

It seems many have not been getting our updates from our website mail system, and so we are resending the most recent updates. Thank you so much for the many who have been praying! We are doing quite fine today with Hurricane Jose! You may just think it's a really cloudy day for the Caribbean!

Nathan Owens

Prayer Request Update (August 17, 2017)

Our goal to move the radio station to the new location is still the weekend of August 25th & 26th! Everything is moving along quite well. One thing we are dependent on is the government electric company upgrading our electric service at the new studio site before we move. All the paperwork has been submitted, and we're just waiting for the work to be done. Please pray that the work will be done timely, as we cannot move without it.

We also ask you to pray for funding for unforeseen, emergency repairs that were made to the generator at our AM site. The generator is needed to keep us on the air with the country's fluctuating electricity and especially since hurricane season is upon us. With over 20,000 hours clocked on the generator, last month the generator failed to start and we realized repairs had to be done. The work was sourced on-island, and we received a bill of \$5,200US. Please pray that we are able to raise funds for this repair, since it is not in our "normal" monthly expenses. If you'd like to give toward the repair, you can give through our mission board by any of the ways listed on their website ([BIMI Giving](#)) or by PayPal or credit card through the [Donate link](#) on our website. Please be sure to include "CRL Account #243" on any payment.

Thank you so much for your prayers for us!

Nathan P. Owens

Caribbean Radio Lighthouse, Antigua

Prayer Request Update (September 1, 2017)

We were not able to meet our goal of moving the radio station to the new location last weekend. The Antigua electric company was not able to do the work to enable us to move in time. With Hurricane Irma headed our way early next week, we have decided not to risk losing our radio equipment at the old site (Jolly Hill), and so we are moving to the new location (Valley Church) this weekend (Sep 1-4). We have been talking with the electric company, and it seems they will also be working with us this weekend. Until then, we will be able to use our station generator to keep the Caribbean Radio Lighthouse on the air through the storm! Please pray for a smooth move and installation of the generator, the air conditioning unit, and all the computers and equipment this weekend. Please also pray for preparation and protection during the storm.

In our last prayer request update, we also asked that you help us pray for the funds to repair the generator at the AM tower and transmitter site. At the end of August, we had \$900 given toward the \$5,200 expense. Please keep praying about this! We just made sure that the fuel tanks are full in preparation for the storm.

Thanks again for your prayers for us!

Nathan P. Owens

Caribbean Radio Lighthouse, Antigua

Prayer Request Update (September 5, 2017)

Dear praying friends. If you're watching the hurricane news, you'll see that Hurricane Irma is now a Category 5 hurricane and is to hit Antigua this evening! Praise the Lord, we have been able to move everything from the old site (Jolly Hill) to the new site (Valley Church), and everything is up and running, including the generator!

When talking to people in the Caribbean about the Caribbean Radio Lighthouse, every once in a while you`ll hear people reminisce about Hurricane Luis (22 years ago now) and how Caribbean Radio Lighthouse was the only radio station that was able to keep on the air during the storm! Please pray that we can be that light again, not only to give updates on the storm, but to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ!

Thank you for your prayers!

For the Lighthouse Staff,

Nathan P. Owens

Prayer Request Update (September 6, 2017)

Thank you so much for your prayers for us through Hurricane Irma. The Lord once again protected through another storm, as the part of Hurricane Irma that hit us seemed to be disorganized. We do not have any damage at our new radio station site or the ministry buildings.

If you were trying to listen online, we`re sorry that our internet went out during the evening, and so we were not able to stream. We also lost our AM signal (which reaches about 20 Caribbean islands) through most of the morning. When we were able to drive to the AM tower and transmitter site, we realized that all the oil leaked from the (newly repaired) generator! We`re now checking on that every few hours. Our FM signal (which reaches mainly Antigua) kept strong throughout the night, and we had listeners call in as well.

We also went and checked our old site at Jolly Hill, and as soon as we stepped in our feet felt the soggy carpet. There were three areas where water leaked through the roof: the entrance, the kitchen, and the on-air studios. The building is still standing, but we`re so thankful to be moved from that site.

If you`re still watching the Atlantic weather, you`ll see that another storm, Tropical Storm Jose, is not too far behind Irma and may reach us this weekend. Of course, we`ll stay boarded up and prepared for that. Please keep us in your prayers.

Please also pray for the other Caribbean islands that did get hit harder than us. We`re hearing about a lot of flooding in St. Maarten/St. Martin.

We`ll keep you updated if we`re dealing with another storm.

All praise to the Lord for His direction and protection!

For the Lighthouse Staff,

Nathan P. Owens

Prayer Request Update (September 8, 2017)

Hello again from the stormy Caribbean,

We`re under another storm warning as Hurricane Jose, a Category 4 hurricane, seems to be following the same path as Hurricane Irma and will begin to affect us late tonight and tomorrow. Predictions show that we will get slightly less of this storm than the previous. We`re still boarded up and prepared to broadcast through this storm. Praise the Lord!

You may have heard news about the total devastation of our "sister island," Barbuda (Antigua & Barbuda are one country, with 39 miles between us). Barbuda was hit directly by Hurricane Irma, and today they had a mandatory evacuation due to tomorrow`s storm. Please pray for the 1,600 displaced residents of this island. Please also continue to pray for the devastation of St. Maarten/St. Martin and the storm approaching us all.

We`ll do our best to keep you aware of our status as soon as the storm passes! We can`t explain how comforting it is to hear and know that so many have been praying for us!

Nathan P. Owens