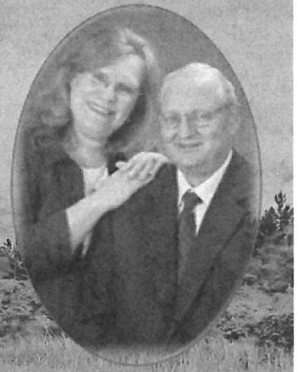


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Dear Pastors and praying friends:

The church plant at Kaisenik is continuing to see visitors and members regularly attending once again. May 23 there were three first time visitors. I am encouraged by the members efforts to invite people to the services. Please pray with me that the Lord will bring a pastor for this church.

The building on the Bible School campus is coming along. We are about to complete the construction of a family house. I have also begun to build a permanent kitchen for hosting camps. What comes to your mind is probably not what we are building. It is a metal roof covering a fire pit, 3 drums stoves, space for food prep and serving. This is much better than being outside.

Please pray for the following events that will be taking place in the months of June and July.

1. The Baptist Bible Training Center is hosting Wau/Bulolo district Baptist Women's Conference. It will be a wonderful time of Bible teaching and fellowship. June 4th and 5th.

Mrs. Verda will be teaching 2 different sessions.

2. Mrs. Verda wrenched her back. She is now able to walk and is in significant pain. Please pray that she will have full mobility and pain free. Pray God will use her as she speaks to the ladies.

3. I will be preaching a revival at a village named Wakop. It will be a challenge just getting there. A 4 hour drive to Lae, a three-hour banana boat ride, a 2 hours walk through marsh to arrive at the village. Please pray for God to do a great work in peoples lives. Christians to be encouraged and souls to be saved and baptized. June 17th -24th

4. Upon my return Verda and I will be flying to Buin, Bougainville. Woo-hoo!! A visit with grandchildren and Kenny and Kalie Keck. I will be preaching for him, and Verda will be speaking to the ladies. It will be fun to be with family and minister to Buin Baptist Church. June 25th – July 17.

We appreciate your prayers for us, during the events coming up. Thank you for helping to make ministry happen.

Because of Christ,

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