

# The VOICE of WIVH FM 89.9

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## Workers Volunteer At WIVH



The volunteer crew of recent workers at WIVH were: Pastor Scott Brady, Jerry Blatt, Jonathan Bowman, Jonathan Brightbill, and Matthew Geib. Not shown were Holly Geib and Pauline Blatt.

## Listening Since Day One!



Vernon Green, of Barren Spot, has listened to WIVH since it started broadcasting. He is shown here with his grandson, Keiani.

## Listen For WIVH ON 89.9 FM Forty Percent Increase In Power

Many improvements are being made at WIVH. These changes include a new transmitter and new antennas which are erected on a tower at much greater elevation. "These changes, which give the signal a forty percent increase in power, will result in better coverage of WIVH's signal," said Burl Updyke, General Manager. "We will be eager to receive signal reports," he said. Coverage improvements should also be heard on St. Thomas and perhaps on islands where WIVH has not been received before.

Considerable expense has been incurred to effect the improvements, and a definite increase in yearly operating costs will be experienced.

"Much prayer is needed, as we ask God to honor this step of faith," said Updyke. Because WIVH is listener-supported, meeting expenses will require greater giving on the part of listeners and it is hoped that new listeners will help meet this need.

The changes include a different frequency. WIVH will now be heard on F.M. 89.9. Signs announcing the new frequency will be posted on the island. Listeners are asked to spread the word of this change.

**WIVH is a listener supported non-commercial radio station. A receipt will be sent for your tax-exempt gift. Thank you.**

## Prayer & Praise

PRAY: for pastors and Christian workers serving God faithfully in the Virgin Islands.

PRAY: for the homeless and for those offering love and aid to them.

PRAY: as WIVH reaches listeners with the Good News of the gospel of Christ.

PRAY: that listeners will easily adjust to the frequency change at WIVH and spread the word of the increase in power and better coverage it offers.

PRAISE: God for how He is working through listeners to meet the financial needs of WIVH.

## Helps Parents At WIVH

River Bowman helps his parents operate WIVH. He is shown distributing WIVH's new introduction cards.



# At The Studios



Tiffany and Jon Bowman

What a wonderful surprise it was when 52 persons attended WIVH's recent Show Time. We were kept busy popping corn and keeping beverage supplied. This was nearly double the amount that usually attends. We're hoping this trend will continue as Show Time is a popular evening of entertainment. It is free, so is the drink and pop corn and the shows are God honoring. Everyone's invited.

Next month's "Voice" will carry the results of WIVH's recently held Shar-A-Thon. This yearly event always goes well as listeners pledge their support to WIVH, the station they listen to 24/7.

We went to Cramer Park on Easter and met many WIVH listeners who were camping out there for the weekend. We also introduced ourselves and invited others to listen to WIVH. Tiffany recently visited Golden Grove Correctional Facility to minister to the female inmates there.

Shirl of "Shirl and You" was delighted to receive a call from Audrey Peters, of Sion Farm. At the time, she was on a bus filled with women who were hosting a guest from St. Lucia and giving her a tour of St. Croix on a church bus. They were loud and cheerful and shouted out their love for WIVH. This was heard over WIVH/WRGN. We're sure Pastor Jacki Kambui, had something to do with this trip, she may have been behind the wheel of the bus. It was fun hearing from them.

Augustus Binnis, of Fredriksted, told Shirl he laughs a lot and tries to keep himself happy. He said this is possible because Christ is pilot of his life.

Norris Archibald, Christiansted, also laughs a lot. He said his mother laughed much. He is a faithful listener to WIVH.

Dolorita Messiah, remembers when living in Fredriksted was very tranquil. "If we wanted to go somewhere, we went by donkey cart. Our lights came from kerosene lamps and we had only a little radio, and no TV. It's all modernized now" she said. She was born there, but now lives in Tide Village.

Coreen DeSol, called with wonderful news. She and her husband, Franklin have adopted a baby from Haiti. He's two

## They Appreciate WIVH



The Georges are shown while camping at Cramer Park. They are Arlene and Risten George. They live in Tipperary. They appreciate WIVH and look forward to coming to Show Time.

years old and is named "Aaron." Coreen is a very positive person. She loves her job, St Croix and WIVH. She'll be good for Aaron.

We thought all the women in St. Croix loved to wear hats. "Not so," said Agnes George of Mon Bijou, "we don't want to mess our hair," same as the rest of us!

Idalia Turnbull, St. Thomas, was recently welcomed as a new listener to WIVH. "I pray for WIVH and encourage others to listen. She said some there have trouble receiving the station. We hope coverage will improve in St. Thomas when many changes are completed at WIVH this month.

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