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NEWS AND NEEDS

BIM:

Please pray for those who are traveling to Africa. May they have a good and profitable trip and may they have a safe and uneventful return.

Zambia:

We want to thank all our supporters who have been faithful for so many years. After I return from Zambia, I will be visiting with the Calvert City Kentucky church of Christ who have been supporting this work for decades. We love and appreciate this faithful congregation. If you want to help support this work, we still are in need of monthly support. May God bless you!

Uganda:

Continue to pray for the opening of the school in Uganda. The students are anxious to return and finish their second year of studies. Evangelism is still going on and the churches are meeting in homes due to the closing of all church assemblies by their President. The brethren in that country have and are suffering in their inability to worship God and to provide for their daily needs.

Ghana:

In Ghana things are going well financially. As far as current needs, we are considering beginning the process to purchase land and build some permanent structures. I believe the two initial buildings needed will cost around \$70,000 each and the land between \$5,000-10,000.

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- * Free Tuition
- * 2000+ Classroom Hours
- * Mission Opportunities

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ONE NEWSLETTER

The Bible Institute of Missouri is seeking new students!
Please see the Global News section for more details.

"Global News"

Jerry Sullins

KENYA FOR CHRIST

In 1979, Edith, the children, and I began our first mission work in Nairobi, Kenya which lasted for two and a half years. It was a great work. Since that time, one visit was made in the 1980's. Although our work there continued throughout the years through preachers we trained in other African countries, our desire was to someday establish a school of Biblical Studies in the country we loved so much. Some say, you have a school next door in Uganda, why do you want one in Kenya? The school in Uganda cannot supply all the men needed to preach the gospel in Kenya. Kenya is a country of 48 million people in over 40 tribes. There are hundreds of churches of Christ in Kenya but most of them do not have faithful and/or trained gospel preachers. There is need for preacher training schools in all African countries as well as around the world. So, we will do our small part in setting up a school in another country to reach out to the lost. How will they hear the gospel and obey without a preacher? Romans 10:13-17

On September 29th, four will be going to Kenya to finalize arrangements to set up the school in the area of Nairobi. Ray, Trey, Chase, and I will be making the journey. For better than six months, we have been making preparations to open the school through a faithful brother in Kenya who has taught in our schools in Uganda and Ghana. His name is Samson Omutele, a graduate of the school we had in Botswana in the late 1980's.

The funds for the setting up of the school have been raised. Twelve students are already selected will make up the first class. We hope to start the school in January 2022. What is needed now is monthly support for the work. We estimate that the monthly operation funds needed will be \$2,800. Our goal is to raise at least \$28,000 for most of the first year's operational expenses. We need your help. Please help us get started by either a onetime contribution or a commitment to help monthly. We can only make this work a success if we join together in this outreach to reach the lost.



Since 2003
Springfield,
Missouri

We are well into the 1st quarter of the new school year at the Bible Institute of Missouri. So far, both students (Chase Sullins and Tony Welch) are doing well in their studies. It always takes our new students about a quarter to get into the full swing of things, but Tony is coming right along quickly.



BIM Students

Thankfully, the trip to Africa has been rescheduled. Presently, Jerry, Ray, Trey, and Chase Sullins will all be leaving for Africa on September 29. This will be Chase's first mission trip. No doubt, this will be both a rewarding and eye-opening trip for him as a

current student. In order to accommodate for their absence, we have adjusted our school schedule this quarter so that everything can still be finished.

Second quarter will begin after those on the trip to Africa have returned. Next quarter will include the following courses:

First-Year Classes: Preacher and His Work II
English Grammar II

Second-Year Classes: Preacher and His Work VI
Greek II

Combined:

Acts

Isaiah

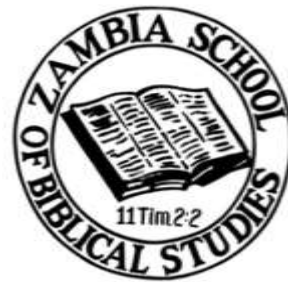
Hebrew History II

Thessalonians and Hebrews



Our continued prayer is for the success of these men as they train each day in God's Word. Likewise, we pray that our sister schools in Africa would have the same success in their ongoing efforts. Praise be to God for His Word and the blessing it is to all!

Written By Brent Green



Since 1988
Zambia

The Lord willing, a group of four will be traveling to Zambia on September 29th. We will first be in Kenya to finalize the opening of a school of Biblical Studies in that country. This school is planned to open in January, 2022. It will be a trip where two of my grandsons and Ray will be with me. Both of my grandsons, Trey and Chase are showing a great interest in being a part of the operation of the schools here and throughout Africa. This trip will give them the experience they will need to do the work. Trey is now assisting in some of the teaching needed at the Bible Institute here in Springfield and Chase is a second-year student at BIM.

This trip to Zambia, our main goals will be to preach, and to teach the present class of 22 students who are in their first year of studies. As promised to the class of 2020 who actually finished their studies in November of last year, we will be having their graduation ceremony where they will receive their Associate Degree of Biblical Studies.

The 16 graduates are all from Zambia and their names are:

Wilson Banda

Moses Chola

Pilago Kasulwe

Solomon Moyo

Briliance Mlubwa

Milimo Siambizi

Gift Sigowa

Otis Sigongi

David Chileya

Daniel Kasonkomona

Overs Mavikeni

Tagweirei Msindo

Phinias Siawindi

Gift Siamupunga

Faroa K. Simweene

Michelo Siyandwa

Pray for these brothers as they will continue to do their work in the Kingdom. We will give some reports concerning their works in the next newsletter.

Written by Jerry Sullins



Since 2003
Uganda

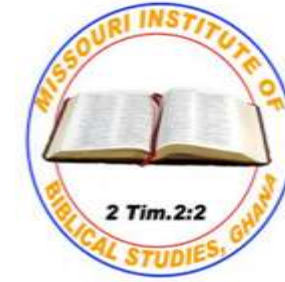


A Baptism in Uganda

The picture above is showing one of the students who is studying at the school in Uganda. His name is Benon Byamukama. He is the youngest student among his class. He writes: Brother Jerry, I am grateful for the support you are giving to us in studying the Word of God. Your aim is that we become good and strong preachers. Indeed, I am seeing a lot of improvement within me due to your efforts. I am doing evangelism within this lockdown and many souls have been won to Christ. Just keep praying for this work I am doing." He sent me pictures of four of those precious souls who are now a part of the Kingdom.

Uganda is still in a lockdown due to covid but for the most part political purposes. Churches and all schools are not allowed to meet but the work goes on. I just received a message from two of our instructors in Uganda that the President of Uganda is now saying that some schools will be allowed to open the second week in November. Our school has been out since June of this year so I want to thank all of our supporters for your continued support throughout these difficult times. Even though we are closed many of our expenses continue to keep the facility and faculty and some staff compensated. We look forward to the opening of the school soon and hopefully soon after the beginning of 2022, we will be able to travel to Uganda to make sure the work continues as planned.

Written by Jerry Sullins



Since 2017
Ghana

The work in Oboaso, Ghana continues to go well, and God is richly blessing the work. Our students are doing well, and our faculty is doing a great job also. We are very proud of the good work going on in Ghana and are blessed to be a part of such a good work in the Kingdom of our Lord. It's hard to believe, but our students in Ghana are about to start their 4th quarter for their first year. This year has really flown by, but I know these men are excited to have almost completed the first year.

Our director in Ghana, brother Williams Benjamin Anarfi, has been having some health problems for about the last year and is having a very difficult time finding out what his true problem is and getting proper treatment. I ask you all to remember him in your daily prayers that God may heal him and give him more strength and many more years to do His work in Ghana.

I am also thankful for you all for the love and support you show the work in Ghana. What a blessing it is to have the privilege of sharing in the work of the Lord in Ghana. We would not be able to train our brothers in Ghana without your help. May God richly bless you all.

I wanted to give a brief update about our funding in Ghana. We were able to receive some special contributions so that we would have sufficient funds to run the school through the end of the year. We still are short on monthly support, so if you or someone you know would be interested in helping the Ghana school on a monthly basis, please contact us.

The future of the work in Ghana looks great. Lord willing in the coming months and year we will be talking with you all more about building a permanent facility in Ghana. Please keep these plans and this good work in your prayers.

Written by Ray Sullins