

Liewe vriende en familie,

Die einde van die maand is dit ons 2-jarige herdenking hier by Kanjanji! Ja, dis vir ons ook amper onwerklik hoe die tyd gevlieg het.

Persoonlik en projekte

Ons was vinnig vir 'n week terug Engeland toe, sodat ek die diabetisspesialis kon besoek en ons was regtig die eerste vlug wat vanaf Lusaka se lughawe na Heathrow kon vertrek nadat die lugruim na die vulkaniese uitbarsting oopgestel is.

Ek en Lourie het ons 22 jarige huweliksherdenking daar gevier. Die kuier was heerlik en dit was soos om familie weer te sien! Baie dankie aan almal wat altyd die tydjie so spesiaal maak!

Ons het dan ook 'n hele paar baie spesiale mense ontmoet en hier regs is Stanley Roos, ook van die SA Gemeente Guildford, wat in Augustus die Engelse Kanaal gaan swem. Hy het onlangs sy kwalifiserende swem in Malta gedoen en hy is topfiks vir die yskoue water van die 30 kilometer breë Engelse Kanaal. Kyk gerus na sy webwerf (<http://www.justgiving.com/StanleyRoos>) en ook na <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IZ5PT5zFcPc>.

Stanley het besluit om alle fondse wat ingesamel word, vir Kanjanji te bewillig. Ons wens hom alle sterkte en God se sêen toe!

Terug hier by Kanjanji is dit 'n bynes van bedrywighede. Al die kinders is dié week weer terug skool toe vir die tweede termyn.

Omdat die reën so laat was hierdie jaar, lyk dit of ons 'n koue winter gaan beleef. Ons beplan dus om vroegtydig te begin met die uitdeel van komberse en truitjies aan die weduwees en wesies wie nie verlede jaar gekry het nie. Daar is ook 'n groot nood vir skoene. Indien julle nie kans sien om ou skoene te pos



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Lourie and I on our 22nd anniversary



Stanley Roos – swimming for Kanjanji

Dear friends and family,

The end of the month it would be two years since we have arrived at Kanjanji. Our minds are also reeling at the thought of it and how time flies!

Personal and projects

We went back to England for a quick visit quite recently so that I could see the diabetes consultant. We were the first flight that was able to take off from Lusaka's airport to Heathrow after the airspace was opened, following the volcanic eruption.

Lourie and I celebrated our 22nd wedding anniversary in England and it was wonderful to see all the friends and family. We would like to thank everyone who made this trip another memorable one.

We also had the privilege to meet some very special people. Below left is a picture of Stanley Roos from the SA Congregation Guildford, who is going to swim the English Channel at the end of August. He recently had to do a qualifying swim in Malta and is well prepared for the really cold water of the 30 kilometre long Channel swim. Please visit his website <http://www.justgiving.com/StanleyRoos> as well as <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IZ5PT5zFcPc> for more information. Stanley has decided to donate all proceeds to Kanjanji. How wonderful is that! Stanley, may God bless and keep you!

Back at Kanjanji, it has been a beehive of activity since it is back to school time for the children for the second term.

We are expecting a really cold winter and we will soon begin to hand out blankets and jerseys to the widows and orphans who did not get any last year. There is also a great need for shoes. If you would like to send us your old shoes, you are welcome to do so or alternatively you could send us your old mobile phones. We have a contact in Choma who will be able to sell the phones for us so that we can use the money to buy some shoes.

nie, stuur dan asseblief julle ou selfone. Ons het 'n kontak in Choma wat dit vir ons sal verkoop en sodoende kan ons skoene vir die weeskinders aankoop.

Regs is die nuwe 'milk bar' waarvan ek julle al 'n rukkie vertel. Dit is nou voltooi en hulle wag nou net nog vir elektrisiteitsaansluiting. Die projek word deur USAID geborg en om meet te begin sal hulle aan elke 'village' in die omliggende omgewing 'n melkkoei skenk. Die melk sal dan aan Parmalat (een van die meer prominente groothandelaars) voorsien word en dit gee ons toegang tot vars gepasteuriseerde melk teen 'n verminderde prys. Op hierdie stadium voorsien ons nog die babas met baie duur formule melk (Lactogen). Josef Banda (heel regs op die foto saam met Lourie) is die bestuurder van die projek en hy is een van die leiers wat wonderlike werk hier in die gemeenskap doen.

Gebedsversoeke

- † Sê saam dankie vir almal se betrokkenheid by die projek;
- † Bid asseblief saam vir die pastoor en 4 ander lede op die dissipelskapkursus en die OM span;
- † Bid saam vir die weduwees en weeskinders wat so hulpeloos is – dat ons hulle sal bereik;
- † Bid saam vir die beplande sokkerwêreldbekeruitreik. (meer nuus daarvoor volgende keer!).

Baie liefde en groete van almal op Kanjanji.

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The milkbar – nearly finished



Lourie, the pastor and Joseph Banda

On the picture is the new milk bar which I have been telling you about. The milk bar has been finished now and they are just waiting for it to be connected to mains electricity. The project is sponsored by USAID and each village will get a milk cow to start off the project. USAID will also sustain the project with AI done by a local vet. The milk will be collected by Parmalat, which is one of the more prominent producers of dairy products in Zambia. This will also give us easy access to affordable fresh pasteurised milk for the baby orphans that we have until now provided with very expensive formula milk (Lactogen). Joseph Banda (picture below) is the manager of this project and he is one of the leaders in this community who is doing wonderful work to help the community.

Prayer requests

- † Thank God for everyone who is supporting the Kanjanji project;
- † Pray for the group from Kanjanji on the discipleship course as well as the OM team;
- † Pray for the widows and orphans who are so helpless – that we will be able to reach out to them;
- † Pray for the 2010 Football World Cup outreach. (more on that next time).

Love and best wishes from all of us at Kanjanji.

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