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Dear Prayer Partners,

FAMILY UPDATE

This year we took our vacation in the States to spend time with our family.

Matthew and Jennifer continue to live in Minneapolis, MN with their three daughters, Amelia, Audrey and Annabelle. Matthew is a nurse and Jen is a project manager for an electronics firm.

Nathan and Kimberly live in Marion IN with their two sons. Nathan is pulling travel trailers to different parts of the country and works as a mechanic. Next month their third "miracle" child is due! Maybe Nathan and Caleb will have a sister?

Jonathan is teaching mathematics in his third year at Ball State University and lives in Upland, IN.

Maphile, Hannah and Simo live on the campus of Emmanuel Wesleyan Bible College in Swaziland. Hannah is the nurse for over 160 children at Project Canaan, a home for children in Swaziland. Maphile teaches and works at EWBC and plans to study for his master's degree in Theology.



The Cromer Family- July 2017

Carol has started her first adult literacy class in the Lusamia language. It took a year for her and the primer construction team to complete the two books used to teach Lusamia. The goal is that one day every student will be able to read God's Word.

Fred just finished teaching the Missions' course at WBI. They challenged the pastors to look beyond their local churches for places to do mission. There are over 40 languages spoken in Uganda. They can do mission work without leaving Uganda.

Prayer Requests:

- 1. Pray for our children to be used by God where they live and to continue to grow deeper in their spiritual lives.*
- 2. Continue to pray for the seminars the church leaders will hold in each district beginning at the end of September.*
- 3. Continue to pray for God to call pastors, evangelists and missionaries from Uganda into His ministry and to be trained through the Wesleyan Bible Institute.*
- 4. Pray that the pastors will develop a missionary vision for their churches.*
- 5. Pray for Rev. Yusuf Oyo, Rev. Patrick Deo Sanya and Pastor Benard Rotta as they teach at WBI and in extension classes in three districts.*

Praises:

- 1. Praise God for the wonderful time we had with all of our family in the USA.*
- 2. Praise God that the WBI students who began in September 2016 only have four courses left to finish.*
- 3. Praise God for the three extension classes that are continuing.*
- 4. Musa Wafula hopes to finish his 2nd year in mechanics at the Vocational Institute. The relationship between him and his father is better. His story was in our July 2017 prayer letter.*

Thank you for your prayers and supporting us here in Uganda.

Because of Christ,

Fred and Carol Cromer