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To know God &
to make Him known!!!

Our twins!

MEDICAL MISSIONARIES SERVING IN TANZANIA WITH YWAM

Dr. Joel & Deborah's Prayer-Newsletter

I want to be like Jesus! Change me God!

Dear friends & family:

Hi there! Deb has completed her MPH-studies in Nottingham, UK. She also went to Belgium & took a special course on the best treatments for HIV-patients. She comes home on October 14th! Yeah!!! It'll be so good to be together as a "family" again! We've sure missed her!

We are adding-on to the clinic again. Our mission is building an apartment building for housing more staff. We are also building a primary-school here. Lots of work going on... Is this true for you & me & our inner lives as well? Are you building/growing in your life, or going backwards, or just "holding your own"? Are we growing more like Jesus every day? Are we reading & studying God's Word...really trying to "get" how God wants us to live?

Our weekly YWAM-TZ mission leaders meeting

We are SO THANKFUL for your love & friendship & prayers & support! God bless you BUNCHES! Love ya,

Drs. Joel & Deborah Carpenter

The mission clinic ministry & the village medical outreaches continue to go well. God is faithful! Six people accepted Jesus as their Savior from the village of Jaja in August, during our medical-outreach-clinic there. We started working in a new needy Muslim-village (Kibamba) on October 1st.

Villagers lined-up to see Dr. Joel in Jaja village

What's God been teaching me lately?

What qualities do you think of when you think of Jesus? Self-sacrifice? Righteousness? Holiness? Healer? Friend of sinners? Caring? Miracles? Oneness with God the Father? Loving? Servant-hearted? Humble? Obedient? Focused on living for the glory & purposes of God? I want to be like Jesus! How about you? Are we willing to let the Holy Spirit do his work in changing our selfish natures? Lord, make me soft & moldable in your hands. Change me! Make me like Jesus!

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Prayer Requests:

- *Our medical ministries*
- *Our church ministry*
- *Our twins/marriage/family*
- *Our health*
- *Safety/protection*
- *Our co-workers*
- *Our personal spiritual growth*
- *The Twangoma church-plant*
- *That many Tanzanians would put their faith in Jesus*