

# Dr. Joel & Deborah's Prayer Newsletter

Medical Missionaries serving with YWAM in Mwandege, Tanzania  
\*Deny yourself, take up your cross daily, & follow Jesus!\*

July/Aug 2006



This is our little home in Mwandege, Tanzania.  
Want to come visit?!!



Dr. Deborah & some of our mission-clinic-staff at  
1-yr anniversary party, May'06

## Latest News:

Dear friends/loved-ones:

We had a celebration for our 1-year anniversary of our clinic-opening in May! God is so GOOD!!

We now have 12 people working with us at our mission clinic (including nurses, lab tech, cleaning lady, & night-guards), along with 1-2 visiting students off & on. Uzima Mission Clinic is busy. We need more workers. Two of our staff will be leaving this Fall. Want to come help work/serve with us?!! Learn Kiswahili. Treat malaria, typhoid, dysentery, high BP, diabetes, pneumonia, skin rashes, pregnant ladies, HIV, drain abscesses, etc. – all, with a minimum of lab tests. We'd LOVE to have you join us!!

Deb & I will be helping teach a Primary Health Care (PHC) School for people interested in combining basic medical ministry with sharing the Gospel in needy areas, starting in August.

We've started a monthly Village Medical Clinic in Nyamisati, a small Muslim-village near the Rufiji river delta. Dr. Deborah & I saw 153 patients on June 9th. We pray that God will use this ministry to show His love/healing for the people there, & eventually provide us with ways/opportunities to share freely about Jesus with them.

Thanks for your love & prayers & support! Keep it up! We love ya,

*Drs. Joel & Deborah Carpenter*



Dr. Deborah/Dr. Joel with patients in Nyamisati

## Prayer Requests:

- Salvation for the many Muslim people here/ boldness to share our faith in Jesus
- God's supernatural healing for our patients
- Our church teaching & musical ministries
- Thank-God for a great visit by Dan Lauing (from Riviera Community Church in Foley, Alabama)
- The students in the upcoming PHC School
- More Christian-workers for our mission clinic

## What's God been teaching me?

I need to **persevere** & keep on going, despite life's difficulties & troubles. God will use these times to grow/mature me & my faith. Life is about relationships: my relationship with God, my relationship with others. To keep healthy relationships I need to **be quick to ask for forgiveness & to forgive**. I need to **be quick to listen, slow to speak, & slow to become angry**. I need to **live/do what God's Word says** (James 1).

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