

Proclamation Task News Update
June 11, 2013

Back in Uganda and in ministry

My study program (Sept 2011 – April 2013) in USA was completed successfully and it is now close to three weeks since we returned to Uganda. Isaac (our son) stayed in USA a few more days to complete his school year before traveling to join us only four days ago. Being back home, our resettling involves reconnecting with family, friends and ministry partners, as well as thinking ahead in regard to our local church work at Berea, pastor-training in Uganda through PT and reaching out to neighboring countries in extending the envisaged benefits of this work.

With the benefits of my (Julius') training, we plan to be deliberate in seeking like-minded brethren within east and central Africa with whom to join hands and hearts for the preaching movement while keeping the local church and her local pastor in view - as both the launching ground for this work as well as the landing platform for all such effort. In other words, the church is the basis in shaping the training and the receiver of all such benefits. This new approach implies that while we "go to the nations" to join hands in a broader sense, we never leave the grass-root endeavor in a local sense (with preaching seminars and spiritual leadership workshops), in whose cause we do the harnessing across borders for "Kingdom cross-pollination" and collaboration.

A breakdown of fresh ministry concepts and methods resulting from my (Julius' doctoral research) through publishing is an urgent and necessary endeavor, beginning with "Enhancing African Christian Influence: Reform or Refine?" As we now launch into this new phase of ministry, we pray that God would apply our lives to faithful service.

On the Horizon

June – December 2013

We keep in prayer that in his mercy, God may make complete the provisions for the roof at the PT Institute facility (we have more than half the required amount of funds) and replace our old vehicle in facilitating us for transport in a forward preparation to traveling by road to Kenya, Congo and South Sudan by early next year. Due to the urgency and necessity of the PT Facility, we have prioritized construction if and when the funds become available. Other engagements on the horizon include the following:

- June 8 Berea Church Assessment "Think-Tank" (Evaluation, review and update)
- June 16 - Berea Church Meeting –Congregation (planning for June-Dec)
- June 24-28 Annual Preaching Conference for East Africa, Eldoret, Kenya
- July 1-3 The Sixth Chosen Generation Missions Conference, Lilongwe, Malawi
- July 5 – 7 Blantyre Conference, Malawi - (Nthemba C.C.A.P. - Limbe)
- July 13 ACFAR Board Meeting (at the Twongyeirwes)
- July 15 – Aug 10 Grounding the new phase of PT – Curriculum, Leadership, Admin
(also prepare for SW Hills Baptist Church Team visit in August)
- July 16 PT Board Meeting – (Update and planning)
- August 12-16 PT Regional Coordinators' Training & Strategic Planning Meeting, PT Institute,
- August Thursday 22 – Sunday 25 Kampala AYP Retreat Swaziland
- September – Preaching during the Annual University Mission
- September 20 ACFAR Board Meeting (at the Langaritis)
- October 21-25 Training for Ugandan and Congolese pastors in Kisoro
- November - Preaching at St. Francis Chapel Makerere University, Kampala
- December 14 ACFAR Board Meeting (at the Muhumuzas)
- (Nov / Dec) PT Board and Regional Leaders Retreat

We expect ICC /Worldview instructors to join us in a special way for training next year from Aug 6 to 23, 2014 and we look forward to taking our partnership to this level – a step we have been praying towards.

Thank you so much for standing with us in this vital work.

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