

Trailblazer Ministries CRC, Newsletter Nov/Dec 2014

Hello Brothers and sisters

We started this month a week travelling to catch up with some of our people in other parts of China. On Monday the 10th I caught a flight to Hangzhou and went by car to Shaoxing to spend some time with Youngshan and Changdie. On the Monday night we had some teaching and prayer. They shared how they had some pressure from other churches in the area.



Spirit and His working the Church.

Jerry and Beth

On Wednesday the 12th I flew to Qingdao to have a meeting with Pastor Peter and his fellowship. The night meeting was well attended and we taught on communication within marriage.

The following day Leo, Annie Kidd and me caught a train to go to Weifang their home town to inspect their work and spend time with them. We had a small but good meeting. I also met some of the children they have along with some parents and we spoke about the Summer program of teaching.

On Tuesday the 11th I caught a train to Wenzhou where I was suppose to spend time with Gou liang (Jerry) and Beth, but unfortunately Beth was working another city. I would love to be able to support the financially so they can stay together. Jerry had organised a group of the teachers that works with to come together. We had a Bible study on the Holy





By the end of the week we had some time for me to visit the Internment Camp where **Eric Liddell** was imprisoned and passed away. Eric was born January 16, 1902 and died in a Japanese camp, China in 1945.

Eric Liddell is remembered as an Olympian and Missionary. A film Chariots of Fire was made about his triumph at the 1924 Olympics. But his love was for the Lord Jesus and the people of China. He worked as a Science teacher and Bible teacher/minister, who made an impact on people with the love of Christ wherever he went. In 1943 he was interned in Weishien camp until his death in 1945. This camp is in Weifang City.



Leo and me standing at the Memorial Stone to Eric Liddell, Weifang, North China

The hospital where he spent his last few days



On the left the church and house Hudson Taylor built in Changsha.

As some of you may know I live in Changsha where **Hudson Taylor** ministered. He spent 51 years in China, helping 800 missionaries come into the country who began 125 schools and managing over 300 centres of Christian influence.

I have walked along the roads and claimed the steps that these men have walked. I have stood and reflected on their achievements in the service of our great and glorious Lord Jesus and the people of China. I have bricks from Hudson Taylor house which was only pulled down a few years ago. I am moved to tears when thinking about the fervour that the Church had in their days. They built schools, Hospitals, Churches and established a Christian influence wherever they went. Sadly today the Church

is not burning with passion for missions. It is a battle to get support to pay the rent for some of our pastors (\$200.00 a month). We are cleaning the wells that were built before, but we are digging more.



We have more than 60 children in our training schools and the number will grow by July when we hold a summer camp program for kids. We need a bigger place. We are now training more teachers to run Christian centred training schools for Kids. We had 15 teachers last week! It is possible that if each teacher has 20 children next summer, it could be 3 to 400 children we have.

We do have Godly people who do support us and we are grateful.

We have supported two groups to start a work in China. We have helped people to buy goats and cows to feed the people in Africa. We have supported the establishment of an office in Pakistan for our Bible College. We are helping to build a primary school with a library in Uganda. We have sent books to Africa. We have bought land for a church on Ghana. Thank you for your support.



I left Weifang by train to Qingdao on the morning of Saturday the 15th and caught a plane back to my home in Changsha. I returned from my 4000km trip up North being impacted by our needs and my reflections of these great men of God and their supporters back in the west. Could the missions' bones of the Church live again?

The follow two weeks we saw 5 people go through the waters of baptism into ministry and another 5 saved. Our home is a very busy place with about 150 people coming in over the week. Your support is a big blessing to us, and whatever you do to the least, you do to Jesus.

*To all, bless you and have a great
Christmas and New Year*

Reports

Weifang, North China

Dear Ian,

How are you doing recently, we heard some updates from Fifi and we'll listen to the records later.

We became busy this week because James's Mum (the lady you met at Saturday in our home) brought another boy to us to help him with his daily homework.

Moreover, she asked me to start a English class for his son after art school every Saturday afternoon. Annie received her third student yesterday a boy who lives on the fourth floor. We are so grateful for God's supply and so thankful for your kind prayers and gift.



We also met the two girls who we missed last time you came, we shared a lot and they are happy to listen the Word of God, we gave them Bible as a gift and invited them keep coming and meeting at weekends.

So grateful and fruitful for this month and hope the Lord keeps directing us as we proceed in His great works.

Blessings!

In Him.Leo.Kidd.

The New Life Churches

Uganda

Our great commission Traillblazer Bible school

Hello

Dr Ian greetings from here Uganda praise God for search good lessons, I am happy that my people are going to enjoy , but one thing you need to pray for me it is a bit expansive cause I do not have a computer and am using public cafe so I found it had cause I need to print out all of them and then photo copy them, but that means every subject will require about fifty thousand shillings 50000\ sh. so pray for me that I get at list a used computer and either a printer. so it can easily quicken my ministry, may the lord bless you papa much love



yours Rev ;James Buyinza

His Grace Primary School Trailblazer Ministries Kampala, Uganda

Greetings in the Lord. I am sending the photos of the completed building and children in classes (Nursery section) and the library. One of them is of the books I received from Ian (Scotland) in the post office of Nursery section. We do appreciate all the help that you have rendered to us that has made us able to reach this far. God bless you greatly.

Thanks for the promise to help out with the books purchase. The picture of the book we received from Scotland is hereby attached another photo is the book shelves in the office.

However as earlier discussed with you, we need a separate room for the library this coming year as one of the major things urgently needed. It will be a great blessing to the school to have it.

Pr Achileo B.

The local books according to Uganda ministry of Education syllabus for all classes will cost over \$1200.00 and the library will cost over \$1200.00. Thanks Dr for the supporting our school, it has changed a lot because of your input thanks God bless you.

Praise God, we thank God for P.7 candidates finished their PLE yesterday. They finished successfully so we are now waiting for the results at the beginning of next year. We had 16 children.

Pr Achileo

Kenya, Nairobi 1- Vincent

Dear Doc

I am waiting for ten more churches to submit their forms.

The number of students might hit 250.

Over 30 churches already submitted their enrollment forms.

Ps.

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