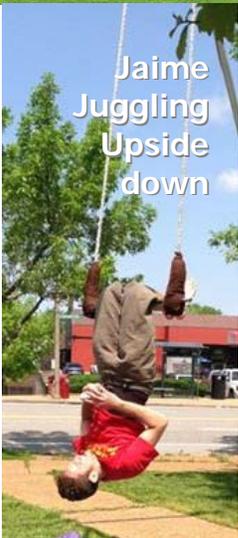


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Jaime
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Upside
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I cannot imagine having a war in my country, fleeing from there, going to a refugee camp for several years and then coming to a country where I do not know the culture, the language, or the people and starting life all over again. God has called Oasis International to help by loving and caring for the refugees in whatever way we can. Destiny Church hosted our monthly BBQ Outreach & Health Fair in May. Refugee families come to these outreaches, have a time of fun, meet with other families and make friends with Americans. We love to see them smile & relax!



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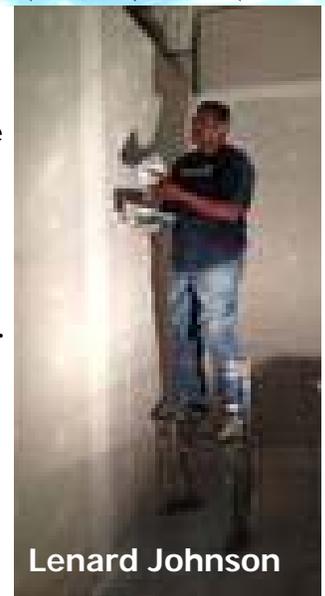
Kim & Heath
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New Kitchen & Bathrooms in Progress

We are excited to see the construction beginning on the kitchen, 4 storage rooms and 2 bathrooms. Wow! We are blessed by all of the contractors and volunteers helping to make so much progress on this project. One team from Parkway Baptist came in to help put up drywall. Our carpenters, Kim & Heath do excellent work. Lenard Johnson and Steve McCloughan came in at night to do the mud and taping. Jordan and Zack Casper are our summer interns jumping to get the painting "rolling". We were also excited when we got the news from our contractor that the drop ceiling materials would all be donated! Thank you Jesus!!



Jordan
& Zack



Lenard Johnson



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OUR MISSION is to love and care for those who seek refuge from a war torn country with the love of Jesus.

Oasis In The City: "Stories from the heart"

"oasis" a pleasant or peaceful area in the midst of a difficult place: calm in the city

Refugees miss their families! That is one emotional need we see time and time again. They have lost many things from the war, but their greatest loss is their mothers, fathers, sisters and brothers. What a joy for Oasis to give Dunya from Kurdistan a baby shower. It brings such encouragement to our new moms to have a "family" by their side.
Let us know if you want to help.



Computer Café

Volunteers are needed. We need volunteers who can help us teach computer classes, schedule families to come in for Skype sessions to call home and help fill out on line job applications.



We have already started on Mondays and Wednesdays from 10-Noon for Skype and job applications. More computers have been donated but need to be checked to start classes.



Summer Needs



***CLEANING:** We really need a couple of teams to help us clean the Oasis building. Once a week cleaning is greatly needed, especially since we are in the construction mode with the kitchen and bathrooms. Volunteers are needed all year round.

***FANS & WINDOW AIR CONDITIONERS:** We are always in need of these items all summer.

***SCHOOL BACKPACKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES:** We are already collecting these for the July and August outreaches.

***MOWERS:** We are trying to take care of the park across the street from Oasis. We have two lawnmowers but we need someone to mow once a week.

***MONEY:** Please don't forget monthly donations during the summer.

"This is what the LORD Almighty said:
Administer true justice; show mercy and compassion to one another.
Do not oppress the widow or the fatherless, the foreigner or the poor.
Do not plot evil against each other." Zechariah 7:9