



# Strategic Mission Partners

## SMP Prayer Newsletter—August 2008

Acts 1:8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth.

Dear Praying Friends,

Zambia was powerful!! The Lord greatly blessed our mission experiences in Lusaka, Zambia. My words are inadequate to express my **THANKS** and **GRATITUDE** to those of you who prayed for our team and supported us in missions in Zambia. There were 42 on our team from the USA. We preached evangelistic crusades and witnessed in 50 churches, held medical clinics, did street preaching in market places and in the National Soccer Stadium. There were 17,066 recorded decisions for Christ. We trained and taught the Pastors and leaders in discipleship and follow up. We planted, watered and God gave the increase. We are trusting the Lord that through the discipleship teaching and follow up, the fruit of changed lives will remain, grow and multiply.

Will you stop now and **PRAISE THE LORD AND THANK HIM FOR THE MANY AND GREAT VICTORIES HE GAVE US ALL IN ZAMBIA FOR HIS GLORY!!** Two of our team members were Chris and Stacey McKenzie. Chris is a God called deaf mute Pastor. Chris and Stacey led 20 deaf Zambians to faith in Christ, and then he baptized 10 of them after leading them in discipleship classes.

God Bless you as you pray.



Zambia 2008 Mission Trip  
Preparing for Baptism



Pastor Danny speaking at  
Lusaka Police Conference



Chris & Stacey working  
with the deaf

### Upcoming SMP Mission Projects

**San Diego**— September 2-8 Pastor Howard Everett, Calvary Baptist Church and Pastor Jeremy McGarity, San Diego Seven Baptist Church.

**Baker City, Oregon** — September 13-18 Pastor Scott and Judy Knox, Blue Mountain Baptist Church.

**Central Asia/Turkey** — October 7-17

**PRAYERS IS WHERE THE BATTLE IS WON!!** Your prayers will enable us to go forward, preach the Gospel, make disciples and fulfill the GREAT COMMISSION.

**THANK YOU** for standing in the gap with us in prayer. Please let me know of your prayer needs and that you are praying with us and for us. **WE LOVE YOU GREATLY.**

God Bless you all.

Prayerfully & Sincerely,

Danny & Karen  
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## SPECIAL PRAYER CONCERNS

The Pastors and leaders in Zambia have invited us to come back in 2009 and lead them and teach them in discipleship, evangelism and leadership training. **PLEASE PRAY NOW AND ASK THE LORD TO DIRECT US, GUIDE US, AND LEAD US TO HIS PLANS, AGENDA AND SCHEDULE FOR OUR NEXT MISSION EXPERIENCES IN ZAMBIA.** The Lord has greatly opened up a door of mission opportunity in Zambia and we want to follow His leading. **ASK THE LORD TO GIVE US HIS WISDOM AND COUNSEL FOR OUR NEXT STEPS IN ZAMBIA FOR 2009 AND BEYOND.**

**PERU**— We left Monday, August 4 for our two week mission trip to Peru. There will be over 30 on this team. I will be leading a team of 7 to work with Pastor Raul Lopez in Piura, Peru on the Northern Coast of Peru which is below Ecuador. We will be doing evangelism, discipleship, leadership training and medical clinics in Piura and 5 other nearby cities in order to plant new churches and strengthen existing churches. **PRAY AND ASK THE LORD TO LEAD US TO PERUVIANS WHOSE HEARTS ARE OPEN TO THE GOSPEL. PRAY FOR US AS WE TEACH AND EQUIP THE PASTORS AND LEADERS IN ORDER TO PLANT, STRENGTHEN, AND MULTIPLY CHURCHES IN PIURA, PERU.**



Children of Peru

**MIKE and JAN JANSZEN**—Mike had a 9 hour surgery at M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston, Texas on Tuesday, July 22nd. His major surgery included removing two thirds of his esophagus and one third of his stomach and attaching them together. **PRAY FOR MIKE AND JAN AND HIS HEALING, STRENGTH, AND GRACE FOR THEM AS MIKE RECOVERS FROM THIS MOST DIFFICULT AND PAINFUL SURGERY.**

Please continue to **PRAY** for Dana and Gary Miller and Bob and Janice Eklund as they recover from their cancer treatments as well.

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