

GHIM NEWS

Moving with God in Congo

“Only God Can Heal”

I just got off the phone with Mbirima who is now ministering in Baraka, Congo. He is making disciples of two former Muslim young men - Saddam and Jaffari, and holding a Discovery Bible Study with four Muslim fishermen. Just today he was near the local mosque and a young muslim woman approached him asking: “Why do you Christians believe Jesus is God?” In the wisdom of the Lord Mbirima asked, “Why, when you Muslims are sick do you secretly come to Christians for prayer for healing?” She said: “Only God can heal.” Mbirima responded, “And we pray in the name of Jesus who is able to heal because he is God.” She was running a small shop there near the mosque and would run back and forth to hear what Mbirima was saying while trying to run her store. He said that she stopped arguing and began to listen intently. God is moving.

Reaching Refugees

Last year the Lord directed us to reach the refugees. I particularly had a desire to reach those Ethiopian refugees in South Sudan - a new group of thousands who have fled Ethiopia due to war in their



Tarps & Beans = Smiles

No more rain in the tent! What a relief for 60 families!. It is amazing how a small donation of food to a hungry family can bring such joy. A little rice, beans, corn flour, and even a bar of soap. Thank you to all who donated recently to help get these dear families a dry place to lay their head. We were able to bless 70 families with a little food as well.



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region. At that time we tried to make contact with Missionary Aviation Fellowship but failed. The door seemed closed.

Recently Mbirima was in touch with a friend in Uganda who had a contact in Juba, South Sudan. This Ugandan friend put Mbirima in contact with a guy he knew in South Sudan. As it turns out that person happened to be a Christian and was a former neighbor of Mbirima in Congo! My what a small world but a big God we have! That old neighbor works with the UN there and has invited Mbirima to come and stay with him, even offering potential transport in a UN vehicle to the Ethiopian camps. It seems the door is opening for us in a whole new harvest field.



Pygmies of Kongolo

Before Pastor Mbirima goes to Sudan he has committed himself to reach the pygmies in Kongolo, South Kivu. Years ago, before Mbirima was with GHIM, he was there and led some to Christ. They have recently contacted him and asked why he doesn't come anymore. If the Lord wills, he will go this next month to the Kongolo pygmies to raise more disciples. Stay tuned for another exciting adventure!

A Harvest to Come

Working together, the women of Kilomoni (flood victims) hope to plant and harvest within three months. Thanks to generous giving by you we were able to buy the tools, seed, and rent a plot of land for \$50 USD. May the Lord bless them with a "Great Harvest!"

