

Blind Faith Ministries

"For we walk by faith, not by sight." 2 Cor. 5: 7

The Porterfields to South Sudan Prayer Letter November/December 2017 Update

It has been an exciting and busy time during the past couple of months in our ministry! November 1st marked the one-year anniversary of when we were forced by law to remove a Facebook post and had our guns confiscated from our home because of a stand against abortion. We resolved this with the CLA's help, and are now planning to take our story public. We ask you to pray that the Lord would use this to further His work for His honor and glory, and to raise awareness of how fragile our freedoms really are, hopefully awakening others to take a stand politically throughout our land.

In Northern Uganda, we are working towards finishing our second project and getting things prepared for the discipleship institute and leadership training. We recently had an individual give \$1,500 for a block-making machine there, which we plan to purchase within the next week or two, and hope to eventually purchase two or three more as funds allow. We hope to raise \$20,000 in the next three to six weeks for projects for the Ugandans and Venezuelans, and \$100,000 over the next several months to advance these projects. It is a big goal but we have a big God! Concerning our ministry in Cuba, we had someone recently donate the necessary resources for a bike for Yovany!

People are being saved, baptized, and discipled on a consistent basis in all of our ministries. God is doing a great work in different parts of the globe and we are thankful that God has allowed us to have a part in it!

We are also thrilled to announce that we are expecting another baby! Please pray for Jessica as she is almost ten weeks into pregnancy and battling morning sickness. We are excited for all that God is doing in our personal lives as well as the ministry.

We want to share with you some ways you can help us pray:

1. Please pray for our leaders on the ground.
2. Pray for South Sudan and Venezuela to gain peace and stability.
3. Pray for funding for the projects in Northern Uganda and Venezuela.
4. Pray for Jessica's health and pregnancy.
5. Pray for people to get more involved with consistent support for our national men and ministries.
6. Pray for Eric's mother Mary who is possibly facing back surgery soon, and also Jessica's mother Katrina who will be having surgery on her shoulder the end of November.
7. Also pray for John Hays of Pure Water for All Foundation out of Iowa. He is raising money for water systems and has already donated many to us in Africa.
8. Remember Charles Hiltibital, Pastor at Grace Baptist Church in Raleigh, Illinois. His church has an opportunity to put devotionals and discipleship material into 240,000 children's hands in Fiji, but needs \$1 million to accomplish it.

Thank you so much for your prayers and support of the work God has called us to do!



Answered Prayer!

- *The second phase of church project almost complete!
- *Provision for bus repairs!
- *Provision of church items for Carlos Ramos!
 - *Yovany's bike!
 - *Block machine in Northern Uganda!
 - *Jessica's pregnancy!

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