



June - July 2025 Newsletter



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“Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not.” Jeremiah 33:3

Dear Faithful Partners,

The above verse came to mind as I sat today to write to all our faithful supporters. I thought about how many times our names are called out to the Lord by God's people. My mind was fixed on the words; 'knowest not'. In Hebrew it is the word 'yada' and is mentioned 946 times in the Scripture. It implies to consider, to perceive, to gain an understanding. Jeremiah is in the court of the prison when the Lord assures him if you will call unto me, I will answer thee, and I will show you great things, I will show you mighty things, things that you have never considered, things you have never perceived, but most of all things you may not understand. God's people have been overwhelming gracious to Judy and me, now for over 38 years as missionaries. Our needs have been met and the hospitality of God's people has encouraged us so many times. The greatest gift of all has been knowing that so many have called our name out to the Lord. Thank you again for partnering with us in prayer, truly he has shown us great and mighty things.

I don't think I have ever gone so long since the last prayer letter has gone out and I do apologize for its lateness. I believe this has been the busiest summer I have had in years. We have traveled over 4000 miles the past couple month.

Our pastor of nineteen years believed the Lord was leading him in another area of ministry. June 23rd was his last Sunday at the church. The men of the church asked if I could help them through this time of transition. My schedule very seldom allows me to be at my home church much throughout the year. The majority of my commitments for the summer were from Monday through Friday allowing me to give several weekends to help the church. Please pray for this time as we pray and seek the Lord's will for the next pastor to lead us. I am helping to book preachers. Please pray the Lord will give me wisdom as I make calls.

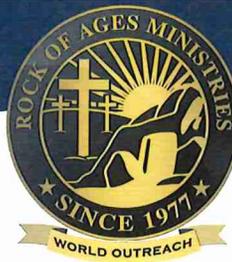
We have just completed the 48th Annual Rock of Ages Conference. It seems like every year we say it was the greatest conference. Well, the Lord again blessed the week with great singing and preaching. I believe what made it such a great week was the comments made to me from so many of our missionaries about how much the week really helped and blessed them. The Shenandoah Baptist Church and Pastor Gamble were such great host. During the conference the results of the ministry for the past year are given. In the men and women's prison of America, there were 63,926 that attended services. In the Juvenile institutions of America there were 3427 in attendance, in the military brigs there were 793 soldiers in attendance. The Prisoner's Bible Institute had a total of 13,635 students study lessons with 1,086 making a profession of faith. There were over 4530 church services where our missionaries saw 440 professions of faith. In the public schools of America there were 6449 students in attendance with 9 saved. On the foreign field there were 274,000 in attendance with 27,000 professions of faith. Through our missionaries in America and on foreign soil and the help of our national partners, the ministry recorded 34,009 saved in 2024.

Please pray for our upcoming meetings. I will leave for Romania August 18th, then home just a few days then off to Tennessee for a couple weeks for staff meetings and Candidate Class teaching. It is then off to three prison meetings in North and South Carolina, in addition to our church meetings.

Your Missionaries,

Ricky and Judy Dunsford

2 Corinthians 4:5 For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake.



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“And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.” Mark 16:15

Our Lord has just resurrected, the hope of mankind has now been presented. When Jesus appears before the eleven apostles, he deals with their unbelief and hardness of heart. He then commands that they Go into all the world and preach the death, burial and resurrection. The good news that whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord they shall be saved. Matthew 28 tells us to teach all nations and the Apostle Paul says to ordain elders in every city. The great command of our Lord is to first reach the lost. However, we are to disciple the saved, and to appoint leaders over them. Through your faithfulness, we are able to partner with hundreds of foreign nationals. In 2024, through our foreign national missionaries and partners there were over 3,187 preaching services, over 274,000 in attendance and thousands more reached through visitation programs and personal soul winning. Through the partnership of God’s people there were 27,000 professions of faith recorded. There is estimated to be 8.2 billion people in the world. Help us pray the Lord will send forth more laborers to labor with us as we go into all the world.

NEWS FROM THE FIELD

Africa October Campaign

“In Uganda, there are refugee camps in the north with around 900,000 young people in them from the war-torn countries of South Sudan and Congo. It is mostly young people in these camps due to parents and grandparents being killed during the war or not able to travel to refugee camps in Uganda. In southern Uganda, there are over 700,000 young people in the refugee camps representing six more countries! Then in the Kampala area which is central Uganda there are nearly 200,000. With all this being said, God has given me a vision of ministry expansion to see our CUC curriculum taught in the refugee schools on a regular basis, and a burden to

reach a multitude of young souls in one month. Our goal is to reach a million souls in one month and place the Word of God in their hands. We will be giving out John & Romans and Whole KJV Bibles.”

Rock of Ages Missionary Jeff Bellamy

NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE EAST

“My family and I felt very honored to be part of this year's Evangelistic Conference. It was a special time. We thank God for the 51 people who decided to trust in Christ. It felt even more personal to us because a few of the families were from our own village. This is the result of earlier outreach work. We praise God that we were able to see this good outcome with our own eyes! We are trusting families that receive Christ will make up the foundation of new churches.”

Rock of Ages Missionary J. Aymen

NEWS FROM EUROPE

For many years we have struggled to have a strong work in Europe. Thanks to the faithfulness of Rock of Ages Missionaries Mircea Cristian and Zolts Kovak the ministry is seeing great expansion. Brother Zolts has been able to work with a pastor just over the Ukraine border with regular services in prison. He continues with his work in Hungary and is building a volunteer base to help reach their local prisons. Recently, he was able to visit the country of Bulgaria. Praise the Lord for so many open doors.

Thank you again for your faithfulness to partner with us as we go into all the world and preach the gospel.

In Christ’s Service,

Dr. Ricky Dunsford
Executive Vice President

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