

New Staff Additions

We have two new families joining our ministry in Tanzania. Please pray for them as they link up with Troy and Jen there.



Ray & Lana Franklin



Jim & Janice Larson

Thanks for praying for ICM as we take the Inductive Training into various lands around the world that desperately need to understand His Word.

PRAY REQUESTS:

- Pray for upcoming trip to Haiti for more seminars in late June.
- Pray for seminars in Pakistan and that my team will be able to get visas for late September.
- For the two new families joining Troy & Jen in Tanzania.
- For our second quarter training in June of key pastors in Uganda.
- For all our staff in different countries.

SUPPORT:

Pakistan - Praise God for His provisions for our last trip. Thank you for supporting this trip.

Russia - I have a staff conference in Oct. that we are in need of funding.

Uganda - I am doing a Teacher Training course for 50 Uganda pastors and leaders. We are in need of funding for this trip and our staff is in need of a lap top computer and a new printer.

Donate miles - If any of you have airline miles you could donate that would help cover cost of flights, please contact dan@icmbible.org

New Program Development

I am excited about launching a new in-depth training for Third World pastors. One of the big problems we are facing is the lack of comprehensive understanding of the Bible. These leaders have been through our IBS level 1 & 2 seminars but we felt the need to take them deeper into the Word. So we are developing a 4 quarter ten day training for these men.

In March Pastor Tim Anderson from Calvary Chapel Burbank and Pastor John Chubik from Calvary Chapel Costa Mesa traveled to Uganda to conduct our first quarter session with key leaders. We had 15 pastors from Uganda, Ethiopia, Kenya and the Congo. Tim and John took them through the New Testament over-view and the book of Acts. Here are comments from Tim and John: comment.



Uganda

I loved the Uganda experiment: 15 pastors for 10 days for 12 hours a day! Each of these men had already completed Inductive I & II and were actively seeking to train others & go deeper. Our job was to teach through Acts verse by verse and try an Inductive Survey of the New Testament. God blessed His Word. The highlight for me was an evening halfway through where each man shared his vision for his region. This was an exact application of what we were studying in the Word. Africa will be blessed through these men. The visions were diverse, specific & creative. It started raining in the days following and did not stop. It was as if the Lord was saying, "The seeds are planted, watered & the harvest is coming!" Thanks to all who prayed!

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Haiti

In March I flew to Haiti for the first time. Traveling with me was Dr Bill Cullins and Jake Novak. Also joining us was Pastor Claude Staffer and his son Stephen from Calvary Chapel of Hope, New York. The city of Port Au Prince was still pretty much in rubble from the devastating earthquake last January, 2010. Little has been done to rebuild the city and over 1million people are still living in tents. It was heartbreaking to hear the many stories of loss of life and possessions. Over 200,000 people from this city lost their lives.

Our seminar was for pastor and leaders but the set up was poorly done and we didn't get many pastors out. We did have a large group of church people who came with great interest. They were very slow to catch the concept but once they did, we saw life coming into their eyes. One pastor attending begged me to come back and teach all his pastors he overseas in their denomination. So, Lord willing I'll be going back in June to work with about 50 pastors from this group.

At the end of this seminar one lady shared a testimony about how God brought her out of a

church that mixed Christianity and Voodoo together. She had gotten saved and started attending this church that did preach Christ. However, when she asked to take communion, they told her she couldn't because she had a worldly hair permanent! Then there were other strange restrictions of dress and jewelry that finally caused her to leave the church. When she left, the church put a curse on her and she became blind for two weeks until a group of believers prayed over her. The spell was broken and God freed her to join a Bible believing church. Unfortunately we see this as a big problem of

mixing Christianity with the cults. The counterfeiter is boldly at work today deceiving even the elect.

Dr Bill Cullins, a chiropractor, has traveled with me on many trips over the years and God has used him to touch lives both physically and spiritually. On this trip during several adjustments he and his assistant, Jake Novak, had the opportunity to lead some of these patients to Christ.

Nigeria

"...All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness,..." 2Timothy. 3:16



As the years go by, it seems like God raises up more and more opportunities to teach His Word in countries around the world. This past February found me in Nigeria conducting two Inductive Bible study seminars in Ibadan and one in Abuja.

Ibadan- Pastor Wes Denham from Calvary Chapel Troy, MO, and Pastor Bill Dunning and Dave Dietzman from Calvary Chapel Olympia, WA all joined forces for these seminars. The first week in Ibadan we did two seminars a day sponsored by Abiodun Faleke of Calvary Chapel Ibadan. We had a good group of pastors in the day time and then had another group of mostly lay people attending the evening seminar. Though it was a lot of work, we saw much fruit from the training. With ever increasing amount of false teaching in countries like Nigeria, the need for

training in how to study the Word is critical. We were able to take pastors and leaders through the simple steps of Inductive Bible study and then get them to learn by doing assignments. It is always fun to watch the Word come alive as the participants begin to understand a new way to look into the Scriptures. Truly His Word is God breathed! Life is breathed into these pastors and as they teach His Word more effectively, His Word breathes life into their people.



"I was blessed to spend time serving with Dan in Nigeria this year. Our two week trip was not without some memories: lost luggage, white knuckle driving conditions

that would make a NASCAR professional think twice, heat, humidity, and showers from a bucket. It was all worth it to see hundreds of Pastors and Christian workers learning how to study and teach the Word of God. I am also convinced that although our church supports twenty four missionaries, I believe Dan's ministry is one of the most cutting edge and vital missions I have seen." Pastor Wes Denham

Abuja- The second week of our trip took us to the capital of Nigeria. We were with Pastors Prince Lawrence and Brett Binder of Calvary Chapel Abuja. Once again we saw God at work in hungry pastors and leaders who desire to learn how to study the Word. The church recently purchased property and has a partially built building. During our seminar the winds would blow strong gusts and the empty plastic chairs would go flying. It didn't seem to bother any of the participants and everyone kept working on assignments. Since we left, the church has gotten enough funds to finish the open walls and put in windows.

"During the trip, it was exciting to learn that five new Calvary Church plants have started in the last year. Those new pastors attended the IBS Seminars and will be spreading solid Biblical teaching through more of Nigeria." Pastor Bill Dunning

