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***The Zimmers: serving in
Puerto Rico And
The West Indies***
Training Nationals to serve Him

Dear praying Friends,

We are now well into the second semester and classes are going quite well. As this is a repeat for Opal, she is doing much better and more at ease in her teaching. Greek and Hebrew are also going well.

In maintenance we are looking forward to several projects as we will need 5 classrooms ready by August. There will be electrical to do and air conditioning, as well as the ceilings and walls to finish.

Our sons Paul and John and their families were here for the missions' conference and presented their work. Of course while they were here, I had an opportunity for them. Hurricane Jeanne ripped off the roof of the college building so the boys put their back to the work and helped to replace it. The folks were very thankful as it has been a long time since they were in the dry. We've had several good rains and by all reports there are no leaks.

The next project will be some more duct work for the church building. We don't need to be cooling "half" of San Juan. I'll be using the sheet metal bender that Faith Baptist of Greenville so graciously provided.

Paul Yanruw is a Yapese who was studying accounting at Greenville Tech in Greenville S.C. and our son Paul, who is a missionary to Yap, home on furlough until May, was able to lead him to the Lord last September. Before second semester Yanruw felt that God was leading him to become a preacher, so we encouraged Paul to send him our way. Yanruw is doing well even though he has to learn all the basics and even the language as he hardly has any Christian background. There are some seniors that have taken an interest in him and are discipling him besides helping him in college work. He is growing by leaps and bounds.

The Lord has been blessing in an unusual way and working in us and through us. We count it a privilege to serve Him.

We have included some pictures that may interest you. The first is of Yanruw and the second is of the roof work that John and Paul did with the help of some students and Pastor Gideon Njove of Zimbabwe, Africa.

In His Service

Georg and Opal Zimmer

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