

## **FIRST QUARTER 2016**

### **News from Revival Time Ministry**

**Dear Prayer Partner,**

**We are exceedingly delighted to share the success of ministry this quarter of year 2016 with you. We began this year with all night prayer, and it was quite clear that the Holy Spirit was telling us to focus on two things: To warn the church to wake up from slumber, repent, and take her position as a chosen, sanctified and special institution that should impact the world; to tell the church to revive the basic values of Love and interpersonal relationships ( 1John 4:20) and spotlessness in all manner of behavior.**

**The second thing the Holy Spirit impressed upon us was to help disciple students in Higher Institutions of learning (Universities and Tertiary Institutions) to walk the Christian walk and teach evangelism skills which will help them evangelize fellow students. This was immediately authenticated by my surprise appointment as a patron (Spiritual care taker) of KSCL, a medical institutions that trains Clinical Officers and Nurses.**

**God will always remain who He is, very faithful to His word. He took us though the districts of Busia in the Far East, through Pallisa, Apac in the North West and Kaberamaido districts. The total miles covered was 13,300 Kms on, probably, some of the worst roads in the country. The car maintenance, mainly in brake system and shock absorbers was quite high, but the Lord provided for all that.**

**God gave us good health and security: One of my companions, Rev. Silas is advanced in age and is diabetic. We did not have any incident of health breakdown. Aso, Rose Nakilima, our office manager in Jinja, joined the team. This would give her insight into RTM's core vision.**

**Rev. Silas Preaching  
in Kaberamaido**



**We did the teaching and counseling mainly with the churches. Our message was timely because it unearthed a cache of family related issues. The church has sunk very low and it is very far from the expected standards of “spotlessness”. We were shocked by levels of sexual impurity, fights and stints of witchcraft in the church of Christ. There was open confession and repentance with tears, not only among ordinary Christians, but among the leaders as well.**

The level of poverty and hunger was alarming! Because, people do not give, and live reckless lives, where do their blessings come from?

There is a silently biting famine in the households as the result of the previous EL Nino rains. Children are the victims. In one church, we had to provide lunch for three days for people to remain attentive in the afternoon.

*The church congregation in Apac*



Another problem is that many churches lack structures to attract and retain believers. Late last year, we were able to find some help to roof a church in Pallisa which was at the verge of disintegrating. El Nino rains pounced on me and the wonderful seminar was prematurely brought to an end.

Similarly in Apac, a pastor (district leader) lives in a shack. Richard is a nice and devoted preacher in Apac town (two tiny mud and grass in the town of Apac). He began a project to put up an official house for the church almost with his own funds accruing from Agricultural savings. The wall is done and money to put the ring was raised during

our mission there. The roofing needs to be done and we would like to help him in any way. Because of his living conditions, people have left his church for better looking facilities.

*Evangelism training in sun set Hotel*



God also provided for us to hold evangelistic training with University students in a hotel in Jinja (Sun Set Hotel). This bore fruits and evangelism has caught on like a wild fire. Within three weeks after the training, I was invited to baptize 14 new converts. I have received a notice to

*Pastor Isaac Baptizing the new converts from the university*



arrange to baptize more new converts. I hope to devote this time up to 16<sup>th</sup> April to meet and disciple new converts in various universities.

## **Urgent Prayer Request:**

*The new house for the pastor that need to be roofed*



**1. We need USD 600 ( 40%) to help roof official house for FMU pastor in Apac town. We are determined to get 60% from the Christians. Pray with us.**

*The Current house where pastor is living.*



**2. From 16<sup>th</sup> April, we will be in Soroti and beyond toward Semi-Arid and famine prone Karamoja. Just as we have done before, we will be holding teachings and counseling sessions there. Pray for provision for our trip (fuel and upkeep). But also pray for food. We are told that poverty and famine is really biting in that region. It is necessary to provide lunches.**

**3. I am still struggling with fees for my Son Caleb. He needs UGX 1,262,000 and we haven't paid up to now. In August our Third child, Gad Oyako will be joining Makerere University for Software Engineering. We have no idea where the funds will come from.**

**It is now easier and cheaper to donate any amount of support to our ministry. If it is not necessary to have bank transfer papers through the usual bank wire, any one can send money directly to my phone from any where in the world. Example, I received as low as \$10 CDN from Ruth in Canada. That is made possible by an organization called, "WOLDREMIT". Simply go to their site [www.worldremit.com](http://www.worldremit.com) and transact. They are cheaper and instantaneous.**

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**Thank you very much  
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