

August 2021 - JFM Missions at Home and Abroad

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When I was a little girl, it was so exciting to have a missionary come to our church and share about the work of Christ going on in foreign lands. My family never went camping or slept in a tent so when I tried to wrap my little mind around the concept of people living in a mud hut with a grass roof and no electricity it was very difficult.



Chase (right), Lucas (middle), Nana Nancy (left) read through JFM's "The Joy of Salvation" tract with Cheryl

When it comes to considering living in foreign lands little children have so many questions. Where do they get water? What do they eat? Do they speak English? Do they have T.V.? Do they have snakes? These were some of the questions asked by Chase and Lukas when their grandmother, Nancy, brought them for a "Missionary Encounter" last month.





Chase and Lucas were so happy to learn about the Kenyan flag, learn some Kenyan customs and receive some Kenyan Shillings. The boys read out loud through our JFM Gospel tract and saw the tract in the East African language of Swahili. They wrapped up in blankets like the ones used by the nomadic tribes of Kenya. Maybe one day the boys will come visit us in Kenya or maybe the Lord will also call them to take the Gospel of Jesus to foreign lands!

Door-to-Door Evangelism

The JFM Luanda Pastoral Team taking the Gospel door-to-door in Western Kenya.





New JFM Nursery/Kindergarten Project!





Teacher Christine has a big heart for children!

Teacher Margaret

The JFM Luanda Church leadership has embarked on a wonderful mission to help the families near their church. This month they started a Pre-Primary/Kindergarten Nursery School. The school already has 14 little children coming to learn how to read and write in the English language. Teacher Christine and Teacher Margaret will also be teaching the children about Jesus!

Their current need is for little tables and chairs.

Prayer and Praise

Let's Praise God Together:

The memorial service for Mike's dad, Gene Freese, was held on July 17th. What a precious time of remembering his life with his many friends and family members. Thank you for praying for the service! It was beautiful!





The Freese Family

Praising God for Olney Community Church!



Mike, Cheryl, Pastor Ed and some of the members of the Olney Community Church

Daniel Jordan, a family friend who came to Dad Freese's memorial service, suggested to his pastor, Ed Hortsch, to have Mike and Cheryl come share about JFM's work in Africa.

Last month Mike and Cheryl had a beautiful day of fellowship with the dear brothers and sisters at the Olney Community Church.



Mike with long-time family friend, Daniel Jordan

Jesus continues to bring His people together to take His Good News around the world!

Let's Pray Together:

Thank you for praying with us! God hears! God cares!

> The Body of Christ around the world is joining together to pray for protection for our military, the missionaries, and the Christian believers in Afghanistan.

Let's pray for the wounded and the families who are grieving the brave men

and women who were killed during this August evacuation. We pray for opportunities for the Gospel to advance during this unstable situation.

- > Let's pray for those suffering with the Delta variant of the corona virus and the doctors and nurses giving needed care.
- > Let's pray for people to turn to Jesus for hope and salvation during this time and always!
- > The power poles were set this month, now let's pray for the rural electricity commission to act quickly and bring power to the JFM school.
- > Let's pray for the JFM Kenya brothers and sisters who are carrying on the work of the Lord in Kenya while Mike and Cheryl are in America.

Please pray for these specific needs for American friends of JFM:

- > We are asking for prayer for our JFM Vice-President, Thomas Lowery, pastor of the Calvary Chapel Bartlesville in Oklahoma, his family and the CCB-Church. Thomas was recently diagnosed with the destructive disease, Spinocerebellar Ataxia (SCA), that causes degenerative changes in the part of the brain related to the movement control.
- > Healing and strength for JFM's children's worker "Babu Dan" Dan Dimas.
- > Complete healing, strength and encouragement for George Ebejer, Mike's cousin who is battling cancer.
- > Healing and strength for Mike's mom as she battles lung cancer.

"Now all glory to God, who is able, through his mighty power at work within us, to accomplish infinitely more than we might ask or think." Ephesians 3:20



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