World Christian Outreach

Newsletter

October 30, 2023 God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. <u>Therefore</u> we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar and foam and the mountains quake with their surging. Psalm 46; 1 - 3

It has been a troubling time since our last newsletter. However, the gospel message of hope continues to bring light to a dark world. The generous donors of WCO have provided over \$6500 for support to the victims of

persecution in Pakistan. Our evangelist there is ministering to the victims while also witnessing. Many Muslims are coming to the Lord. The intensity of Judeo-Christian persecution has risen dramatically. Our help is needed.

In Tanzania, the Jesus Film

continues to save tens of thousands each year. Thanks to your donations we were able to send another \$2500 for one more Jesus Film presentation kit. This makes 26. However, the request was for 10 more. Tanzania has a population of 63 million and the harvest is ripe. There is much more to do.



The work also continues in India. Pastor Raj and the Bethesda Outreach ministries are leading many to the Lord. Next year there are elections and if enough Hindus are elected, the constitution could change to prevent the ability to share God's hope in Christ. We continue to aid the 50 pastors there. Pray for a good election outcome in the coming year.





Earlier this month, **Brother Stan and Damaris returned** from their mission trip to Bahati, Kenya. The following 3 pages is Stan's detailed report.

REPORT ON MINISTRY TRIP TO EAST AFRICA JULY 14 – OCTOBER 7, 2023 by STANTON AND DAMARIS HERPICK

<u>KENYA</u>

Stan and Damaris arrived in Kenya on July 15, 2023 and were amazed at how the country has developed with infrastructure improvements to roads, electricity, commercial development of high-rise buildings, manifold residential tracts, and high tech Silicon Valley type of projects. Kenya also now has a Christian President, Vice President and a conservative Parliament.

We were met by 7 people at the airport including Pastor Paul who is in charge of 4 Full Gospel Churches and his Reverend Pastor Simon who is the overseer of 10 Full Gospel churches. Josphat Kimani, our excellent Farm supervisor, and Rev. Simon drove us to Bahati the next day where we were warmly and joyfully met by their church members and greatly welcomed by a reception group for an official grand opening of our beautiful Missionary Guest House. The facility has been built in a manner far beyond our expectations in size, accommodations, and property beauty. We thank Damaris' sister Esther Waihenya and farm staff for their great help in accomplishing this project. African <image>

Pastors will be using the Guest House and completed Prayer Chapel to teach, train, and pray with their people groups. The facility will also be made available to overseas guests as ministry arrangements are setup for them. Pastor Edward Fernandes from Cascais, Portugal is projecting to use the Guest House as a headquarters to conduct a Bible School Curriculum for teaching Discipleship 1 & 2, Old Testament and New Testament Theology for 6 months in 2024.

Damaris and I kept busy! We spoke the next day in a Sunday service at the Prayer Chapel and in many churches 3-4 times a week, had meetings with Youth leaders, conducted a Vision Seminar for Inter-Denominational Pastors and Bishops, and prayed one on one with selected Bahati and Molo Pastors and Bishops. Damaris gave great inspirational and new messages from Genesis 1:29 and 3 John 2 which had never been heard before on Diet, Nutrition, and Preventative Medicine using their own African plants and herbs. Her theme was how to attain good health and maintain it by edible herbs, boiling medicinal greens, grasses and plants, and eating properly. She was also able to make good contacts with teachers and Pastors to conduct Seminars for students on family communication, work, and Christian values primarily in secondary-schools when we return next year.

Stan had prepared messages and prayed daily for 2 years prior to the trip and spoke on (1) "Position is Everything" from Ephesians 2:4-6, (2)"Dependence is Dependable" from Matthew 18:1-4, (3) "Going from the Greater to the Lessor" from Romans 8:32,(4) "DOA-Dead on Arrival" from Genesis 2:16-17, (5)"Prove your Ministry" from David vs Goliath 1 Samuel 17:39, (6) "To show Himself strong in our behalf" 2 Chronicles 16:9, and others. The Vision was also clearly given to different Denominational Pastors and Bishops, representing over 100 churches, for building a 2000 seat Evangelistic Outreach Center across from the Guest House on our 20 acre Farm property to be pastored by different Denominational Pastors from the Bahati, Subukia, and surrounding areas. Pastor Maina, who currently Pastors and oversees 4 churches, worked 10 years coordinating Youth Ministries prior to pastoring. Bishop Samuel's right-hand man, Pastor Joseph Ndungu, has excellent contacts with Denominational Pastors and Youth throughout the Rift Valley. Between he and Pastor Maina they expect to bring in 5000 youth in Outreach meetings at the Evangelistic Center once it is built. Pastor Paul, my excellent interpreter for 2 months, and Rev. Pastor Simon, a great and humble prayer leader throughout the area are fully committed to this project. Needless to say, Damaris and I have been greatly blessed with all these relationship contacts with these leaders that have all been established through Esther Waihenya.

Esther with a 7th grade education but with great wisdom and integrity from God was able to build the tremendous and beautiful Missionary Guest House while, at the same time, supervising the whole Farm operation. She has also been responsible for previously building 7 churches provided by WCO as well as the current Prayer Chapel Church and Caretaker facility. Esther produces by receiving direction. At the same time she has established excellent relationships with many African Pastors and Christian Leaders for us in the cities of Molo, Bahati, and Subukia. We believe she needs a committed monthly financial support for her great achievements and personal humility of never asking for one dime of help.

THE BAHATI FARM

Our 20 acre Farm has 5 permanent workers and 39 casual workers that come frequently when needed for planting and harvesting. We have 6 cows producing enough milk daily to pay for the workers and the left-over is used for repairs and maintenance of the Farm. Everything is done manually since we do not have farm equipment yet to help. In a way this has been a blessing for the community because those workers are receiving wages that help their families with food, water, and school fees for their children. Our borehole is also providing for irrigating the crops during dry season and also provides water to the neighbors, worker, and animals. The solar system that we installed has provided for power to pump the water and also for energy at the Guest House and Caretaker House. We have provided housing, food, and water for all these workers. By doing that, we have built trust and testimonies from the community. Praise the Lord!

TANZANIA

Damaris and I had 9 full days of ministry and personal touring with Stevie and Christina Mulenga. We have an open door to minister in their 2000 Free Pentecostal Churches of Tanzania churches supervised by Arch-Bishop Mulenga. Bishop Stevie, at our invitation, will also be going to Bahati,

Kenya to minister with Kenyan Church Leaders in October 2024. During our time in Tanzania Stan spoke to the students, staff, and teachers at our New Dawn Community High School for Orphans in Ishinde Village, ministered in a Sunday morning service in Mombo, and spoke to a group of Inter-Denominational Tanzanian Pastors in Bagamoyo. We also met with 2 key Tanzanian Pastors who WCO provided motorbikes for to expand the Jesus Film throughout their regional areas. The Jesus Film in Tanzania has been established in 26 regional areas and seen by over 250,000 people with 25,000 being converted in the past year and 15 new churches planted as a result of the Film. We want to set up at least 2 new Jesus Film connections in Kenya for the Youth next year. It was a blessed time to be with Stevie and Christina Mulenga who are being greatly used of God in their country.

Western civilization is crumbling before our eyes as we witness the degradation of our societies that have lost their fear and reverence for God while promoting ungodly human rights. We can look back from Africa and see clearly the fall of America from its foundations.

"Now know I that the Lord saveth his anointed; he will hear him from his holy heaven with the saving strength of his right hand. Some trust in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the name of the Lord our God. They are brought down and fallen; but we are risen and stand upright". Psalm 20:6-8. Africa is Arising! Praise God!

We want to reach and teach the Youth with the Jesus Film and ministry Youth Rallies on how to fear God and love their country. The International Evangelistic Outreach Center will start and build from this strength which has already been established with the Youth by our Pastoral contacts. A "Ministry Model" will be forthcoming and led by different Denominational Pastors directing meetings held each month.

SUMMARY OF FUTURE 2024 FINANCIAL NEEDS

1. Ferro Cement Water Tank at the Farm	\$5,500
2. Drill a borehole and water well at the Guest House	13,000
3. Chip and repaint windows and doors at the Guest House	1,500
4. Beds, mattresses, and blankets for Guest House	3,000
5. Entry to Garage and remodeling part of Garage for Damaris' ministry	3,000
6. Pave entry to Guest House	1,500
7. Four more cows at the Farm (\$2500 each)	10,000
8. Two Jesus Film set-ups for Kenya	5,000
9. Farm Transport Truck	20,000
10. Tractor for Farm	15,000
11. International Evangelistic Outreach Center (All inclusive)	150,000
12. Monthly financial support for Esther Waihenya	\$1000/mo

There are many needs in the areas work. Your contributions make a difference. If you can help, please send your check using the enclosed envelope or go to the website at <u>WWW.WCOUS.org</u> and donate there. Put a note on your check if you wish to designate it for a specific need.