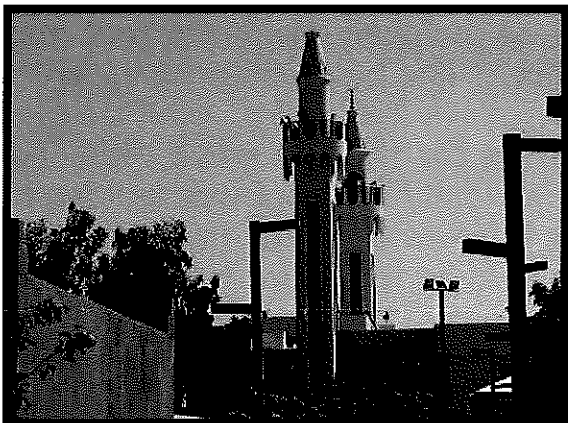
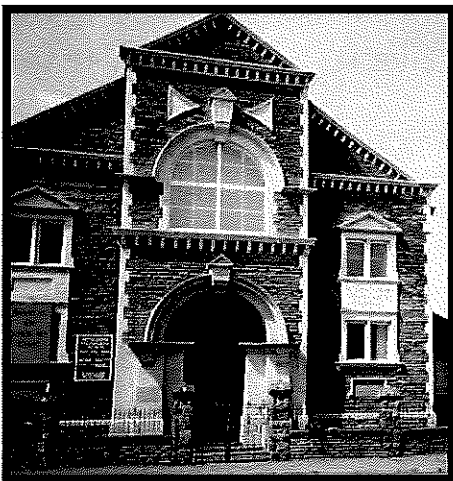


“For so the Lord has commanded us: ‘I have set you as a light to the Gentiles, That you should be for salvation to the ends of the earth.’” Acts 13:47 NKJV



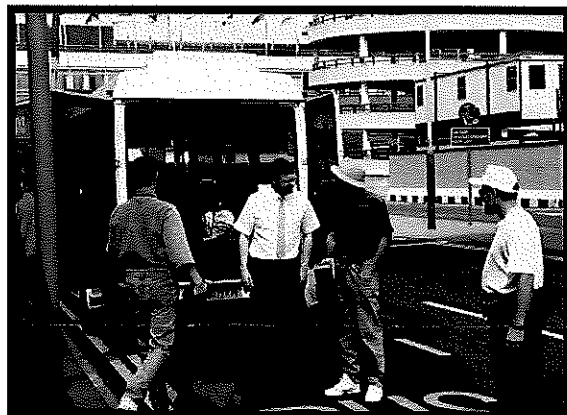
Friends: May the Lord Jesus Christ bless you and yours in this month of March 2023! In the verse cited above, Paul and Barnabas have been in Antioch of Pisida (now in modern Turkey) and have preached the good news to the Jews. The Jews rejected the gospel, and the apostles declare they will take the word of salvation to the Gentiles, and they quote Isaiah that the gospel will be preached to the Gentiles. Jesus is the light to the Gentiles; He is salvation to the ends of the earth.

It was our blessing to bring the light of Christ to an undesigned nation in Asia, in the Middle East, in February. We have been asked not to name the country or elaborate about the ministry for the safety of the nationals we saw and served. The top photo at left is of a mosque in that land. It was really an incredible blessing, and in the Lord’s providence a formerly closed nation had some access to the Lord’s light. Good conversations were had with people from various Middle East countries and we were encouraged by the example of national Christians in their stand for the gospel. We saw, as we have heard reported often that the Lord is working powerfully in people’s lives in that region! Praise His name! Please pray for God’s appointed fruit from this effort.



In April, as the Lord wills, Jim will visit Wales (bordering England) and then Rwanda in East Africa.

A church Jim served at in Wales in 1993-wow, 30 years ago! is pictured at the left. And in the right top photo, Jim is seen with teammates from that short-term mission. Wales is

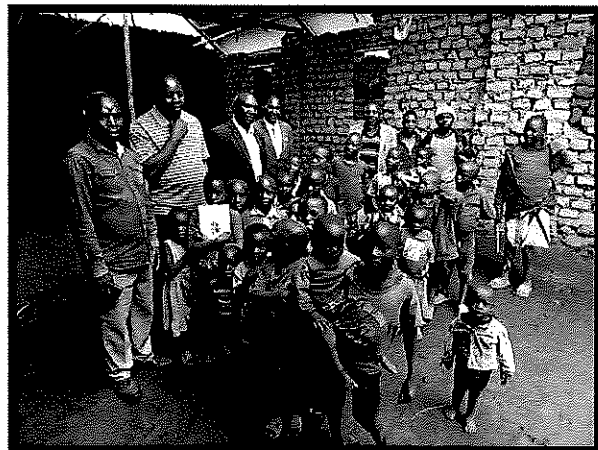


called the land of revivals; we were certainly blessed by the lively Christians we met there decades ago. Kappy also visited and enjoyed Wales on our return to Uganda in 2007. It will be great to see old friends and to minister in Wales. At the bottom right is a photo of friends that Jim hopes to visit in Rwanda after the Wales leg. Pastors Augustin and Vianney worked with us in church planting in Rwanda in the past, and the photo is of a church plant there. It will be great to visit these men and serve in Rwanda too.

While in the Middle East, I enjoyed the thought of that desert region blossoming under His grace (Isaiah 27:6) and of God’s light filling those lands of darkness (Matthew 4:16). Please pray with us that the Lord will, as He is pleased to, bring His enlivening, refreshing, reviving word to people in all of these ministry efforts. Thank you for your part in the ministry of Mission Africa. Perhaps we should call it Mission Africa-And Beyond!

Much love to you all in Christ Jesus our Lord! Thank you!

“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.” Matthew



KAPPY'S CORNER— In The Night Sky

I rarely leave the house after dark—principally because I'm mosquito bait, but there was something the Lord wanted me to see.

The morning of February 22, 2023, I had used a borrowed electric pot to cook something for that day's birthday brunch. Later in the day, I had the pot clean and ready to return, but the air was still too hot to go outside. After sundown, I walked down the driveway to the street and stopped in my tracks. There in the western sky was a huge, golden, waxing crescent moon; I could see the dark part of it standing out in silhouette against the blackness of the heavens. As if that weren't enough, a large, brightly shining object hung in the night sky right next to the moon. In a direct line below that hung an even brighter and larger object.

Unsure of what I was seeing, I stood waiting for them to move, thinking they might be helicopters or planes. When they didn't, I knew I was looking at planets with my unaided eyes. I knocked on my friend's door and invited her outside; I had to share this. Jim, on his latest mission trip, saw it the same night. (Later that night, I would learn the planet next to the moon was Jupiter, and the lower planet was Venus.)

I see this event as a gift from God. The Lord is always faithful to give me something memorable, something to remind me that He is with me. I never know exactly what the gift will be, or when I will receive it, but I know He will give it exactly when I need it.

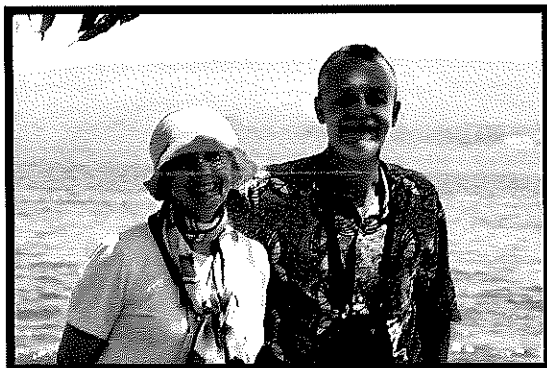
May our Lord bless you in His kindness,
love and thanks,

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At the Nile River, some years ago...



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