



November 2019 Update

To Our Partners in Ministry,

It was the largest attended August conference yet! More than 500 people came to hear God's Word. We spoke on Marriage and the Family. This is a much needed topic here in the bush. There are many misconceptions and false ideas regarding how a Biblical marriage should be. The family needs a great deal of help if the bush is going to be reached with the gospel. We rejoice with those whose lives were changed.

The ministry has many encouraging times. However, heartbreaking times come as well. This time the loss hit close to home as one of our dear ministers passed away. He was riding his bicycle when he was struck by a car. It was a blessing to see the gospel shared during the funeral services.

In just a couple of months, the Liberty Baptist Bible College will begin full-time teaching and training. This is a vital extension to the ministry. We will be teaching college level courses to people in the bush that have graduated the 12<sup>th</sup> grade. The college will offer a 2 year Bible training program. A 3<sup>rd</sup> year of pastoral training will also be available. It is a privilege to serve the Lord training future disciplers, church planters and missionaries. There are opportunities for you to be more involved with the Bible college students. A student's food needs can be sponsored for \$40 per month.

The weekly Bible study with pastors has expanded to include the school teachers. Please pray for the teachers as they desire to have a greater impact in the lives of the children. The school continues to thrive and grow. Attendance is now at 120 children. There have been several inquiries from parents about enrollment of new students for next term. The need continues to grow for a grade 6 to start in January.

Thank you for your continued prayers for our pastor, Shane Lewis. His new treatments are going well. We are continuing to pray for his future treatment procedures and healing from Lukemia.

**ANSWERED PRAYERS!!**

In our last update we shared a few ministry needs. We are thankful to share that the Lord has met the need for water supply to the school.

Thank you for your prayers and support!

**As you pray for us...**

**Please keep the following in mind:**

- **The weekly Bible study with pastors and school teachers**
- **Souls saved and people to surrender to God's call on their lives**
- **The power of God on our lives as we share the ministry**
- **The ministry needs mentioned in the last update**
- **The Pastor's Bible Institute**
- **The Bible College**
- **The Christian School**
- **Our kids to see our love for God as we obey Him**
- **For the salvation of our younger children**

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