



food for a week and sent it to his home. Many times we complain about our situation but there are people who are worse off than us.

CHURCH PLANTING: We continue working in La Lima and in Lejamaní, Comayagua with evangelization. Pastor, Roberto in La Lima, he recently baptized 14 new believers And the Church in Lejamaní, baptized seven new people. Congregations continue to sow the Light of the gospel. Thank you for your support and prayer.



WOMEN MINISTRY: Marina continues to support the sewing school in Lejamaní. At this moment there are only 6 students. We also continue working with the



workshops so that women raise their self-esteem and this next November 3 is scheduled an event in the city Progreso, where about 150 women are expected for this congress. Marina and I will be in Honduras, October, November and part of December. ***Please cover us with your prayers.***



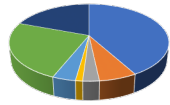
CHILDREN: Last Saturday, a series of 8 lessons about Bible stories was finished in which children in the soup kitchen are instructed in the Bible. We have about 160 children that we support with lunch, before going to school. Please pray for these families. Many of these single mothers have no work. It was reported to me that one of the volunteers who serves in the Bible school, went to pick up some children, it was about nine o'clock in the morning and the children



were not ready . and she ask what happened, the mother sadly told her that she let them sleep the whole morning and I woke them up before sending them to the Feeding center, for lunch, that way they did not ask for breakfast—hoping lunch would hold them through the afternoon. God have mercy on our people. And to you once again—***Thank you for supporting us ... EP***



Mission Distributions Jan-June 2018 \$223,000



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Focus on Finances

Budget for 2018 is \$ 483,500
First Six Months Income \$ 223,000
Summer Income \$ 35,000
Total to Date: \$ 258,000
Needed Sept-Dec. \$ 225,500
That means we need \$ 56,375 each of those four months or \$1,879 per day. Therefore:
Let us Focus on Prayer & Giving

SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER ARE HEAVY MISSION MONTHS



FOCUS ON CUBA

BRIAN JAMES & DR. LEWIS: SEPTEMBER 26 – OCTOBER 10

The first week Brian and Terry will travel 728 kilometers east by car to Holguin to meet with the orphaned children from the plane crash this spring that killed their parents who were pastors. Each of their birthdays happen to be in September so we will arrange a birthday party for them with a pinata and cake along with some gifts. They love the ocean and we want to bring them some snorkles and masks. Some of their care-givers have some personal needs and we will bring that to them.

We will also be working that week with Teen Challenge in Holguin where two of the students are graduating. We will do a tour of some of the mission

churches in the area to encourage them and minister to them. Amilkar will be with us from Havana and he has an amazing testimony of how God saved him. He was a high-ranking warlock and God turned him into an evangelist. This is all in the first week. We will then drive back to Havana to pick up the Men's Mission Team arriving on October 3.

The second week will be focusing on ministry in two Provinces. We will do leadership training, evangelism, micro-financing, feed-a-village, minister in various churches, and just allow us to be blessed by God and our Cuban brothers and sisters as we fellowship together. You can still join this Men's Mission Team if you contact Dr. Lewis before he leaves. You need to contact him prior to September 25th by email or by phone to arrange your participation in this adventure with God and missions. **Still need another \$ 5000 before we leave in a couple of weeks...pray.**



Do you have any used phones that are NOT older than 3 years old. Reason: The Cuban government has changed the phone system so that those with phones older than 3 years will no longer work. That means the majority of Cubans will have lost their way to communicate both in and outside of Cuba. You could mail us your old phone and it will go to Cuba.



FOCUS ON ETHIOPIA

BERHANU GOES BACK TO ETHIOPIA: SEPTEMBER 18 – OCTOBER 30.

God is doing an amazing things in Ethiopia. We are seeing literally thousands of Muslims being converted to Christianity. On one of the last trips we provided 30,000 discipleship manuals designed specifically for these new Christians and trained church leadership in having a united approach to disciple these Muslim converts. Now we need thousands of Bibles in their language that we can purchase in Ethiopia. We are facilitating the baptism of thousands of Muslim converts by providing transportation to a secure area and providing four days of lodging and training before their baptism. We are helping the poorest of families with their "Back to School" needs for their children. We have also

built some very humble places of worship in four different communities for these new converts. We are providing training and help to pastors and providing some resources for an orphanage. We are praising God for a newly elected Christian Prime Minister who is bringing peace to our country. Thank God for this man He has put in place. Christians are having more freedom than they have for many years. Persecution of Christians still exists and there are horrifying examples of this. Christ is the light of the world and He is starting to shine brighter every day as revival is coming to Ethiopia. ***The budget for this mission trip is \$ 51,000 and \$32,000 has been raised. That means another \$20,000 is urgently needed before Berhanu leaves on September 18th.*** You can call in a credit card donation or make a donation on line using our website.



FOCUS ON ISRAEL GRANT & ROBERTA GO BACK TO ISRAEL

They leave at the end of the month and will return in October. Although the entire budget for this trip has been met prayer is needed and you might want to add support to the purpose of their trip. C.E.O.Ministries is supporting a school that empowers children with physical and mental challenges regardless of ethnicity, citizenship, or ideology. These simply are children. They need expert help medically in physical rehabilitation and empowering their mental and social capacity

to be the best they can be. The improvements in various children have, at times, been nothing short of a miracle. The advancements and technology that the Israeli people have developed is being used world-wide and in particular—with this school.

The cost of operating such a school with such a high calibre of personnel and state-of-the-art equipment and technology is huge. You may want to join in supporting this school's excellent ministry of helping those who are least able to help themselves. We will send your added support along with Grant and Roberta and added it to the amount we are sending. You need to make that contribution quickly as they are leaving end of September. You can also pray for their safety and wisdom in travel.



PLEASE PRAY AS BERHANU GOES TO ETHIOPIA SEPT. 18, BRIAN & TERRY TO CUBA, SEPT. 26, ERNESTO & MARINA GO TO HONDURAS SEPT. 27, GRANT & ROBERTA TO ISRAEL, SEPT. 28, MEN'S MISSION TEAM TO CUBA, OCT. 3.

Induction Service for Berhanu Ayano

November 15th @ 6:00 p.m.

Kilcona Alliance Church 1977 Norris Road, N.E. Winnipeg

Dessert Night & Special Music

Berhanu's Report on Ethiopia

We pray this will be a God-filled night as we formally and publicly install Berhanu Ayano as the Associate Director of Christians Empowering Ministries. God gave Moses an associate Joshua, and to Elijah, God gave Elisha, and to Paul, God gave Timothy. Now the evening may not be as spectacular and found in 2 Kings 2 but I believe that Berhanu will take the work farther than I did as God empowers him. You do not want to miss that special evening God has for us.



Enneagram Retreat:

September 21-23 @ Wilderness Edge,
Pinawa, Manitoba

*Discover why you do what you do—how our
gifts are also our challenges and traps.*

*Video Presentations by Richard Rohr facilitated
by Dr. Terry Lewis*

Friday

5:30 Arrive and Check in
6:30 Supper
7:30 Introduction and Overview
9:30 Snack

Saturday

8:00 am Breakfast
9:00 Session 2
10:30 Break
11:00 Session 3
12:30 Lunch
1:30 Session 4
3:00 Break
3:30 Session 5
5:30 Supper
6:30 Session 6
7:30 Break
8:00 Session 7
9:30 Snack

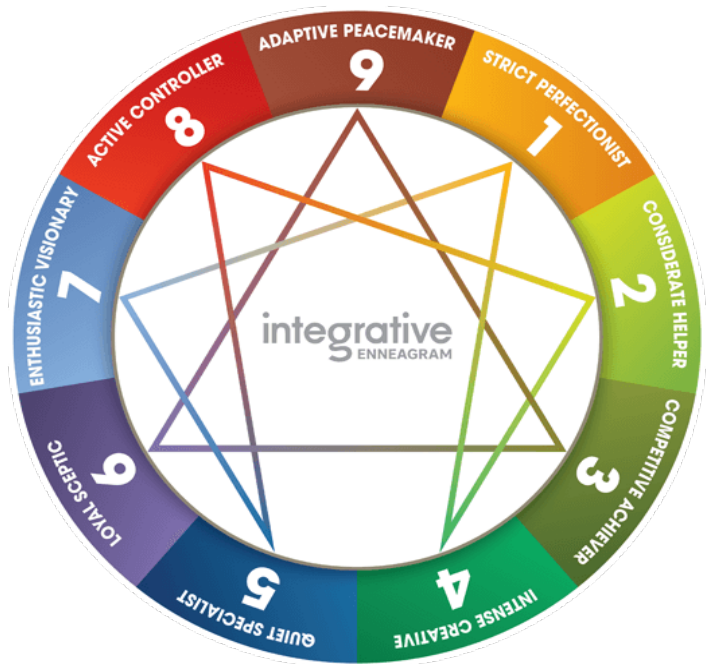
Sunday

8:00 am Breakfast
9:00 Panel with the 9 Types
11:00 Retreat ends...Check out

**Early Bird Registration: (by September 19) is
\$ 125/person** includes your room and meals
beginning Friday at 6 pm. No charge for the video
presentations, interactions and discussions. Bring
your laptop, tablet, or phone to take the test and
notes as you learn about yourself, your marriage
and why others relate to you the way they do.
Registration at the door is \$ 150/person.

This could be a life-changing weekend as we
get insight into how God made us in our own
individualistic way and how that can be used to
help us understand and value each other.

The Enneagram is a tool, like a stethoscope—it
works on everyone regardless of faith, ethnicity or
gender. It is not a religion or cult—it is simply a
tool. Dr. Lewis states *that it has helped him
integrate his studies in theology, Bible,
psychology, and education into an application
that helps him apply Romans 12:2 in his own life.*



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P.C. _____ Phone: _____

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**Please make cheques or credit card payable to: C.E.O.Ministries
and include payment with registration**

Or

**Register on Line: <https://faithprohero.wixsite.com/enneagram>
or by email: ceoministriescanada@gmail.com or by phone
(204) 227-0966**

**Early Bird registration prior to September 19 is \$125/person
At the Door Registration is \$150**

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Empowering Ministries to ...

*Reach the Lost, Revive the weak, Rescue the fallen, Restore the
broken, Reconcile the offended, Release the Discipled*

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