



# CARIBBEAN RADIO LIGHTHOUSE

*Send out thy Light and thy Truth* Psalm 43:3

January 2022

Hello from everyone at the Caribbean Radio Lighthouse on Antigua! Like the rest of the world, the COVID-19 situation in Antigua has had huge fluctuations. When I last wrote in October, Antigua had just gone through its largest number of active, confirmed cases and related deaths throughout the entire pandemic. Along with a mandatory curfew and other restrictions, the churches were only allowed to have 25 attendees at a service. By the end of November, the number of active cases was nearly zero. The state of emergency, the curfew, and some protocols (which had been in place since spring 2020) were lifted just before Christmas! But now, during the first two weeks of January, the confirmed cases are increasing significantly... Praise God, that the Word of God is never changing, and CRL continues to spread the Good News of the Gospel to the Eastern Caribbean during this confusing time!

Last summer as we prepared for hurricane season, we realized that the shutters on one of our ministry houses were rotting away. In November, a small team from California was able to navigate the COVID-19 travel requirements and not only build new shutters, but also replace all the roof screws and rebuild a dormer window on that house! What a blessing to have the work done and to spend some quality time with individuals whose church invests so much prayer and financial support into the CRL ministry!

Please continue to pray for the staff at CRL. In November, one of our employees broke their wrist and has been away from the office recovering in therapy. In December, Mary-Ann, another employee, had surgery to remove a benign growth and a portion of her thyroid. The surgery was successful! Please pray as she continues to recover and for the finances to pay for medical expenses. We have a skeleton crew remaining at CRL, and we're ever thankful for their willingness to press on!

In December, we're always excited to air our Christmas programs and music which always point to Christ as our reason to celebrate! Bro. Jerry Baker, former station manager of CRL, was also able to source and donate several used pieces of radio equipment to CRL—some of which were put into use immediately while others will serve as backup pieces for our current equipment! What a blessing these will be in a time of equipment crisis!

Usually, during this time of year one of the CRL missionaries is scheduling a furlough in the States to visit supporting churches. This has become increasingly difficult since, as of 2019, my wife and I are the only missionaries at CRL. You may remember that we tried to work things out for a few months in 2020 but had to return to Antigua suddenly when the COVID-19 pandemic arose. At this time, we don't believe it's feasible for us to travel in 2022. Please pray as we very much need additional missionary personnel at CRL. We'd also like to encourage our 60+ supporting churches to consider scheduling a video update with us, since we cannot visit in person. Thank you for your continued prayers for CRL!

A note from a listener: *"I must admit that I have been blessed by the CRL radio station... Because of the CRL radio station my spiritual walk with the Lord has been greatly enhanced... May God continue to bless this station and workers."* (Nevis)

For the Lighthouse Staff,  
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