the items for the school kit in a sealable plastic bag.

FAMILY KIT:

Set of four plates, cups, saucers, cereal bowls (Corelle is preferred) and plastic glasses

Set of silverware for four

Paring knife, larger knife

Stainless steel pot scrubber

Two dishtowels, two dishcloths, two potholders

Dishpan (plastic)

2 large stainless cooking spoons

2 kettles (1 medium, 1 larger, non-coated, with lids)

Colander (plastic or metal)

Citrus juice squeezer

2 small storage containers with lids

Salt & Pepper Shakers (metal or plastic) (full of salt and pepper)

Instructions: Add other items that you have available: Hand-beaters, strainers, frying pans, rolling pins, etc. Pack all items in box or tub.