

# Dr. Joel & Deborah's Prayer Newsletter

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

Sept/Oct 2006



Dr. Joel seeing leprosy patient at Uzima Clinic



Our Tanzania Carpenter/Tanner family reunion

## Latest News:

Dear friends/loved-ones:

Praise God! The clinic-ministry is going great! The village medical outreaches are also going well! I continue to teach/preach in our local church once per month, & Deborah often leads the singing.

Praise God! Two young men prayed to accept Jesus as their Lord & Savior, when I taught at our church in July. Over 300 people (many of them from Muslim backgrounds) accepted Jesus as their Savior during outreaches to little villages by our Tanzanian YWAM co-workers this Summer.

We had a fun time with my brother, Tim, & his family (& the Tim Tanner family) – when they came for a short visit in Tanzania last month!

We have a team of 16 students here, in the YWAM PHC-school (Primary Health Care School). Deborah & I are helping to teach/train them so that they can go out into remote villages & help people medically, while they develop relationships with the villagers & then share Jesus with them.

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

*Drs. Joel & Deborah Carpenter*

## Prayer Requests:

- Salvation for the many Muslim people here/ boldness in sharing our faith in Jesus
- God's supernatural healing for our patients
- Our church teaching & musical ministries
- God to teach/use the students in the PHC School
- A deeper loving/forgiving/understanding marriage
- To know God better & make Him known to others

## What's God been teaching me?

James 2 –3: Don't judge others, that's God's job. I am equally guilty/sinful, only saved by God's awesome grace! Don't be prejudice or show favoritism. God loves all of us. Do I? I must **LIVE my faith**. Do I just SAY I believe in Him, or do I really? If I truly believe God is God, I will read/follow his Word & obey his leading...not just go my own way. The tongue is very dangerous & difficult to "tame". I need God's help to control it.

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Dr. Deborah & Yuster (our Clinical Officer) at UMC



Joel & Deborah at Selous National Park in Tanzania