



Dear Friends and Family,

**PRAY FOR HAITI!** Early Saturday morning, August 14, southwestern Haiti was hit with a 7.2 magnitude earthquake. All MAF staff are safe and we have initiated relief efforts with numerous other groups, such as Samaritan’s Purse, Missionary Flights International, and Agape Flights.

A little over a week later, the death toll is now over 2,200, with more than 12,000 injured, and hundreds still missing! Nearly 53,000 homes are understood to be destroyed, as well as many churches, hospitals, and schools. Three days after the quake, tropical storm Grace dumped some 10 inches of rain on that part of Haiti, triggering mudslides, hampering relief efforts—already slowed by damaged bridges and roads, as well as gang violence that has been rising in recent years!



Flight carrying nurses to Jeremie on Aug 14



Danita's Children medical staff praying before flight

**MAF flights are crucial**—carrying medical response teams and extra staff, medicines, and other supplies to the affected areas. Return flights carry injured patients that need special care.

One example is with a partner called Danita’s Children. On August 20, we transported three physicians and five nurses, as well as 800 pounds of medical supplies, to Jeremie.

**The MAF documentary, *Ends of the Earth***, will make its theater debut on October 18 and 21. It will show in over 700 movie theaters nationwide as a Fathom event, with releases for viewing in churches intended as well.

*Ends of the Earth* will tell the story of MAF's work with our partners to fulfill the Great Commission. Our desire in sharing this story is to inspire others to respond to the call to serve in missions with MAF or others and help bring the transformative power of the gospel to isolated people.



Details can be found at <https://www.endsoftheearthmovie.com/>. (Clicking on the lower right image—or scanning it with a smartphone—should take you to the same page.)

There will be missions footage, interviews,

journeys with Global South believers, and of course, beautiful aerial footage and landscapes from the places where we serve.

**We encourage you to let others know about the movie!**



Want to see more?  
Check out a nationwide documentary film in October about what God is doing through MAF.



[endsoftheearthmovie.com](https://www.endsoftheearthmovie.com)

We have recently returned from a very refreshing and sometimes very busy time of deputation and vacation. We traveled by air to Indiana and took some road trips in Indiana and Wisconsin. We had the privilege of sharing about our MAF ministry in two churches and with a number of you—some in person, a few just by phone or by video call. Sorry we did not get to talk with each of you, perhaps we can visit later.



A special family moment with Tyrings and HARRISES after church

**Thank you** to those of you who are continuing and even increasing your financial support and for those who are joining our support team! And thank you for your prayers! Each gift and prayer is a blessing to us and our MAF ministry. **Currently, our support is back up to about 85%!**

It was nice to have Abby and her boyfriend Adam along with us for the first part of our trip. One highlight for us was to spend time with family and friends. Our time at Oregon Baptist Church and First Baptist Church were special, as were the times with friends and family in a variety of well-ventilated or outdoor settings. We are thankful that we have all stayed healthy during this time. We continue to pray for those who are dealing with a variety of challenges. Once again thank you for your prayers and support for us, our family, and our ministry with MAF! We invite you to pray about joining our ministry team.



Candy's niece Kyla

**We are also pleased to introduce you to our new grandbaby Elinor Jean**, who is about six weeks old as we write this newsletter. Grace, Lynn-Steven, and baby are all doing well. I (Candy) am looking forward to being a part of Elinor's care team as Grace goes back to work. Praise God with us for this precious new life. May she early know Jesus as her Savior and Lord!



Abby and Adam



With baby Elinor—2 days old!

Please pray for the spiritual and physical health of the people we serve. May MAF be effective in sharing the good news of Jesus Christ, offering hope, help, and healing in various places around the world through aviation. Thank you!

*Blessings,  
Jim & Candy*



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