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**PRESS RELEASE #23 - Shelter Listing**  
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As a consequence of the devastation caused by Tropical Storm Gustav, reports from the Parish Disaster Offices to the Office of Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management (ODPEM) have revealed that there are currently 88 shelters opened, housing a total of 1123 person islandwide. The shelters being occupied are detailed below.

**Shelter Status As at 6:00 p.m August 30, 2008**

<b>Parish</b>	<b>Shelter Name</b>	<b>Number of Persons</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Clarendon</b>	Pindars Valley Primary	7	
<b>St Elizabeth</b>	Newell High	14	
	Magotty High	8	
	Nain Primary and Junior High	3	
	Flagaman Com Cen	5	
	Hobdean Primary and Junior High	5	
	Thornton Primary	11	
	Russells primary School		Shelterees being evacuated as shelter is flooded.
<b>Manchester</b>	Grove Place Community Centre	16	3 families
	Somerset Primary	12	2 families
	Kendal All Age	8	
	Fairfield Mountain SDA Church	6	4 adults + 2 children
	New Forest Primary and Junior High	5	3 adults + 2 children
	Bryce Primary	3	
	John's Hall (Shire Hampton) All-Age	17	Number to be confirmed

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<b>Portland</b>	Salvation Army	45	8 families (33 adults + 12 children)
	Bloomfield All-Age	2	
	Fairy Hill Community Centre	1	
	CraigMill	15	7 adults + 8 children
	Comfort Castle SDA	18	6 adults+ 7 children
	Manchioneal	4	
	Port Antonio New Testament	5	
	Comfort Castle Primary	23	
	Port Antonio High	6	
	Windsor All-Age Sch	39	
	Mt pleasant City mission	12	
	Belle Castle Primary	8	
	Rock Hall	5	
	Gideon Gospel Chapel	11	
<b>St Mary</b>	Highgate SDA	2	
	Gayle Primary	10	
	Annotto Bay All-Age Sch.	8	
	Annotto Bay High	4	
	Port Maria High	11	
	Denton ormsby house (highgate)	10	
	Broadgate Community Centre	25	
	Tacky High	6	
	Gayle Health Centre	4	
	St Mary Tech.	12	
	Kirk United		Number to be confirmed
<b>KSA</b>			
	Whitfield All-Age	20	
	Golden Spring Community centre	24	17 adults + 5 children
	St Richards Primary	7	
	Mountain View Church of Christ	35	
	Friendship Brook	18	12 adults + 6 children
	Tavern Community Centre	120	
	Langston Road CC	7	
	Beacon Hill Church	70	30 adults + 40 children
	Gwen neal basic School		Number to be confirmed
	Edith Dalton-James	50	35 adults + 15 children
	Trench Town High	2	
	Tutorial College	14	
	Oberlin High School	---	

Parish	Shelter Name	Number of Persons	Comments
<b>St Catherine</b>	Old Harbour high School	143	47 adults + 79 children + 16 elderly
	New testament Church of God	2	
	Bigue High Sch	16	name to be confirmed
<b>Hanover</b>	Axe and Adze Church	11	
<b>St Ann</b>	St Ann Primary	5	
	St Georges Primary	10	
	Marcus Garvey Tech. High	18	
	St Ann's Bay Primary		
	Parry Town	35	
	Discovery Bay All-Age	4	
	Ocho Rios High	13	
	Retreat CC	1	
	Vezer in the Wilderness	1	
	Beechamville Methodist	15	
	Coley baptist Church	19	
	Coley Evangelist	13	
	McNie Primary	12	
	Fort George All Age	10	
	Stair Town primary and Junior	11	
<b>Westmoreland</b>	Peggy Barry Primary	11	
<b>Total</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>1123</b>	

### Casualties

A total of ten (10) fatalities have already been confirmed, the Police is investigating other unconfirmed casualties that have been reported.

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