

"EKBALLO" October 2019 Newsletter



JOIN US IN SETTING YOUR PHONE ALARM TO 10:02

By JFM Missionary Cheryl Freese

While visiting Mike's parents in Oregon we had the opportunity to visit the church they attend, Bethany Lutheran, a JFM supporting church. We were privileged to hear a great mission's message from

Luke 10:2 by Missionary Darwin Jackson. In this section of scripture Jesus is instructing his disciples, "The harvest is great, but the workers are few. So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest; ask him to **send** more workers into his fields." The Greek word interpreted "send" is ekballo. It is a forceful casting out, driving out, sending out with a notion of force. At that service we sat our phone alarms for 10:02 as a reminder to pray. I encourage you to do the same and label it "EKBALLO" and let's pray together.

KIPSING/LOROPILI OLPITO JFM CHURCH

As we have been praying to the Lord of the harvest, He is answering. We were praying for a pastor for the Samburu tribe converts meeting in the Lorropili Olpito area near Kipsing. Musa Lalatap, a Samburu working as the head teacher at a primary school near the JFM Oloruku church began feeling that "EKBALLO" pressure from the Lord of the harvest!!! When Musa, who has been serving as a teaching

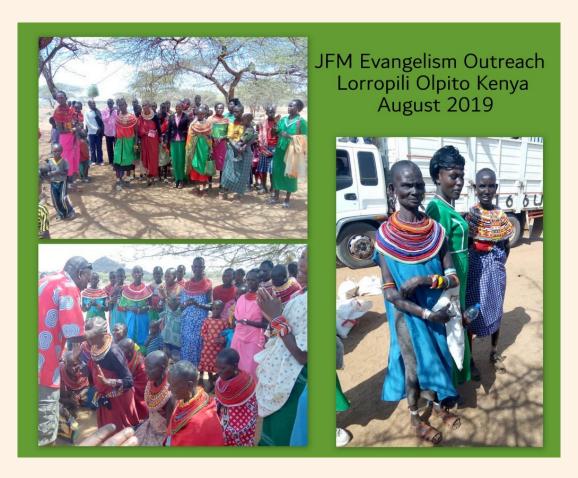


JFM Lorropili Olpita pastor, Musa Lalatap

church elder, spoke of his urgent desire to train and

disciple his fellow Samburu men and women all we could do was to once again stand in awe of our Mighty God!!!

Musa immediately left for the School of Christ in Nairobi to obtain his initial Biblical studies certificate and then he began pastoring the new JFM Lorropili Olpito Church!



Text Message from Pastor Musa, Sunday, September 29th:

"I have just arrived from Lorropili Olpito. All is good with the people of God. We had a great Sunday service. I was just teaching basic truth about God. They're also trying to catch up especially on prayer. At first they didn't know how to pray but now they can at least say some prayers. Today was my fourth week. I thank God for enabling me."

Isn't that exciting... Thank you Lord for sending out Musa into the harvest!



Pastor Sherry Cox and JFM Katunga pastor, Daniel Nasipa

From the Kenyan desk of JFM-USA Board member, Sherry Cox:

Bwana asifiwe!!! (Praise the Lord!!) I am once again in our beloved Kenya for a few months! I truly count it as a blessing! My return to the ministry "house" in Kenya is not a vacation though! There is always work to be done for sure!! My visits always have ministry-focused goals!

Each time I come it is my privilege to use the gifts our Lord has given me to support the ministry. Together, we "walk" through the evaluation and, then, the further development of the strategic plans for both JFM-Kenya and JFM-USA. It is these strategic plans that give direction each day to the ministry. Also, on this "visit" I will be working with Mike and Cheryl and the Kenyan ministry leadership in developing Christian Education material that will ensure consistency in our teaching of the Word! And, of course, I will enjoy doing some teaching, also, and some leadership development. So you can see, we stay very busy! I even pick up my crochet hook and make winter hats for our pre-school children; and, "fire up" the sewing machine to make little dresses!



Entapipi JFM Students say, "Thank You" for their school hats



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Hebrews 6:10!! Jambo!!!

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MEET FORMER JFM-SPONSORED STUDENT MARY KILOKU

When Mary was beginning high school, she had recently given her life to Christ. Her father refused to pay her school fees unless she stopped going to church. She knew the Bible said, "Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and He will give you everything you need." (Matthew 6:33) Mary chose to do exactly that. Her situation soon came to the attention of the JFM missionaries through her Uncle, Ruben and she became one of the Kenyan students to be sponsored by JFM. After her High School graduation Mary attended a business college and gained some work experience. She then launched out to start her own coffee shop. Last year Mary attended the School of Christ to receive her first certificate in Biblical studies. She has a heart to show people the way to eternal life in Christ. Her coffee shop "Kahawa Time" (Coffee Time) is not just a coffee shop. It is frequented by many travelers from different Kenyan tribes who come in to read the Word of God in their own languages (from Bibles provided to JFM by Voice of the Martyrs) and engage in the daily Bible studies which flavor Kahawa Time with a sweet aroma!

Click here to hear Mary's "short but sweet" testimony: MEET MARY KILOKU

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