



Jabez Elementary & Junior High School Gordodin LPRC Community Ganta City, Nimba-Liberia *Blessed to be a Blessing.* Genesis 12:2

*Blessings and Welcome to **Jabez Newsworthy Notes**
from The USA Board of Directors of Jabez School, November, 2025.*

This November, a month of thanksgiving in America, we highlight two programs at Jabez for which we give thanks. The first is the oil palm tree farm dreamed about since 2020. Second and the newest of our programs, the afterschool program for our youngest students.

The Oil Palm Project. 2020: The Board of Directors approved a fund expenditure to purchase six acres of land, seedlings etc for the purpose of investing in an Oil Palm Project. The school personnel helped clear the fields and later move the small plants to the nursery. It was an exciting day when Rev. Jakes was able to harvest healthy, large palm fruit bunches.



The program involves the students in hands-on as well as the academic knowledge needed to run a farm.

Whether the students decide to be an oil palm grower or other type of farmer, the experiential aspect of the farm encourages students to analyze and troubleshoot real-world challenges. It offers engagement time using social skills and boosts the need for collaboration. Maybe greatest of all is its ability to

support various learning styles and give a safe exploration space for failure.

The third photo shows the students bashing the palm harvest to loosen the nuts from the larger fruit. The final photo shows the palm nuts being collected so the palm oil can be extracted. The oil palm is a gift from God that is being fully utilized. Experiencing the feel, the smell, the sight, and even the sounds of production, teaches much. This project is expected to one day be a fund producer for Jabez.



Meet our first class of children in our extended afterschool programing and their teachers.

This group of children, plus those that have joined since this picture was taken, represent much potential, not only for themselves as they learn from hearing stories, playing together and learning number sense but for their families who now have the opportunity to be employed which in turn gives added security and comfort.



Your donation to Jabez Christian School can be earmarked for any specific need or as a general donation. We are a 501(c)3 organization. **Being in mission with Jabez School, no matter how small or large, is one way we who believe in the power of God's love can be in service as instruments to mold, shape, and transform children's lives. And to God goes the Glory.** Make checks payable to Jabez Christian School. Please send donations to: Jerry Andersen (Board Treasurer) 6420 W Hwy G, Caledonia, WI 53108.



At Jabez, Genesis 12:2 "Blessed to be Blessing," is not a mere slogan. We are truly living out our motto and impacting lives! There is no doubt that as we provide skills training alongside the academic curriculum and practicing and demonstrating Christian living, we are definitely equipping students and leaders alike in ways that will help them become self-sufficient in their future. Let's not be tempted to focus only on giving them fish but continue to teach them to fish for an ever-transformed life, living in the name of Jesus Christ!

