

And he sent them to preach the kingdom of God, and to heal the sick

Luke 9:2



Dear Praying Friends,

September 2015

We thank you for your faithful prayers and support for us here in Uganda, and are grateful to be serving the Lord Jesus Christ on the field of Africa.

Ministry: The church plant in the village of Ongunai is going well and a Charter service is planned before the end of the year. Michael, the pastor in training, has taken much initiative in moving forward in getting the church going. Elena and I are very impressed by his faithfulness in soul winning and discipling new believers. The village church is surrounded by hundreds of unsaved people, people going to lifeless churches and hearing a lifeless message of salvation by works. Please pray that Michael can make a great difference in his community by reaching many with the Gospel of Christ.

Bible Clubs will resume next week as schools have begun their third semester, and we will add an additional school in a Kumam-speaking village as well. We have seen fruit from this ministry as we teach children about the truths of Scripture. Elementary school-aged children have tender hearts and we pray to see many decisions for Christ as we open God's word to them in their own language.

Discipleship with Francis Ekotu continues to go very well. He is a very bright and motivated young man. He is looking into medical school and only needs some transcript requirements to be obtained before he can begin. The other Francis (orphan) is doing well in school and helps us greatly with translation during Children's Church on Sunday mornings at the village church.

Medical: In October we shall restart our mobile clinics in the villages, all at existing church plants. We have seen much fruit from this ministry as it effectively draws many people seeking help. People come expecting free medical care, but in fact get much more as they all hear all about the free gift of salvation: the Lord Jesus Christ.

Prayer Requests:

- * Spiritual growth through discipleship for Ekotu Francis.
- * Commitment and faithfulness of the village church members.
- * Salvation decisions through the Bible Clubs and Village Clinics.
- * Salvation for my unsaved family members.

**Your Fellow Servants for Souls,
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