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"For the mountains shall depart, and the hills be removed; but my kindness shall not depart from you, neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed, says the LORD that has mercy on you."

- Isaiah 54:10

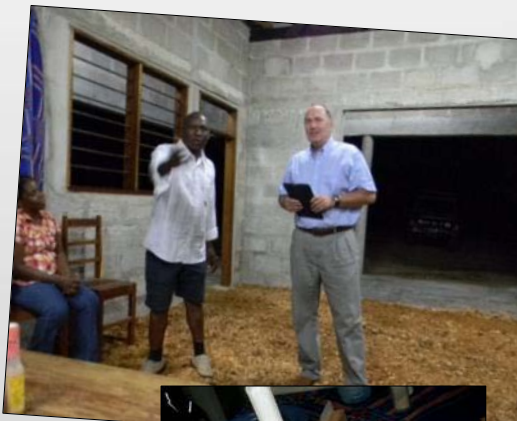


Dear Friends,

There has been a lull in the news, but definitely not in the ministry! Since our last letter we have hosted visitors, graduated students, visited alumni, and joined Inhaminga for their graduation and Afrika Wa Yesu annual conferences! We even managed a weekend in Mutare with family and friends. We are now back home enjoying starting up the second term of 2011! We are full of students and eager to start imparting.

What a privilege to host the Mississippi partners, Mr David White, Mr Rick Eaton and their Pastor, Ps Danny Williams. They were intrigued with all aspects of the school and ministry and life in Mozambique, and we thoroughly enjoyed showing them the Vocational Centre and having them share at both our graduation dinner and the ceremony. They were also able to spend some time with the Nacala Bible School students sharing God's heart within them and encouraging the body. We were sad to see them leave as they made their way to Inhaminga for more great things with Rod and Ellie!

Graduation this term was full of joy and laughter and was very special as we held a banquet in the workshop, which was totally transformed for the event. The students presented some beautiful songs and Rick Eaton encouraged us tremendously with the Words he delivered. The next morning we moved to the main school hall so the Bible School students would be able to participate in the actual ceremony! They were proud of their friends as the VC students marched in singing and chanting as only Africans who



Mr Eaton, Mr White, and Ps Williams share with the students.

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, He has anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; He has sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised, to preach the acceptable year of our Lord.

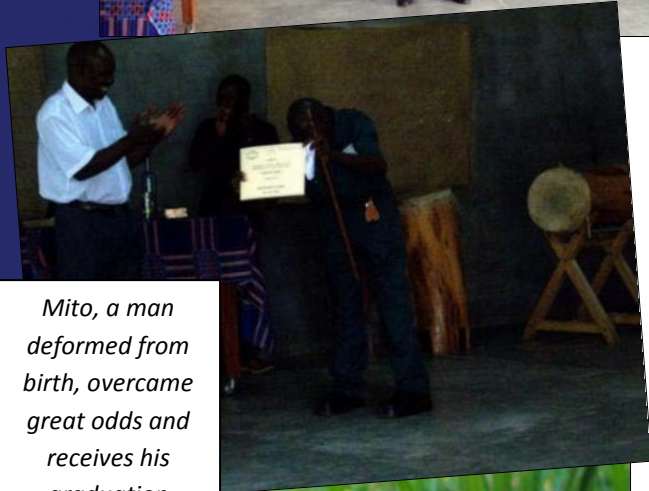
Luke 4:18-19

The Student Representative reads the letter from the class.



love Jesus can – a precious moment. David White urged the graduates to step forward from this ‘Jehovah Jireh’, the place where God had provided them with knowledge and equipment, to move into a new place of hard work, prosperity, extending the kingdom of Heaven and representing God in the marketplace. The atmosphere was tingling with anticipation of all the potential that was about to be unleashed on

Mozambique! We really feel that with the help of our team, Amimo, Nelson and Jeosafá, we are elevating each intake of students to leave on higher planes. We also want to thank each Afrika Wa Yesu Team Member for their support and help, their willingness to serve wherever needed, with joy.



Mito, a man deformed from birth, overcame great odds and receives his graduation certificate.

After saying goodbye to the students, we set about planning our follow-up times. Jeosafá was eager to hit the road and see what the men have been accomplishing since returning home. He came back with good reports, and we’ll be posting a specific follow-up report shortly.

July was an awesome time of meeting God and enjoying fellowship with Him. We loved being a part of the conferences at Inhaminga, and watching the faces, hearts and lives of everyone there, change. There is not one that is the same as they were before, for sure! Worship was precious and the Word was anointed. We experienced new revelation of our offering ourselves to Jesus as a living sacrifice – by first receiving and accepting and appropriating His whole, complete and finished work on the cross. His

work is finished, and so I am finished. Whole and perfect and complete in His eyes. It is a marvel – a wonder – a miracle. I am able to give Him a whole, complete and finished work as a sacrifice. Imagine how He longs to receive this gift!

A funny face spotted outside



Zimbabwe was great but after living in such a warm climate we really struggled with the cold! We had a chance to see Tammy and Raurie at a fair held at Raurie’s school, and that was very special as Gabriel got to see his cousin whom he loves so dearly, and had a tour of the school! Unfortunately Ashira had her collar bone broken by an older kid on a jumping castle, but she is doing well and keeping it rested with the sling. Gabriel started school again since we came home, and Mikayla has had her 2nd birthday! She has really developed her language and is putting sentences together, as well as copying everything her brother and sister say. We are so grateful for the support system of friends, family, team members and helpers that God has surrounded us with. Thank you for all you do for us.



Mikayla at her 2nd birthday party

Together for His Glory,

Chris and Deborah

and all at the Vocational Centre