

## Since 2003 Busia, Uganda

While things are still quiet at the school in Uganda, progress is being made towards resolving the problems and finding closure. We believe we are nearing the point of regaining the land, which means we can think about restarting classes. Please pray for a positive outcome.



*Baptism in a River in Uganda*

As far as the Uganda class, they are doing very well in Zambia. As most of you already know, we sent our Uganda students to Zambia to finish their studies. The good news is that we will graduate our Uganda students in Zambia on September 28<sup>th</sup>. These brothers are doing a great job and are excited about the coming graduation, so they can return home to be with their families again and get back to work in their home areas. Please keep all these Ugandan brothers in your prayers while they are in their last quarter of studies, as they prepare to graduate and head to their homes. God has certainly blessed our current Ugandan class, and I know they are going to do great things for Him in the near future.



*Some of Our Ugandan Brethren*

*Written by Ray Sullins*

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## "Global Schools News"

*By Ray Sullins*

Hello beloved brethren! I hope and pray you all are doing well and God is continuing to bless us all as we labor in His service. This summer has proven to be a very busy one for all of us at the Global Schools as God continues to bless our work for Him. It was nice to have the summer break from the regular work of teaching in the Bible Institute of Missouri; however, the work does not stop when one school goes on break as we continue to stay busy with the Global work overall.

A lot of our summer was spent preparing and organizing things for the new students at the Bible Institute of Missouri. As you will see from the detailed report inside this newsletter, our new class and their studies are off to a great start. Please read the update on the BIM, and it will bring you great encouragement. For our new students, we almost have all the funding in place to cover all their needs for their entire two years of study. Currently, we are only lacking some additional funding for one of our new students, Easton Hass, and one of our returning students, John Crawford. The budget only lacks about \$500 a month for each of them, which equals only \$6000 each for an entire year. Please consider helping with this need, so we might get our funding up to where it needs to be and not have to worry about these good brothers' monthly needs.



*Baptism of a Woman in Uganda*

As far as the Africa works, we have had an exciting summer of gospel meetings, lectureships, and seminars. So many over the summer have obeyed the gospel and put on their Lord through confession, repentance, and baptism. Some of these details will be in the specific reports for each school, later in this newsletter.

The overall budget for the Global Schools of Biblical Studies is around 97% fully funded each month. Because of economic issues and the increasing costs of living and food in each country, we have had to increase some budgets by a small margin. We currently need about \$1,400 a month to cover our shortage. If you can consider this need, we would really appreciate it. Lord willing, if we can get this need met in the near future, we can begin considering how we can do more and expand our work for the Lord. May we never become satisfied with just doing what we are now, but may we always be focused on looking for more ways

and opportunities to reach the lost of this world. This is the challenge which we have from God Himself.

Finally, I always want to thank you all for your love and support of the Global Schools overall. With your help, we are currently training around 90 men to be preachers of the gospel. This November two more classes will graduate, and through our six schools, we will continue to propagate the word of God to a lost and dying world. Let's all continue to do all we can today and every day to give God our best and to reach the many lost souls of this world.





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## Springfield, Missouri

School is back in session! We are excited to be back in school for the 2024/2025 school year. Several alumni and supporters came to encourage our students during orientation on August 6<sup>th</sup>. Classes then started on the following day on August 7<sup>th</sup>.



*Part of the Group on Orientation Day*

We have two men who have returned for their second year of school. Both Levi Hicks and John Crawford spent the summer preaching and/or working with local congregations.



*2<sup>nd</sup> Year Students: Levi Hicks (left) and John Crawford (right)*

We have four new students who have joined us for their first year of school. Christiaan comes from the Paris, Arkansas congregation where Kevin Heavin, one of our alumni, preaches. Easton is one of the local members of the Kansas Expressway Church of Christ. He is also the brother of one of our most recent graduates, T-Roy Hass. Coby is the brother of Levi Hicks and comes from the Mtn. Grove congregation. Finally, Isaac comes to us all

the way from Oregon. Like all our students, he has expressed a great desire to better serve in God's kingdom. We are very thankful that these men have committed to studying the word of God for the next two years.



*1<sup>st</sup> Year Students: Christiaan, Easton, Coby, Isaac (left to right)*

While our second-year men know how everything works at the school, our first-year men will take some time to adjust and learn the ropes. The students will take the following courses during the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter:

### *First-Year Classes:*

OT/NT Survey  
Bible Geography  
Preacher and His Work 1  
English Grammar 1

### *Second-Year Classes:*

Minor Prophets  
General Biblical Introduction  
Preacher and His Work 5  
Greek 1

### *Combined:*

Genesis  
Life of Christ 1

Keep us all in your prayers as we continue to train faithful men who will teach others also.



*Jerry Sullins Speaking on Orientation Day*

*Written by Brent Green*



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## Livingstone, Zambia

Things are very busy in Zambia as the school has had a lot of visitors from the USA over the past month. This has led to a lot of gospel meetings and lectureships which are reaching many people with the gospel of Christ. One gospel meeting was at Siamafumba, where over 3,000 souls were gathered. During the meeting, there were 122 baptisms and 132 restorations to the body of Christ. Praise be to God for all of this good work and the fruit it has born.



*Gospel Meeting at Siamafumba*

Jerry Sullins and I will travel to this school in September for the Ugandans' graduation, and I will also return in November for the Zambians' graduation.

*Written by Ray Sullins*



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## Kumasi, Ghana

It's hard to believe that another class in Ghana is nearing the end of their studies, but if everything goes as planned, we will have a graduation in Aboaso this November. Our students continue to do well in their education and are getting ready for graduation.

Please keep brother Williams Benjamin Anarfi in your prayers. Brother Anarfi is one of our teachers in Ghana and is still struggling to regain his health and ability to walk after some serious health complications. We pray he will continue to improve every day. We also ask for prayers for one of our graduates whose wife passed away. His name is Kwame Osei Bonsu.



*Brother Bonsu*

On a final note, Brent Green and Trey Sullins will travel to Ghana on September 3 to teach classes, preach, and encourage the brethren there.

*Written by Ray Sullins*



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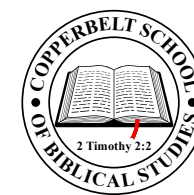
## Nairobi, Kenya

Our new class in Kenya is doing well in its first year of studies. The faculty and students are doing well, and it seems like everyone is still very focused on their common goal of growing in God's Word.

The congregation which meets at the school has had several baptisms since the last newsletter. Brother Samson has also been involved in several gospel meetings over the past few months. Most recently, he went to a gospel meeting just over the border in Uganda. At this area-wide meeting, there were 49 congregations represented and over 200 people present. During the meeting, five souls were added to the body of Christ.

Another one of our graduates, named John Mbithi, helped plant a new congregation recently as well. He reported to me that they have had four baptisms this past Sunday. Praise be to God for all the great work going on in Kenya, and may God continue to prosper His good works throughout eastern Africa.

*Written by Ray Sullins*



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## Ndola, Zambia

The new school is off to a great start and is now in its last quarter to complete the first year of studies. Our new faculty and staff are doing a great job.

A few weeks ago, there were some visitors from the USA who came to Ndola to help with a gospel meeting at the new congregation where the school meets. This congregation is only a few months old, but they had 86 people join them for the gospel meeting and 10 other local congregations were represented. There were also four baptisms.



*Baptism During the Gospel Meeting*

Lord willing, we will visit this school for a few days in September. It's a blessing to laborer with all of you through this global work.

*Written by Ray Sullins*