



GREAT LAKES CLUSTER PRAYER REQUESTS

OCTOBER 2008

(UGANDA, RWANDA, BURUNDI)

Acholi Team: Christians in the Internally Displaced People camps continue to study verses with the aim of receiving a Bible. Bibles are on their way for the different Bible memorization groups. [Pray for the Acholi as they hide the Lord's Word in their hearts](#) Eight Bible studies and/or house churches have been started in the IDP camps. [Please lift these groups up in prayer.](#) [Pray that the Acholi Christians will be faithful in meeting, faithful in their walk with the Lord and faithful in sharing the Good News with others.](#)

Basoga Team: The Banyole and the Bagwere people groups are located in the eastern part of Uganda between the Basoga and the Japadhola people. A meeting was held October 3 with Rob Davis, Bob Brown, missionary to the Japadhola people, and a man of peace. [Please pray for Rob and Bob as they share the Good News with the Bagwere and the Banyole.](#) [Pray that hearts will be open to hear the gospel.](#)
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Baganda: Eric and Krisann Pease and their two children will arrive in Uganda on October 17. [Pray for the Pease family as they settle into their new home and begin their island ministry with the Baganda.](#) Two of our missionary nurses will be on the islands from October 2 – 6 teaching health classes. [Please pray for Janet and Evelyn and for Ricky and Brenda Smith as they minister to the Baganda Island people.](#) [Pray that many lives will be touched through this ministry and many will come to know Jesus as Lord.](#)
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Banyankore Team: This month Jena will be starting a Bible study with the workers at a local orphanage. [Please lift Jena up in prayer as she shares God's Word with these caregivers.](#) The AIDS ministry, Words of Hope, has started new support groups. Many decisions for Christ have been made in these groups. [Pray for our national brothers and sisters in Christ who work in this ministry.](#) jcds53@gmail.com

Kampala Urban Team: Numerous volunteer teams came to work with the Kampala Urban Team in September. Now follow-up will begin in the different areas where they ministered. [Pray for the Kampala team as they disciple new Christians and begin Bible study groups in new areas.](#) A volunteer team of four from Mississippi will arrive on October 5. [Pray for this group as they do door to door evangelism, preach, and prayer walk.](#) [Pray that God will open doors for the gospel in many neighborhoods and that many will come to know Christ as Lord and Savior.](#)
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Uganda Baptist Seminary and Bible Schools: The faculty of the Uganda Baptist Seminary had their annual retreat October 1-3. [Praise God for the special time of spiritual renewal, fellowship and prayer together.](#) [Please pray for the faculty as they continue to teach and mentor the seminary students.](#) [Pray also for the seminary students as they prepare for ministry in the Lord's work.](#) evelyn.frost@gmail.com

Lugbara Team: Journeymen Evan Faulkenbury and Trevor Maxson will arrive in Uganda on October 17. After a few days in Kampala for orientation they will leave for their 40/40 training in preparation for their ministry in Africa. [Please be in prayer for these special young men during this time of orientation, training and adjustment to their new place of service.](#)
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Island People of Lake Victoria Team: A volunteer team from the Chicago, Illinois area will be ministering on the Buvuma Islands from October 7 - 14. [Please pray for their safety as they minister and pray that they will be used in a mighty way for the Lord in his Kingdom work.](#) Recently seven people prayed to receive Christ. [Pray for these new Christians that they will be faithful in their walk with the Lord.](#)
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Japadhola Team: Bob and Bobbi Brown are joining with Rob Davis in trying to reach the Banyole and the Bagwere people groups for Christ. Pray for this couple as they and Rob meet with a man of peace and begin making plans for witnessing in the different villages. Pray that the Japadhola Christians will catch the vision for sharing the Good News with the lost. rbrown1946@aol.com

Batooro Team: Lew has started another Bible Study with the "piki piki" drivers (bicycle taxis) in the Fort Portal area. Please lift Lew up in prayer as he continues to witness to and teach these young men. lewandbrandi@pobox.com

Kigali (Rwanda) Urban Team: It is Stateside Assignment time for the Sager Family. Please be in prayer for them as they enjoy a time of rest before returning to the field. Pray for them as they visit in different churches and with different groups sharing of the Lord's work in Rwanda.

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS...

Martha Colwell...October 1
Paul Dorman...October 1
Christina Berry...October 7
Rachel Frost (18)...October 14

COMING TO UGANDA...

Journeymen Alissa Stewart and Kellie Echdahl will be joining the Great Lakes Cluster in the spring of 2009. They will begin their Field Preparation Orientation October 31. Please be in prayer for these young ladies as they prepare for their ministry with the Lugbara Team in northern Uganda.



LOTTIE MOON CHRISTMAS OFFERING...

This year's theme for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering is GO TELL the story of Jesus. The Great Lakes Cluster would like to thank Southern Baptists for their generous giving to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Thank you for joining with us in reaching a lost world with the Good News.

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"And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ."

Colossians 4:3