

MBGCT BELIZE NEWS

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"Go ye therefore and teach all nations" Matthew 28:19



2025 G. V. Clark Feed the People/Institute & Revival

On December 8-12 2025, seventy-one Missionaries, representing Missionary Baptist General Convention of Texas Foreign Mission Board, traveled to Belize, Central America to continue the work of going into all the world to preach the gospel and serve the people of Belize. We were honored to share this opportunity of service with our convention President, Rev. William T. Glynn, and special guest, President of NBCA International, Inc. Dr. Samuel C. Tolbert, Jr., Pictured above is the delegation. Time and space will not permit us to tell every nuance and interaction the Missionaries experienced while in Belize. There were a number of first-time attendees, and many veterans, who have traveled to Belize for over 20 years.

Months of planning and preparation culminated on that Monday when we arrived at our locations. Due to the increase in the number of travelers, Sister Shonette Curtis-Hill made arrangements for two hotels for our accommodations: San Ignacio Resort and the Rolston Hotel. Dr. Barbara Bookman coordinated the soliciting, collecting, gathering, packaging, and shipping of over 5,000 items of clothing and shoes for the Belizean residents. Additionally, she scheduled teams to work late into the evening on Monday, preparing the items to be distributed at the five Satellite Mission Stations: Ontario Christian Community Church (O3C), Zion Outreach Ministries, Holy Ghost Church I, New Life Church of God, and Christian Worship Pentecostal Church. Sister Jacquelyn Robertson ensured that all Missionaries were assigned a task, that fit with their gifts, and had everything documented in a booklet which became our roadmap for the stay. Hats off to the MBGCT Foreign Mission Board.

MBGCT spreads the word in new ways; now we are bi-lingual.



The centerpiece of the Mission to Belize is the Institute. This is the teaching arm of the convention led by Dean Sammy Siverand. Rev. Siverand selected 'Sharing the Gospel, Good News on the Go.' A text on Practical Evangelism was provided for each instructor. The classes were divided by age group, for the young people. There was also a Women's class, a Men's class and a class for the Ministers. The Young adult class had a unique situation occur the first night. As Sister Birdie Sadberry was teaching, she realized that there were four or five students who spoke little to no English. But look at how God worked it out! She was paired with a first time Missionary, Sister Maria Louisa Robertson, a retired educator, who jumped right in and translated the lesson in Spanish. Sister Robertson created visuals and handouts for the students and they received the Word in their tongue. "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria and to the ends of the earth." Acts 1:8

TO GOD BE THE GLORY!



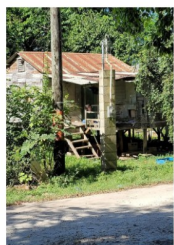
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500 boxes of food, along with clothing and shoes were distributed at 5 Satellite Mission Stations.



During the Revival at Ontario Christian Community Church (O3C) the children sang and led us into worship.



Missionaries visited 32 homes in the villages. Prayers were offered for those in the homes, along with the Invitation to Discipleship. Each household was blessed with a monetary donation.



'Smooth Stones of Remembrance' We stand on their shoulders: Rev. Dr. E. Stanley Branch, Rev. Dr. James E. Obey, Rev. R. A. Abercrombie, Rev. S. R. Dominique, Rev. Alvin R. Evans, Rev. Ralph Daniels, Rev. Thomas Sneed, Rev. Dr. Albert E. Chew, Rev. Hubert E. Debose, Rev. Dr. G. V. Clark

Spotlight on Paying Tribute, and Saying Thank You: AWARDS NIGHT



On Thursday evening of our stay, the second Awards Night was held in the Bedran Hall of the San Ignacio Resort Hotel. The Awards were presented by Presidents Glynn and Tolbert. The honorees were as follows: Narrator: Sister Jackie Robertson

Recipients:

Rev. Dr. Ivie Rich, Rev. William T. Glynn, Rev. Dr. Samuel C. Tolbert, Jr., and Satellite Pastors:

Rev. Ernest Tate,

Rev. George Lambey,

Rev. Santiago McCoy, Rev. Anthony Goff, Adm. Wayne Peters,

Bro. Bernard Kornelsen, Owner of Farmers Trading Center

Narrator: Sister Shonette Curtis Hill-Recipients, Hotel-Sis. Paulita Bedran Figueroa, Bro. Jessie Tzib, Sis. Perla Montero, Sis. Felicia Alvarez, Sis. Shamiro Marrufo, Bro. Marlon Naj, Bro. Elito Constancia, Bro. Ramiro Constancia, Sis. Consuelo Santos, Sis. Sandra Morris,

Airport-Sis. Rina Esmali (Auto Rental) Bro. Francisco Matute, (Porter)

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