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the **STENSAAS** *family*
in Uganda
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Uniqueness of Uganda



Yeah! We are open!!

We are rejoicing in the Lord that the President has allowed us to have church services again. There are several SOPs (standards of procedure) that he has put in place, but at least for now we are able to meet. We can have a maximum of 60 people in the building with the required social distancing and the wearing of masks.

Because of this, we have had to hold two services on Sunday. Between the two services we have been averaging about 60 every Sunday since opening on September 27. Please pray that the President will lift all restrictions so that we can be together in one service and be able to fellowship with all the members together.

We continue with those being disciplined. Now at least, many of them are able to come to church; some for the first time. It is a blessing to see some of the ones we finished discipling now discipling others. After finishing with Chris, he has begun discipling his first convert, Johnson. Amen! In the village of Karusandara, three (Janet, Milton, Julius) have finished Discipleship 1 and are already beginning to disciple others.

We have also resumed Sunday services in Karusandara and started having Sunday services at our new preaching point of Kinyayoby (formerly Kikonzo).

We have continued to see people getting saved during the lockdown and now even with the partial removing of the lockdown restrictions. I have said to our people here many times, "The church building may be closed, but the church is not closed."

Discipleship is also continuing. Between the town church and two village preaching points, we have 50 people being disciplined every week. What a blessing to see so many of our people involved in this great and necessary work!

We have been blessed to see 12 baptized since opening, with many more in the works. For several months under lockdown, these new converts kept asking when they were going to be able to be baptized. The joy they showed on the day of their baptism was so encouraging.

Our temporary church structure in Karusandara was knocked down due to a bad storm that came through. We are now working on building a permanent structure for the people out there. Pray that God will work through this.

Answered Prayer

We praise the Lord that Keila was able to get her three year Dependent's Pass from the Immigration Authorities!!



Johnson and Chris



Matt and Janet, Milton, Julius



Church structure in Karusandara

- Prayer Requests**
- This cycle of Ebola will be stopped
 - Bible translation works in Runyankore, Lhukonzo
 - Discipleship ministry
 - Preaching point in Kinyayoby
 - Mountain ministry
 - Finances to finish the building projects
 - CoViD-19 lockdown to be eased
 - All restrictions on churches will be lifted

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