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"And...they rehearsed all that God had done with them, and how He had opened the door of faith unto the Gentiles." -Acts 14:27

## Update On Churches And Groups... Pray For God's Continued Grace...



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June 3, 2013

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I would like to give you a short update on the churches and groups here in Kitale. The church in Shangalamwe is progressing okay, although I wish there were more members. Nathan and I have decided it is time that we start "pulling away" just a little and give the church the chance to minister on its own without our intervention. Maybe our presence there has prevented it from growing and maybe with us being absent a bit, the members will begin doing more of their responsibilities and reaching out more to the community and villages nearby. More and more we will have to place this church and its members into the hands of the Holy Spirit and pray that they follow His leading in place of ours.

In the past two months four of the groups that Titus began have been organized into Baptist churches. Here are some of the data for these new churches: Kipsongo Baptist Church - Organized with 13 members, 2 believers baptized. Kibomet Baptist Church - Organized with 80 members, 19 believers baptized. Shanti Baptist Church - Organized with 17 members, 3 believers baptized. Rafiki Baptist Church - Organized with 10 members, 2 believers baptized. By the way, Kipsongo, Kibomet, Shanti and Rafiki are named after the towns where the churches are located. One of the other

groups has a desire to be organized into a church as well but we have decided that this group is not ready yet. This group meets in a village called Folklands. It has a problem with leadership. We are still evaluating the leadership and have deemed it not ready. This group also needs some more teaching about some Biblical issues before we feel like it will be ready. So, we have decided to wait on this group instead of organizing it into a New Testament Baptist church. Maybe the Lord will lead this group into becoming a church sometime in the future.

Two other new groups are also hopefully going to be started soon. One group is in the village of Shimo la Tewa. A couple members of the Kibomet church have been walking each week from Shimo. Now they want to start a new group in their own village. In their own words they said, "We want to change Shimo and win it back to Christ." Those are exciting words and we pray that the Lord would empower them to do just that. The other new group would be in a town called Kimilili. It is about 45 minutes from where we live in Kitale. It also would come out of the Kibomet church as two members of that church moved to Kimilili and want to start a new group there. So, things are going well although we are not without our challenges and problems.

In closing, let me ask for prayer for safety for our family here in Kitale. We have had a rash of break-ins, armed hold-ups and even murders here in our small town. A police officer was murdered responding to a break in just a quarter of a mile from our house. He was shot six times by the group of thugs. I also heard just today of an armed robbery of a bank in town yesterday in the middle of the day. The thugs are getting bolder and we do sense a bit of danger living here right now. Please continue to pray for our safety here in Kitale.

Until next month, beloved. May God's peace and joy be with you.

For the glory of God in East Africa,  
Roger, Julie, Emily, Amy, and Josiah Tate

### Harold Bratcher's Letter...



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Dear Brothers of the Blessed Lord and Sisters of the Savior: June 9, 2013

Once again we (Asa Mark and I) greet you not from the Amazon Valley of Brazil, South America, but from our temporary warm Kentucky home where the sun is shining bright!

This Mission Sheets month began April 8 and finishes today. During this period I heard nineteen sermons, or Bible studies. I also had the privilege of preaching twice. The first time at the Spring Conference at the Thompson Road Baptist Church in Lexington, Kentucky, where Brother Dave Parks is pastor. The second time was Sunday morn-

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## PRAY AND PRAISE! In this issue...

- **ODALI AND KATHY BARROS** - PRAISE GOD for the children who are learning about God's love. PRAY for the salvation of lost family members.
- **HAROLD BRATCHER** - PRAISE GOD for continued health and opportunities to minister. PRAY for the Lord to work out the sale of their house in Manaus.
- **JOHN AND ALTA HATCHER** - PRAISE GOD for the breaking out of the church in Assai and for the new pastor there. PRAY for the Hatchers' continued and health to keep up their witness for Christ.
- **PAUL AND WANDA HATCHER** - PRAISE GOD for the burden to plant yet more new churches in NE Brazil - and for the on-going work in Manaus. PRAY for all the church-planting pastors in their cities.
- **JOHN AND JUDY HATCHER** - PRAISE GOD for the continued interest and perseverance of believers in this difficult nation. PRAY that God will encourage both our missionaries and all the believers through difficult experiences.
- **NATHAN AND CARRIE RADFORD** - PRAISE GOD for the works that continue to go and grow in the several villages and neighborhoods. PRAY that God will give them wisdom to minister. PRAY also that God will provide them a vehicle to use during furlough.
- **SHERIDAN AND ANITA STANTON** - PRAISE GOD for all the teaching and training that continues to reach out and strengthen the churches in Peru. PRAY that God will build up His Kingdom in all parts of that nation.
- **ROGER AND JULIE TATE** - PRAISE GOD for the growth and blossoming of mission points and churches in the towns, villages, and neighborhoods around Kitale. PRAY for God's continued wisdom and grace for our missionaries, the believers, and the leaders of the churches.
- **BOBBY AND CHARLENE WACASER** - PRAISE GOD for the works of His grace in saving and transforming lives in Curitiba. PRAY that God will continue to minister His grace through them to save many others and add them to His church.

## Please Pray For Church Planting Pastors... Praise God For Faithful Supporters...

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Dear Friends, June 1, 2013

God gives some people the ability to move to a new city and preach the gospel, nurture the new believers in Christ, and in a short time, organize the body of believers into a new church. Many times the starter missionary does not enjoy the ongoing pastoral duties because his heart is burdened for another place that does not have the Gospel. Even with so great a burden, the missionary realizes he must stay until the Lord provides a pastor to lead the new flock. Missionary Raimundo Pinto and family are great starter missionaries in the city of Fortaleza in northeastern Brazil. They have been sent from Tabernacle Baptist Church in Manaus.

The church plant was successful and a blessing, but Missionary Pinto was anxious to move on to a new state to begin a new church. He waited and prayed anxiously that the Lord would provide a pastor so he could move on. He was elated and grateful as the Lord answered their prayer and provided a man of God, Pastor Vilian and family. The new church invited him to become their new pastor and He accepted the call. They are working on the transition; and soon Missionary Pinto is planning to move to the city of Aracaju, in the state of Sergipe in northeastern Brazil. Needless to say, the two families are very excited to move and get started. We ask that you pray for them, especially the Pinto family, as many challenges will present themselves in this new church plant. We will rejoice as God continues to work out all the details.

John is a member at Tabernacle Baptist in Manaus and has a small farm in the jungle on the banks of the Amazon River. He is a joyful Christian and loves to talk about his

faith in Jesus. As he talked about Jesus to the people living out on the river banks, several became interested and trusted Jesus as their Lord and Saviour. So he would get together with them on the week end and read the scriptures and talk about the Lord and pray together. About three weeks ago, John requested that one of the church pastors go and talk to them, as they wanted to be baptized. There are about twenty-five adults who have professed Jesus as Saviour. This is wonderful! Pray for them, their baptism and growth in the Lord, and the forming of a new church.

This month of May, Wanda and I are having some special time with our parents. My parents, John and Alta Hatcher, live in the southern part of Brazil, and Wanda's mom, Mrs. Willa McGary, lives in the opposite direction, Mayfield, Kentucky. At the beginning of the month, we had a special treat with my parents and my two brothers and their wives - about a week of fellowship and thanksgiving. The following weeks we are spending some time with Wanda's mom visiting and caring for some of her needs.

We would like to say a great big thanks to churches and individuals for your meaningful prayer and support. Likewise, thanks to the wonderful men who serve on the board and the churches they pastor who also invest in missions through them. Your intercessions to God on our behalf bring us comfort and strength in the Lord Jesus. Your faithful financial support is laid to your account in heaven, as God brings salvation to many, which results in our rejoicing together and glorifying God. We thank God for each of you and pray that he will richly bless you.

In Christ,

Paul and Wanda Hatcher

## VISIT OUR WEBSITE: www.baptistfaithmissions.org

We are making our website more and more our primary source of information for all things BFM. We are updating and refreshing it every few days - and more added features are on the way. We will be telling you more about them as we roll them out. I want to take this opportunity to recognize and thank Jason Estes for his

personal contributions of time, expenses, and expertise to rebuild and host our website. And, also, I want to thank Sarah Wainwright for her service posting our missionaries' newsletters [and all our other news and updates] and for adding a whole lot of color, variety, spiff, and attractiveness to her posts. Thanks, Jason and Sarah!



## Celebrate Thirty-Nine Years Together ... Bible Class Doing Very Well ...



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Dear friends, June 6, 2013

Tomorrow, June 7th, Anita and I will have been married for thirty-nine years! Over thirty of those years have been in Peru. God has been very gracious to me by giving me such a wonderful life companion. She is truly a Proverbs 31 kind of woman. I am blessed! We will probably spend the day here like any other day, but next year for our fortieth we are hoping to take a trip. You can tell from the pictures here and at the top her most common expression is her smile. I love her smile!



May was a rather uneventful month for us here in Huánuco, Peru. I had to do some serious repairs on our living quarters. But most of my time was spent studying, teaching and preaching.

The Calvary Mission is down a bit in attendance but it is planting season up in the mountains and most of our folks still "go to the farm" during these times. We had three of our young ladies from church be

accepted into college. They are the first ones from their families to ever go to college. They are struggling a little, but persevering. We appreciate your prayers for them and the Calvary Mission in general.

My Monday night Pastor's Bible Class is doing quite well. This year I am taking them through a course on Systematic Theology. I have eleven men attending. They took their first test a few weeks ago and we came out with six "A"s, three "B"s, and two "F"s. The two failing grades were close to "D"s but they left several true/false questions blank rather than take a 50/50 shot at getting it right! They are a great bunch of men to work with, and they all have a genuine desire to go deeper in the Word of God. Your prayers are requested for these men and their churches.

Anita did a great job of teaching forty-five women at the Annual Baptist Women's Conference here in Huánuco. It is for the women of our churches and they spend an entire day together from 8:00am to 7:00pm. I have heard only good comments from the ladies! Anita worked really hard preparing for this teaching opportunity and many of the women were really touched by the Holy Spirit as a result.

We hope that all of our supporting churches and friends will consider giving a special "Founder's Day Offering" this month to Baptist Faith Mission. For the past two months your missionaries with BFM have taken some substantial cuts from what we normally receive due to lack of funds in the General Fund of BFM. Founder's Day offerings help fill the gap at this time of year. Please pray about it and give as the Lord leads.

You all are always in our thoughts and prayers. A few churches had talked about a mission trip for this year and also next year. Write me and let's get the dates settled. Until next month.

In HIM by HIS grace,  
Sheridan and Anita Stanton

## BRATCHER

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ing the 26th of May, at the High Point Baptist Church of Alexandria, Kentucky, where Brother Ron Duty is pastor. During all the conference we enjoyed a time of great food, preaching and fellowship. Also during this MS period, we attended the services at the following churches: Porter Memorial Baptist Church, Lexington; Bethel Baptist Church and David's Fork Baptist Church, all of Lexington, Kentucky; Linden St. Baptist Church of Richmond, Kentucky; Glen's Creek Baptist Church of Versailles, Kentucky, and the Lexington Baptist College Alumni Meeting at the Heritage Baptist Church of Lexington, Kentucky. We also attended the funeral services of Dr. Hoge Hogensmith, Brother Derek Gilpin, and Sister Eva Sams, one hundred and five years

old. I pastored this dear sister at the Valley View Baptist Church, over sixty years ago.

During this past weekend we were privileged also to attend the ninth Bratcher-Porter family reunion at the General Butler State Park in Carrollton, Kentucky. What a wonderful time, we, along with Stephen, had there.

I hope to be a blessing to many of you during this first year of my permanent furlough. I would like to report and thank each of you that have supported us during these past years. We appreciate the invitations we have already for this month and the next one. I look forward to seeing many of you soon. I will be speaking on Saturday night, the 15th, one week from yesterday, at the Emanuel Baptist Church, of Oldtown, Kentucky, where dear brother, John Lybrook is the pastor. The Lord permitting, until next month.

Yours in the Service of the Savior,  
Harold Bratcher

## MISSIONARIES' FURLOUGH SCHEDULE

Harold Bratcher is retiring from active and faithful missionary service in Manaus, Brazil, and is relocating to live here in the States. He is selling his home in Manaus and is seeking to purchase a home here. If you wish to contact him before he establishes a permanent address, you may contact him at: 859.277.3716 / 1012 Balsam Drive, Lexington KY 40504 / or through his email address: harold\_bratcher@yahoo.com

TATES AND RADFORDS - their plans at present are to be coming to the States in September and October respectively. You may correspond with them concerning any prospective plans you would like to make with them. Roger Tate rojuta@gmail.com & Nathan Radford naterad@yahoo.com.

NEED FOR VEHICLES - Both the Tates and Radfords will need vehicles to use for their travels in the States during their upcoming furloughs. If anyone has a vehicle or vehicles you can loan them for their use, correspond with them at the above email addresses.

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## Thankful For The Works of God's Grace In Curitiba ... Pray That Many Will Be added to His Church ...



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Dear Friends, June 6, 2013

I'm not writing to make you envious, but I can't help but mention just how wonderful everything is these days. Everyone in the family is doing very well physically. The weather here is as close to ideal as I could want it and all of our ministry efforts are producing encouraging results. I trust that you can rejoice together with us for these blessings.

We celebrated another baptismal service recently and we have another young lady who will be baptized this coming Sunday. We are so happy to see how the Lord is using His word to transform the lives of several of our new brothers and sisters in Christ. Just two weeks ago a teenage girl had nearly fallen into the world of sexual promiscuity, but the Lord used a series of events and our team leaders to rescue her from that and get her onto the path of obedience and joy in living for Christ. It is nothing short of amazing to see how different her level of happiness is since surrendering to Christ and fleeing immorality.

A young father of four, named Germano, almost lost his life recently when he was shot twice in a bar room fight. This fight occurred just one day after he had brought his kids to our neighborhood outreach "shin-dig". While Germano was in the hospital his kids asked their grandfather to take them back to the church where they had been so warmly received on the following Sunday, so he did. The kids haven't stopped coming since and, once Germano recuperated sufficiently to walk, he began to come with the kids to services. He told me last week how thrilled he is to see God at work in his life and how thankful he is for the grace of the Lord's mercy and forgiveness. I expect that I'll be performing another baptism in the very near future.

We had a Brazilian holiday just recently and we took advantage of it to have a "family day" at our church building. One new member specializes in Brazilian "churrasco" and insisted on preparing the 70 lbs of slow-grilled beef ribs. He and two other volunteers came out at 4:00 a.m. to roast the meat for 9 hours. We encouraged our members and visitors to invite their un-churched friends and family at no cost to enjoy the day of fun, games and fellowship. We had a great turnout and several of those have since returned to our regularly scheduled services.

Charlene, Brennan and I thank you so much for your prayers and faithful support so that we may continue to be used of the Lord to make His love and glory known in southern Brazil.

In Christ's love,  
Bobby, Charlene and Brennan Wacaser

## Praying For A Missionary Couple ... Go On Search For New Properties ...



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Dear Brethren, June 20, 2013

A few weeks ago Zico, (our missions coordinator), Thiago, Pastor Ezi and I went to a little remote town called Jordão. We chartered one of MAF's planes. There is no road to Jordão and to make it there by river is a major challenge. We had very little time to get there and back. For years we have been working toward a goal of having sound and dynamic Baptist churches in all twenty-two cities of our state. Jordão is the next one where we hope to plant a church soon.

The population is only 8,000. There is an Adventist church, four varieties of Pentecostals and, of course, the Catholic church. Zico and Thiago went to get things set up with the local authorities to bring in a major medical mission group early next year. Ezi and I walked every street in the town, stopping to talk and witness to some of the town folk. We even walked the mile long beach up the Tarauacá River to the mouth of the Jordão River!

We are now praying and seeking the right missionary couple to send. It will add to our already overstretched financial commitments to missions, but our main concern is getting the right people to that remote field.

A few months back I appointed a group of men from our church to start looking seriously for property to eventually relocate Frist Baptist church. As many of you know for the past fifteen years we have been filling our auditorium every Sunday night. Six or seven years back we even went to an extra service on Sunday afternoon.

That service now has an average of four hundred and the evening is still packed to capacity. Last Sunday night there were eight more professions of faith. One couple even came before the church for him to ask her to marry him! Their wedding is in August. So we have been living dangerously by not providing enough room for our growth. A long time ago I tried to get the church to move out of the center of town, but couldn't budge them. That is no longer the case. Even if they had not become ready, we were going to have to move them or risk the very real possibility of lost attendance.

I gave the three men a list of properties, GPS coordinates and took them around to identify each. There were twelve in all. Most were not for sale. Those that were had price tags anywhere from \$500,000.00 to two and a half million dollars. Can you believe such prices in a town of one hundred thousand sitting out here in the middle of the vast Amazon jungle? There was one last place that we could not find even though we had heard about it. Pastor Benjamin finally found it while I was out of town for a couple of weeks. We went to check it out the day after I got home.

Eighteen acres of nice flat land with gently sloping sides. No street yet, but the city is supposed to put in a major thoroughfare in soon. We don't know yet exactly where, but it should be very close if not right along one side. The land is just three miles from our present location. Best of all, it "only" costs \$250,000.00! There is a clear title and no back taxes, too. Yesterday I sat down with the owner to hammer out a deal. We came up with three different ways to move forward.

Last night we had over six hundred present for my presentation of the plan to the church. Actually the church had no idea that I was going to spring this on them this soon. They were so ready that the vote was unanimous to buy and the crowd erupted in applause at the close of the business meeting. NOW.....Please help us with your prayers.

We are going to try to keep our property in town. It will continue to serve our seminary and other training programs even after we move, which won't be soon. Just our six

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## Enjoying Wonderful Services ... Please Pray For Those Still Lost ...



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Dear Brethren: June 2, 2013

Greetings to all of you who faithfully support us and pray for us. We hope that all of you are doing great and enjoying God's blessing in your life. We are doing great and seeing God at work around us each day.

We have had unusual weather these days. This is not our rainy season, but we have had lots of rain. Today we woke up with it pouring down rain. When the bus left to pick up the kids for church I honestly thought we were going to be coming back with an empty bus. Wow! Were we surprised. There were kids waiting in the rain for the bus. We ended up with thirty kids on the bus. They were soaked wet. So we took them to the clothes room and gave them clothes to change into. Wonder how many of us would wait in the rain to get the bus to go to church. Well needless to say it was an inspiration for us to keep on working with them. These kids come from very difficult and complicated homes. God bless and keep these kids in His care.

The kids love to sing. We started singing Lord of lords, king of kings, and

immediately these three boys sat on the floor to sing the song with the gestures we do. Special moments.

We had a wonderful service tonight. During invitations four people asked for baptism; three men and one teenager. Praise God.

Our friendship suppers have been a blessing. We encourage our people to bring new people to be with us. Last night we had a family that brought fifteen visitors. When you hear what we had to eat you will probably say, what in the world does that taste like. We had cooked calf's foot soup or stew. Well, it's different but it sure is good.

A few months ago I mentioned that my father, Alcides, had made a profession of faith while my brother was preaching. That was such a blessing. In the beginning of last month I got a phone call that he was very ill. So I decided to go see him. But as I was on my way waiting at the airport in São Paulo, my brother called and said he had passed away. We praise God that he had gotten saved. We will be together again. I ask you to pray for my oldest brother who is very sick and is not saved, and has a very hard heart. We know that God can break the hardest heart. He has three sons which I have spent lots of time with. One of them has shown an interest in knowing more about God. Please pray for them. Here are their names: Edson is the father, the son's names, Edson Jr., Jefferson and Anderson.

Thanks for all your prayers and support. Our ministry is nothing without the help of our co-laborers. May God bless each of you.

In Christ,  
Odali and Kathy Barros



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## New Pastor For Church In Assai ... Please Continue To Pray For Good Health ...



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Dear Brethren and Friends, June 5, 2013

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow! We know you will rejoice with us—The Lord has given a break through in Assai. More than seventy persons attended the special service on Mother's Day in the city of Assai. Praise the Lord for His blessing on the new family who is working there.

The new pastor is Daniel. His wife is Leticia and their ten year old daughter is Milena. This family came from the Chapada Baptist Church in Manaus, where our son, David, is pastor. This family is hard working and dedicated to do God's will. Pray for God to bless this family and have mercy on Assai.

The Chapada Church paid their moving expenses and continue monthly support. Thank the Lord, with Alta and I, for this great blessing in Assai. In this city

with a population of 20,000 there is only one baptized believer in our work.

The week after Mother's Day there were thirty children present in the Saturday Bible Hour and twenty adults and children attended the Sunday service. God has heard and is answering your prayers concerning this city. Please praise and thank Him for His blessings.

**PERSONAL EVANGELISM**- As you know, I try to walk three times each week with the purpose of physical care and to do personal evangelism. We have had two weeks of rain, almost day and night, so my walking has been slowed down. Two days that I did walk the Lord gave me opportunity to witness to five persons: A young couple with two small children and three working men.

**URAI CHURCH** - Since we do not have a specific work to care for since giving up Assai, we are attending the services at Urai church. The mission in Susumo, on the other side of town, is going well. Three young people of the church teach Sunday School there and they have a preaching service every Friday night. Their other mission and visitation program is going well and new persons are coming to services. Please pray for us. Alta is doing fine and I have some physical needs.

In His Wonderful Name,  
John and Alta Hatcher

## Thankful For The Lord's Blessings ... Please Pray For Us And The Works ...



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Dear Brothers and Sisters, June 3, 2013

Our desire is that this finds you enjoying the Lord's blessings where you live and serve. We thank the Lord for His blessings and above all His presence in us. We are encouraged by what the Lord is doing on several fronts. The Bible study in Mazere, about 45 miles by car south of here is going well and during the past few months we have had several new participants. We would one day like to see a church in this growing city with a population of about 3,500. At present there are only two believers in the group that actually live in the city, though we average about seven or eight at the Bible studies.

Another area of activity that causes us to rejoice is the meetings with youth.



The attendance at these is on the increase and those who come show an interest. Of those who now attend, only one has actually made a profession of faith and followed the Lord in baptism. We hope many others will follow.

I like to keep a positive note and share with you what God is doing, but there are bumps in the road here as there are everywhere. This past week I have been a little frustrated by the lack of commitment and selfishness of some believers. It is impor-

tant, however, to remind myself of God's patience with me and His forgiveness. We must continue to sow the seed and disciple those who believe as we look to Christ for strength and trust Him to work in hearts and lives.



Judy and I pray together each morning after our personal time in the Word of God. Thank God for you. If you would like for us to pray about your area of ministry, we would love to do so. We know that you have family members, friends, co-workers, neighbors and even people who frustrate you that you would like to see trust Christ. We would be glad to pray with you for them. You can contact us through the email or mail address above. We are not interested in forwards off the internet, so please do not send us links and copies. We are interested in praying for you and your needs personally, so please do not hesitate to share these. We would like to be a blessing to you as you are to us.

May God's blessings be evident to you during the month ahead.

Proclaiming the Good News in France,  
John and Judy Hatcher

## Moving or Getting A New Address?

You can help keep our cost down and assure that you do not miss any issue of the "Mission Sheet" if you will notify us of any change of address. When writing please include your old and new address.



Baptist Faith Missions

May 2013 OFFERINGS

<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, FL (Auditorium Class- April Offering).....	101.00
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, FL ( Berean Class- April Offering).....	53.00
Ahava Baptist Church, Plant City, FL.....	100.00
Alexander, Denzel, Melbourne, FL (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Anonymous.....	100.00
Anonymous.....	365.00
Berea Baptist Church, Hiddenite, NC.....	425.00
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Cedar Grove Baptist Church Stamping Ground, KY.....	158.33
Conner, Samuel & Martha, Cannelton, IN (Giving Friends).....	35.00
Crooked Fork Baptist Church Gassaway, WV.....	70.00
Dowell, Carolyn, Crab Orchard, KY (Giving Friend).....	200.00
East Keys Baptist Church Springfield, IL.....	600.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Irvine, KY.....	1,000.00
Estes, Jason (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Faith Baptist Church, Kirksville, MO.....	558.18
Faith Missionary Baptist Church Leighton, AL.....	250.00
First Baptist Church Of Buffalo Buffalo, WV.....	125.00
First Baptist Church, Science Hill, KY.....	75.00
Foster, Peggy (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Frazier, Wesley & Judy, Richmond, KY (Giving Friends).....	25.00
Friend In Virginia.....	500.00
Gaal, Stephen & Martha, Hurricane, WV.....	25.00
Giving Friends.....	625.00
Goldfloss Baptist Church, Winston- Salem, NC.....	25.00
Goodsprings Baptist Church Rogersville, AL.....	413.67
Grace Baptist Church, Beattyville, KY.....	50.00
Hardman Fork Baptist Church Normantown, WV.....	3,000.00
Hatcher, John & Alta, Urai, Brasil (Giving Friends).....	30.00
Hatcher, Philip, Newburgh, IN.....	300.00
Hensley, A.J. & Barbara, Caraguatatuba, Brazil (Giving Friends).....	60.00
Heritage Baptist Church Lexington, KY.....	1,615.00
Immanuel Baptist Church Riverview, MI.....	200.00
Jones, Michael (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, FL.....	330.00
Kahut, Donald, Xenia, OH (Giving Friend).....	100.00
Kangas, Donald, Murfreesboro, TN (Giving Friend).....	10.00
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL (Giving Friends).....	160.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI.....	452.00
Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY (Giving Friend).....	50.00
Liberty Missionary Baptist Church Spencer, WV.....	100.00
Mansfield Baptist Temple Mansfield, OH.....	50.00
Matthews Memorial Church Stevenson, AL.....	50.00
Mathis, Vernon & Lois, Lexington, KY (Giving Friends).....	520.00
Morris, Byron & Alma, Wichita, KS (Giving Friends).....	110.00
Mount Calvary Baptist Church Charleston, WV.....	700.00
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Association, Gassaway, WV (Dawson Baptist Church).....	500.00
Mt. Pisgah Missionary Baptist Church Grafton, OH.....	200.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Heights, MI.....	585.00
Oak Grove Baptist Church Normantown, WV.....	100.00
Redding, Warren & Barbara, Cumming, GA (Giving Friends).....	200.00
Rocky Springs Missionary Baptist Church Gray, TN.....	50.00
Rosedale Baptist Church Rosedale, WV.....	1,600.00

Seventh Street Baptist Church Cannelton, IN.....	120.00
Sims, James, Rock Hill, SC (Giving Friend).....	700.00
Sloan, Jimmy, Louisville, KY (Giving Friend).....	300.00
Southside Baptist Church, Winter Haven, FL.....	70.50
Spicer, Hubert, South Bend, IN (Giving Friend).....	750.00
Stalnaker, Audra, Normantown, WV (Giving Friend).....	300.00
Storms Creek Missionary Baptist Church Ironton, OH.....	4,370.99
Storms Creek Missionary Baptist Church Ironton, OH.....	3,638.90
Texas Giving Friends.....	2,300.00
Thompson Road Baptist Church Lexington, KY.....	785.00
Union Baptist Church, Russell Springs, KY.....	50.00
Valley View Baptist Church, Richmond, KY.....	10.00
Watkins, Bert & Louise, Richmond, KY (Giving Friends).....	60.00
Whaley, Lois, Winston-Salem, NC (Giving Friend).....	200.00
Wood, Neree, Columbia, SC (Giving Friend).....	50.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>35,029.13</b>
<b>IN MEMORIAM</b>	
Orrick, Jim, Pewee Valley, KY In Memory Of Irene Orrick.....	50.00
York, Doris, Princeton, KY In Memory Of Wallace York.....	250.00
Parks, Louise, Lexington, KY In Memory Of E. W. Parks.....	500.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>800.00</b>
<b>FOUNDERS DAY</b>	
Anonymous.....	100.00
Archer, Carol, Chapin, SC.....	25.00
Blake, Stephen & Eva, Lexington, KY.....	25.00
First Baptist Church Of Siloam South Shore, KY.....	1,000.00
Hunter, Eric & Olive, Ocala, FL.....	25.00
Lamb, Linda, Brookville, PA.....	1.00
Stalnaker, Audra, Normantown, WV.....	100.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1,276.00</b>
<b>H.H. OVERBEY SCHOLARSHIP FUND</b>	
Storms Creek Missionary Baptist Church Ironton, OH.....	100.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>100.00</b>
<b>BIBLES FOR INDIA</b>	
(Louis Maple Memorial Fund)	
Beech Grove Baptist Church Landcaster, KY.....	50.00
Berry Baptist Church, Berry, KY.....	92.00
Cope, Roy & Joella, Berry, KY.....	100.00
High Street Baptist Church Columbus, OH.....	102.50
Kreger, Mike & Kathy, Pleasant View, TN.....	50.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Heights, MI.....	100.00
Ojibwe Baptist Church, Rosebush, MI.....	1,237.50
Reese, Patty Lou, Mt. Vernon, KY.....	80.00
River City Baptist Church, Louisville, KY.....	50.00
Weitz, Michael & Linda, Cincinnati, OH.....	20.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1,882.00</b>
<b>ODALI &amp; KATHY BARROS</b>	
Adams, W.H. & Arbia, Lexington, KY As Needed.....	50.00
Atlantic Shores Baptist Church, Virginia Beach, VA, Support.....	200.00
Battlecreek Independent Baptist Church South Pittsburg, TN, Salary.....	100.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL As Needed.....	217.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY Alpha & Omega.....	140.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	77.27
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS Salary.....	242.09
Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY Alpha & Omega.....	40.00
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC Alpha & Omega.....	50.00
Liberty Missionary Baptist Church Spencer, WV, Alpha & Omega.....	25.00
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN Alpha & Omega.....	100.00
Southside Baptist Church, Winter Haven, FL Support.....	70.50
Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, KY Alpha & Omega.....	30.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1,341.86</b>
<b>HAROLD BRATCHER</b>	
Anonymous, Personal.....	200.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	77.28
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS Salary.....	100.00
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church Oldtown, KY, Salary.....	100.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH As Needed.....	50.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>527.28</b>

<b>MIKE AND BEVERLY CREIGLOW</b>	
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL Andrew Creiglow.....	167.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL As Needed.....	200.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY Andrew Creiglow.....	100.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	77.28
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS Food Pantry.....	242.09
Faith Missionary Baptist Church, Leighton, AL Special Offering.....	275.00
Faith Missionary Baptist Church, Leighton, AL Salary.....	200.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH As Needed.....	50.00
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL Andrew Creiglow.....	20.00
Lake Road Baptist Church, Clio, MI Andrew Creiglow.....	36.00
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, KY Personal.....	300.00
Polley, Ray & Brent, Princeton, KY Support.....	100.00
Proctor, Evelyn, Clermont, FL Support.....	50.00
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN Salary.....	50.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1,867.37</b>
<b>JOHN &amp; ALTA HATCHER</b>	
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL As Needed.....	100.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	77.28
Dowell, Carolyn, Crab Orchard, KY Personal.....	100.00
East Keys Baptist Church, Springfield, IL Salary.....	25.00
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church Oldtown, KY, Salary.....	100.00
Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA Salary.....	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH As Needed.....	50.00
Spicer, Hubert, South Bend, IN Support.....	300.00
Storms Creek Missionary Baptist Church Ironton, OH, Maria.....	150.00
Wood, Neree, Columbia, SC As Needed.....	150.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1,102.28</b>
<b>PAUL &amp; WANDA HATCHER</b>	
Ahava Baptist Church, Plant City, FL Seminary-Manaus.....	60.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC Seminary-Manaus.....	77.27
Guthrie, Larry, Athens, GA Michael Samples.....	100.00
Life Church Of Athens, Athens, GA Michael Samples.....	250.00
Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV Mission Team.....	100.00
Trinity Northbrook Baptist Church Cincinnati, OH, Seminary-Manaus.....	40.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>627.27</b>
<b>JUDSON &amp; RAQUEL HATCHER</b>	
Atlantic Shores Baptist Church, Virginia Beach, VA, Personal.....	200.00
Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA Salary.....	50.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn Heights, MI, Support.....	100.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>350.00</b>
<b>JOHN MARK AND JUDY HATCHER</b>	
Anonymous, Personal.....	50.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	77.27
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN Personal.....	450.00
Evans, James & Carolyn, Evansville, IN Personal.....	100.00
Gerig, Galen & Tamara, Columbus, OH Salary.....	150.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH As Needed.....	50.00
King, Doug & Ramona, Arcadia, FL As Needed.....	20.00
Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV Salary.....	100.00
Shofner, Frank & Sylvia, Evansville, IN Personal.....	140.00
Warren, John & Vickie, Support.....	50.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1,187.27</b>
<b>A.J. &amp; BARBARA HENSLEY</b>	
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY Support.....	166.66
Atlantic Shores Baptist Church, Virginia Beach, VA, Support.....	100.00
Beverly, June, South Charleston, WV Chairs.....	200.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL As Needed.....	50.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Shreveport, LA Support.....	150.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	77.27

Davis Professional Services Inc Chesapeake, VA, Special Project.....	250.00
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS Salary.....	242.09
Flug, Jerry & Billie, Chesapeake, VA Chairs.....	200.00
Flug, Billie, Chesapeake, VA Special Project.....	200.00
Gerth, Arthur & Brenda, Versailles, KY Work Fund.....	30.00
Heritage Baptist Church, Lexington, KY Support.....	15.00
Immanuel Baptist Church, Monticello, KY Vocational School.....	60.00
Joiner, Charles & Kandace, Bonaire, GA Vocational School.....	50.00
Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY, Personal.....	50.00
Mt. Eden Baptist Church, Hawesville, KY Salary.....	150.00
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, KY Personal.....	400.00
Poe, Dane & Connie, Lexington, KY New Work.....	50.00
Restoration Church, Dickson, TN As Needed.....	100.00
Rightway Drywall Inc, Macon, GA Personal.....	600.00
Second Baptist Church, Warner Robins, GA Support.....	40.06
Suburban Christian Church, Virginia Beach, VA Special Project.....	325.00
Thompson, Anthony & Cathy, Lexington, KY Personal.....	375.00
Union Baptist Church, Cynthiana, KY Personal.....	300.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>4,181.08</b>
<b>NATHAN &amp; CARRIE RADFORD</b>	
Anonymous, As Needed.....	100.00
Anonymous, Salary.....	200.00
Anonymous, As Needed.....	200.00
Anonymous, Salary.....	300.00
Bible Baptist Church, Belva, WV Support.....	40.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL As Needed.....	67.00
Bush, Dale & Pamela, Richmond, KY As Needed.....	50.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV Special Offering.....	160.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed.....	77.27
Cullen, Tom & Laura, Letart, WV Salary.....	50.00
Danielson, Betty, Titusville, PA Salary.....	20.00
Danielson, Rodney & Anne, Plano, TX Support.....	75.00
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Bancroft, WV Support.....	200.00
Fairview Bible Church, Letart, WV Salary.....	100.00
Faith Baptist Church, Wilmington, OH Support.....	100.00
First Baptist Church Of Buffalo, Buffalo, WV Salary.....	60.00
Gaal, Stephen & Martha, Hurricane, WV Salary.....	75.00
Gibbs, Rolland & Constance, Letart, WV Salary.....	25.00
Grace Baptist Church, Lima, OH Salary.....	500.00
Grace Missionary Baptist Church Surgoinville, TN, Salary.....	50.00
Grace Missionary Baptist Church Wyandotte, MI, Support.....	150.00
Harper, David, Concord, NC Support.....	25.00
House, Shannon, Support.....	50.00
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, FL Support.....	200.00
Kincaid, John & Jane, Scott Depot, WV Support.....	50.00
Lloyd, Billy & Sharon, Letart, WV Hospital Ministry.....	100.00
Lloyd, Billy & Sharon, Letart, WV Salary.....	200.00
Lloyd, J.T. & Heather, New Haven, WV Support.....	275.00
Loosenort, Kurt & Virginia, Grand Rapids, MI Salary.....	100.00
Matheny, Charles & Betty, New Port Richey, FL, Personal.....	40.00
Matheny, Charles & Betty, New Port Richey, FL, Hospital Ministry.....	10.00
Mitchell, Matthew & Holly, Ossian, IN Support.....	150.00
Nizio, James & Victoria, Dearborn, MI Children.....	12.00
Nizio, James & Victoria, Dearborn, MI Salary.....	30.00
Parker, Steven, Burlington, IA, Salary.....	10.00
Phalen, Larry & Naomi, Concord, NC Mission Work.....	50.00
Phalen, Larry & Naomi, Concord, NC Salary.....	50.00

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Ripley Tabernacle Baptist Church, Ripley, WV	Support.....	50.00
Rollins, David & Patricia, Hurricane, WV	Salary.....	50.00
Sahlberg, William & Janet, Coopersville, MI	Support.....	50.00
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN	Salary.....	100.00
Smith, Doug & Anna, Hurricane, WV	Salary.....	60.00
Teays Valley Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV	Support.....	100.00
Victory Baptist Church, Cross Lanes, WV	Support.....	200.00
Wade, James, Abingdon, VA	Support.....	50.00
Wells, James & Jill, Nitro, WV	Where Needed.....	25.00
Wright, Randy & Teresa, Hurricane, WV	Support.....	138.00
<b>Total.....</b>		<b>4,774.27</b>

**SHERIDAN & ANITA STANTON**

Adams, W.H. & Arbia, Lexington, KY	As Needed.....	50.00
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	As Needed.....	100.00
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, KY	Support.....	125.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	As Needed.....	200.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	As Needed.....	77.27
Durum, Tony & Linda, Winter Springs, FL	As Needed.....	50.00
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS	Personal.....	242.09
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church	Oldtown, KY, Salary.....	100.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	As Needed.....	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Oneco, FL	Building Fund.....	150.00
Grace Missionary Baptist Church	Surgoinsville, TN, Salary.....	50.00
Grace Missionary Baptist Church	Wyandotte, MI, Support.....	150.00
Kentucky Friends, Personal.....		50.00
Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Belleville, MI	Support.....	100.00
Old Mount Zion Church, Wayne City, IL	As Needed.....	200.00
Restoration Church, Dickson, TN	As Needed.....	100.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY	As Needed.....	150.00
Rocky Springs Missionary Baptist Church	Gray, TN, Salary.....	50.00
Rye Patch Baptist Church, Ludowici, GA	As Needed.....	200.00
Shawnee Baptist Church, Louisville, KY	Support.....	50.00
Victory Baptist Church, New Salisbury, IN	Support.....	100.00
<b>Total.....</b>		<b>2,344.36</b>

**ROGER & JULIE TATE**

Anonymous, Personal.....		100.00
Anonymous, As Needed.....		200.00
Anonymous, Salary.....		300.00
Bethany Regular Baptist Church, McDermott, OH, Support.....		25.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	As Needed.....	100.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV	Special Offering.....	160.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, OH	Salary.....	50.00
Calvary Baptist Church, West Branch, MI	Support.....	250.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	As Needed.....	77.27
Covenant Baptist Church, Dayton, OH	Support.....	300.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH	Support.....	760.00
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church	Oldtown, KY, Salary.....	100.00
First Baptist Church Of Buffalo, Buffalo, WV	Salary.....	60.00
Geister, Robert & Marian, Alger, MI	Personal.....	25.00
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	As Needed.....	50.00
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC	Salary.....	50.00
Jordan Baptist Church, Sanford, FL	Support.....	292.50
Liberty Missionary Baptist Church	Spencer, WV, Salary.....	25.00
Messer, Jason, Personal.....		310.00
Messer, Jason, Personal.....		50.00
Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV	Salary.....	100.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY	As Needed.....	100.00
Rosedale Baptist Church, Rosedale, WV	As Needed.....	400.00
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN	Salary.....	120.00

Skidway Lake Baptist Church, Prescott, MI	Salary.....	50.00
Union Baptist Church, Englewood, OH	Salary.....	100.00
<b>Total.....</b>		<b>4,154.77</b>
<b>BOBBY &amp; CHARLENE WACASER</b>		
Bell Shoals Baptist Church, Brandon, FL	PROJECT VIDA.....	300.00
Bible Baptist Church, Harrisburg, IL	As Needed.....	250.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, OH	Salary.....	50.00
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	As Needed.....	77.27
Fellowship Baptist Church, Brinson, GA	Support.....	50.00
Flores, Esther, Valrico, FL	Projeto Vida.....	25.00
Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA	Salary.....	50.00
Lazzara, Richard, Brandon, FL	Support.....	50.00
Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Charleston, WV	Salary.....	100.00
Perkins, Thomas & Janelle, Valrico, FL	Projeto Vida.....	10.00
Perkins, Thomas & Janelle, Valrico, FL	Salary.....	10.00
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY	As Needed.....	150.00
<b>Total.....</b>		<b>1,122.27</b>

Grand Total.....62,667.21

## Grateful For Investment In Mission Work . . .



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Dear friends, June 20, 2013

I am grateful for every investment you make in missions, particularly as you pray to the Father on our behalf. In this letter, I will to share with you concerning our new cycling outreach, challenge you to participate in a successful church plant in America, our recent salvation decisions, the auditorium expansion, our children's cookout and share several pictures.

Cycling Evangelism—Since I was sixteen years old, I always dreamed of cycling as an Evangelism strategy for making new friends and witnessing. I remember as if it were yesterday writing in my prayer book what I imagined, including an artistic sketch of a big group of cyclers. Well, twenty years later God decided it was time. A few weeks ago, two men in their late twenties came to visit the main Sunday service. As we talked, they told me of how they cycle daily with groups of twenty to thirty people throughout the city. I told them I loved cycling and how I had been an avid cyclist during my teens. They invited me to join them in cycling. I did not have a bike so they lent me one. God's timing was perfect (always is), I was ready for this new challenge although I felt out of shape. I have met so many new people it is unbelievable! Raquel has since joined me in cycling as well. We do not have to invest energy in organizing cycling events; we just go along for the ride, meet new people and share Christ.

Church Planting—Church planting is such an uplifting opportunity and it is the best evangelism strategy developed by the Lord. Everyone should be a part of a successful church planting experience at least once in his or her lifetime. America is also in need of new solid churches. Consider following the Lord's example in this way - we need more churches. I am grateful to have joined my grandfather, my father and uncles in church planting to during my formative years. Now, as I pass on to my children the experience in ministry through church planting I am grateful that they will have fond memories too. Every location has something unique. The Lord teaches us life-changing lessons through challenges in reaching people, lessons we might not learn otherwise.

## Two Groups Come To Help . . . All Works Progressing Very Well . . .



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Friends and family, June 20, 2013

It has been an AWESOME three and one half weeks here. We have had two groups back to back and what a blessing for us and the new Church start. When you put together a group of people on a mission trip ie; firemen, policemen, students, teens, moms, electricians, office workers, teachers, pastors--- miracles happen. Our church building is just about remodeled and it is beautiful!!

They have completely painted the exterior of the church building, put in an extra bath room, constructed the sound booth area, built three cabinets for the kitchen, tiled the floor, worked at the vocational school, did three vacation Bible Schools, (one at the Indian Village), repaired a trailer (electrical and fenders) and started putting up speakers in the church. How AWESOME is that. Two of these

Salvation Decisions and Expansion—Over the last month, eleven people have surrendered to the Lord. We continue with small group prayer meetings, home discipleship visits, breakfast, lunch and dinner meetings. Last week, the auditorium received a reorganization in its layout to accommodate more chairs. We now have room for 130 seats. Our main Sunday night service generally lasts 4 hours from start to finish. I generally preach for an hour, we sing, share and eat together. We have intense and sweep fellowship on Sundays.

Kid's Club—Last month we reached 50 children, plus their parents through a children's evangelist cookout and game day. It was a true success. As the children sang, heard a Bible lesson, played and competed the adult members of the church plant made personal connections with the parents and witnessed. As a result, several families have visited during our Sunday services simply because the kids ask their parents to go to church. Most of the parents, who come from Catholic backgrounds, are not used to having a special focus on their children and they love it. One family has a 4 year old daughter who wakes up every day asking "Is today Sunday? Can I get dressed for church?"

Come and visit us anytime. If you want, give me a call. My phone number is (859) 544-9040. Yes, it is a Kentucky number and you can reach me in Brazil. Thanks again for all you do for the Gospel!

Grateful, Jud Hatcher

Bible Schools were in Public Schools. It doesn't get much better than that!! Also at these Schools we were able to do a work project. We painted the exterior walls around the schools.

These groups have been an AWE-SOME testimony around the schools where they did the Bible Schools. And due to people passing the church while we were working, joking, talking differently, playing we have had an amazing increase in attendance these past three weeks. We have been in the high 80s. How AWESOME God is!!! The Lord is moving in this neighborhood. Thanks Hallsville Baptist Church Hallsville Kentucky., Centerville Baptist Church Centerville, Georgia and Central Baptist Church Paris, Kentucky. Thank you is such a little thing to say after so much work but THANK YOU ALL for helping expand the Kingdom of God here in Brazil these past weeks.

So if you are a church thinking about a mission trip I highly recommend a mission experience here in Caraguatatuba Brazil. You can make new friends, create amazing relationships, accomplish impossible tasks and also help build the Kingdom of God. (Sounds a little bit like a job for Superman) but with God the impossible becomes possible.

Well what more can I say ---COME ON DOWN. Barb and I are so blessed to have friends and churches that pray for us and help financially in this ministry here in Caraguatatuba, Brazil. So continue to pray for us. As you know Satan is near when you are expanding God's Kingdom and he is very angry with us right now. So I ask you to pray a hedge of protection about us as we work for the Lord here in Brazil. Without you and your prayers and financial help we would not be experiencing the joy of seeing

God is at work here. Thank you all so very much. Again come and see what your help is doing here and put your hand to the plough with us if it is only for a week. God can do many miracles in just a week.

In His service,  
Aj and Barbara Hensley

## CREIGLOW

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lots where our present buildings sit are worth four million dollars! If the Lord doesn't hurry up and come back we are going to end up leaving ten or fifteen million worth of property for the cults to squabble over during the Great Tribulation. Exciting times, these! Pray real hard for us as we advance the Kingdom of our Lord.

Thanks for all of your prayers and support. God bless you as much as He has us.

In Christ,  
Mike Creiglow

## "BRING AN OFFERING . . ." Psalm 96.8

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## Vehicle Needed For Furlough...

### Continue To Pray For All The Works Here...



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Dear praying friends, June 1, 2013

Lord willing, by the time you receive this prayer letter, it will be the middle of the year 2013. Where has the time gone? Our lives are just a breath when compared to eternity. May we be ever committed to making our lives count for the Lord, sharing the Gospel message with the lost, and seeking to please Him in our actions and behavior. God is so faithful, and we thank the Lord for His many blessings.

Concerning ministry, it has been a definite challenge with church planting here. One of the main reasons is the dependency within the culture. Please pray that the Lord would lead us to the right people and even for wisdom in the different models. My good friend Roger Tate and I have been thinking of and praying over the best way to do church planting in this culture. We have tried it both ways: with us going to the village and starting the church within the culture and village, and also training a national to go and start churches without us ourselves going. Both ways have advantages and disadvantages, and we would appreciate your prayers for wisdom. We praise the Lord for the church that has been planted in the village of Shangalamwe, as well as the churches that have been started through the national we have been training. Even in this endeavor, God will give wisdom. Proverbs 4:7 says, "*Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding.*"

The hospital ministry is also continuing along well. My wife has been involved with this ministry for several years now and God has been faithful to keep the door open there. She enjoys going to meet the mothers and seeing the babies that are in the ward. There are many babies there that need care and attention and my wife helps as she is able. Please pray for her also, that the Lord would give her wisdom also. God cares for these people, and there are many challenging Scriptures. One is Psalm 72:12-13, which says, "*For he shall deliver the needy when he crieth; the poor also, and him that hath no helper. He shall spare the poor and needy, and shall save the souls of the needy.*" Please keep this ministry in your prayers.

There are many prayer requests. One is for us personally, as the end of a term is always difficult. The reasons for

this are many, including cultural fatigue/burnout, homesickness, and loneliness. There is definitely a spiritual battle going on and we appreciate your prayers for us as we finish up this term. We know God is able, and will help and assist us in all our needed areas.

Another prayer request is for safety. We have done all we can in regards to security, and first and foremost we trust the Lord to watch over us. Kitale has had some security issues in various areas of the town lately. We do our best to stay aware and be as safe as we can be. We know the Lord protects us as we serve Him here and would appreciate your prayers not only for us, but others who live and work here. Psalm 121:1-2 says, "*I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the LORD, which made heaven and earth.*" Our help comes from the Lord and we know He is faithful to protect us as we serve here in East Africa.

Some other major prayer requests are for our upcoming furlough. Just to explain, furlough is very expensive. Why? We have many expenses here in Kenya that we still have to pay, even when we come to America. It actually can be overwhelming when there is so much to pay during our absence while we are home. A huge help for us would be twofold at this time.

First, we are in need of reliable transportation during furlough. A minivan would be very helpful for the needs of our family and for transporting what is needed. I could go pretty much anywhere to pick it up if anyone would be interested in donating or selling cheaply for our needs. Another need is housing. We would prefer housing to be in the Charleston/Huntington area of West Virginia, if possible. This would also be a huge help to us right now. We plan to be home in America later in the year, but wanted to announce a few months early so there would be awareness. If anyone is interested in either of these needs, please email us at: naterad@yahoo.com. As always, we trust the Lord for all our needs. We know He is faithful and we depend on Him. Thanks for allowing us to share our current needs.

Please keep us in your prayers as we seek to finish this term well and be faithful to the Lord. 2 Timothy 4:7-8 says, "*I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.*" What tremendous verses and a challenge to us today as we serve the Lord, wherever He calls us. Thanks to each of you for your interest in missions.

Serving in Kitale,  
Nathan and Carrie Radford

## "AS THE LORD PROVIDES"

This has always been the motto and mantra for all the commitments we have ever made to our missionaries. When the first missionary was sent back to Brazil by his church, Brother Hafford Overbey told him that he [Brother Overbey] would work to appeal to churches and other individual supporters to raise his support funds – and that he would forward those funds 'as the Lord provides.'

We have always told our missionaries we approve for support that same thing. "We will work for you, to appeal for your support, but we can fulfill our commitments only as the Lord supplies

the funds through the faithful, sacrificial giving of our supporters."

It always pains us to not be able to fulfill every commitment we have made to our faithful missionaries – but we can give to them only what we receive to give them. We have had occasions already this year – and we fear there may be others to come – when we have had to tell our missionaries "We're sorry, but the funds are not there" when they have asked for benefits we have previously given.

Please help us give in full the commitments we have made to them by faithfully giving your offerings to the Monthly General Fund.

## URGENT NEED FOR \$17,000.00 FURLOUGH REPLACEMENT FUNDS

We are all aware of the ever-spiking prices of all kinds of fuel. It is also showing up big-time with our missionaries' furlough travel back to the States.

Baptist Faith Missions provides for your missionaries a six-month furlough after at least twenty-four continuous months of service on their field and a twelve-month furlough after forty-eight months of service.

BFM pays for their furlough travel expenses out of the General Fund "as the Lord provides". But, there is never enough in the Monthly General Fund offerings to cover their essential monthly living and ministry expenses – much less the other commitments we have made to them over the course of the year as they come due. So, the benefits we provide for them for their 'other-than-monthly' commitments are supplied out of the Thanksgiving Offering funds.

Having said all that – we need to replace the funds we have disbursed for our two furloughing families to return to the States later this year. To transport the Tate and Radford families for their furloughs that are due to them will require more than \$17,000.00. When we provide those furlough reimbursements to them, our General Fund will be all but broke. And, we are just now ½ of the way through 2013.

WILL YOU HELP US REPLENISH THE GENERAL FUND BY DESIGNATING YOUR OFFERINGS FOR 'FURLOUGH FUNDS'? We will have already paid for the airfare tickets, but your offerings will help us replenish the account so we can provide the other future commitments we have made to them throughout the rest of this year.

## KEEP UP WITH WHAT IS HAPPENING AS IT HAPPENS!

You can keep up with what is happening in BFM as it happens by logging on to our website regularly, and especially the FaithWorks blog page. As our missionaries write their monthly newsletters, they are immediately posted there as we receive them.

**ALSO OUR FACEBOOK** - [www.facebook.com/baptistfaithmissions](http://www.facebook.com/baptistfaithmissions): We are making daily posts there not only with our missionaries newsletters, but also with daily developments and updates. Bookmark the page and be in the know!

**BFM EMAIL NEWS** - we want to include you in our email bulletins. If you have not signed up to receive our email reports, please do so by subscribing either through our Facebook page, or by sending us an email at [baptistfaithmissions@gmail.com](mailto:baptistfaithmissions@gmail.com).

**ADVANCE PDF COPY OF THE MISSION SHEETS** - This Mission Sheets issue will be posted on our website before it goes to the printer. We will post links to the PDF Mission Sheets on Facebook and also via emailed BFM NEWS.

## BFM ON YouTube

We are launching a BFM YouTube Channel to post videos to update you and provide clips from our missionaries and events. You will find links to these YouTube clips on our BFM website FaithWorks Blog page and also on our Facebook posts as we upload them.

## "THANK YOU! THANK YOU!" GIVING FRIENDS

Never a month goes by without our thanking God for all our faithful Giving Friends who contribute so regularly and sacrificially to our General Fund offerings. Also, hardly a month goes by without my speaking personally with some of you and having the opportunity to thank you personally for your participation in this missions ministry.

I was speaking with one of our dear supporters recently [you shall remain anonymous -but you know who you are]. She is a widow of very modest means, but she continues to live modestly on purpose so she can continue to give to missions.

And, when I thanked her for her long-time financial support for BFM, she told me, "I'll do without something else before I will NOT give to Baptist Faith Missions." May God increase her tribe!

God has blessed her - and God will bless her. And I pray also that God will use her example and testimony to challenge all of us to follow suit.

**1 Samuel 25:17: Now, therefore, KNOW and CONSIDER WHAT YOU WILL DO.**

## IF YOU NEED TO CONTACT US . . .

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