

'PRAY FOR KENYA' - JUNE 2019

24 Monday Pray for the evangelism that takes place in **Donholm Primary School** every Friday morning, and **New Beginners School, Kamola**, on Wednesday evenings. We are grateful to God for the opportunity to preach the Gospel to these young souls and the favour we have maintained with the School administration. We are praying for more labourers to take up more classes and reach many more students with the Gospel. Pray for fruit - fruit that will abide.

25 Tuesday Please continue to pray for the **Somal1 ministry** as regular gospel broadcasts go out far and wide by AO in Ethiopia. There are also follow up visits to neighbouring countries where there are groups of Christians. The Lord is building His church!

26 Wednesday **Grace & Truth** 131 has been published and can be read at <https://www.trinity.or.ke/grace-and-truth>. At 60 pages there are a great variety of articles. We distribute it in the churches and colleges where we minister. Pray the Lord will use it for much good in Kenya and beyond.

27 Thursday Pray for the preaching opportunities that we have at JKUAT (a University) through the NAIRET fellowship. Brethren from TBCN have been invited to go through the Decalogue with the students. Nick Teka will be preaching at the fellowship today. Pray that the men from TBCN will be faithful and diligent in their handling of God's Word. Pray also that many students will come to listen to the truth of God's word, and that they would plug themselves into biblical churches.

28 Friday **Literature.** (1) KU has now completed my small book on Spiritual Gifts, an exposition of 1 Corinthians 12-14, and hopes soon to get it published in Kenya. Pray that it might be useful where there is so much false teaching. (2) Elly Achok's book on 'The Disease: God told me', a defence of Scripture alone, is now available on Amazon at <https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07RBC4FTB>. Highly recommended!

29 Saturday We thank God for the many young families in church, and the gift of children. Today we have a **Parenting Workshop** at TBCN. Pray that the church will once again come together as a family, as the young first time parents seek to learn how to raise up their children in godliness and the whole topic of parenting at large.

30 Sunday **Ministry** today: (1) In Nairobi. Dominic Kabaria will be teaching in the morning and EA in the evening. Pray that people may be saved from the word that is preached here at TBCN. (2) EA is also ministering at the Cooperative University today.

EA = Eric Abwao, MI = Murungi Igweta (Pastors of TBC Nairobi); KU = Keith Underhill (Liverpool, UK)
TBC = Trinity Baptist Church; TBCN = TBC Nairobi; TPC = Trinity Pastors' College
RBAK = Reformed Baptist Association of Kenya; APC = Africa Pastors' Conference
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1 Saturday Today we have a **Family Day** at TBCN. We will consider the topics of parenting: how to take care of our aging parents/church members; ways in which we can ruin our lives before 40; and other topics around the family. Pray for a successful day, for the right handling of God's word and for a good attendance.

2 Sunday Ministry today: In **TBCN** Manases Bor is teaching the adult SS alongside many other SS teachers who are giving biblical instruction to the children. MI is preaching in the morning service from Hebrews 10 and in the afternoon from Joshua 3. We yearn for more conversions as Christ is proclaimed as the only Saviour of sinners.

3 Monday Member **Ken Koome** arrived back home for 6 weeks last week. He has completed one year of studies at Puritan Reformed Seminary in the States. Pray that his time will be profitably spent and the Lord will prepare him for future ministry, and in Kenya if it be His will.

4 Tuesday From 3-18 June Brother Elly Achok will be in Malawi speaking at various **African Pastors' Conferences**. You can get all the information about these important Conferences at <https://www.africanpastorsconferences.org>.

5 Wednesday Thank God for last month's **TPC** classes. Ben Carlson from the US lectured the students on Old Testament History and Theology. He had a good interaction with students and church members. Thank God for providing the resources required for accommodating and sustaining the students. Go to <http://trinitybaptistkenya.org/tpc/2019-2> for a picture of teacher and students.

6 Thursday Construction work has continued in **Chelopoy Boys SS**. The county government provided funds for one classroom. We are very grateful to God for the kind provision of brethren so that the second class is now on the way up. <http://trinitybaptistkenya.org/chepkinagh> has the most up to date photo.

7 Friday We thank God for the rains in most parts of the country. Rendille and Turkana are yet to receive any rains. Brethren from TBCN have taken **relief food** to Korr and Turkana and to the Pokot leaders. The greatest need is in Rendille, where we hope we can supply some food every month until the famine situation is alleviated. Pray that the Lord will provide for his people. There are photos at <http://trinitybaptistkenya.org/rendille-ministry> then under Lekuchula and Losidan.

8 Saturday Pray for today's **Men's Breakfast** as EA leads the men in studying 1 Thessalonians. Pray that the men at church will create time for this fellowship. The Breakfast has not been well attended in the past. Pray also that the men will take the lead in serving at church and setting a godly example in living for the church to emulate.

9 Sunday Ministry today: In **TBCN** MI is preaching in both morning and evening services for the second Sunday. May his preparations be most profitable and may the Lord give harvest out of the labour of love.

10 Monday (1) Give thanks to the Lord for **Dine & Listen** dinner event held on the 26th of April. 52 people attended and we had a profitable time together and the interaction with visitors was good. The gospel was faithfully preached by Brother Ben Carlson from 1 Timothy 1:15. Pray that as a result, the members will be more fervent about sharing the gospel to family members and friends. (2) **KU** has a Preachers' Class in Liverpool.

11 Tuesday Thank God with us for the addition of 3 **new members**. One of them, Paul, is a TPC student and already involved in the Sunday school ministry. We continue to see interest in membership but few conversions. While we are thankful for the increase we are especially concerned to see more conversions.

12 Wednesday MI took four men from the church: Eric, Francis, Martin, Nickson for the visit to **Turkana**. This provided three opportunities of preaching of God's and for the distribution of some food to the members and those who attend the church. The church was so thankful that we thought of them at this great hour of need. There were good conversations with the pastor on what sustainable economic activity can be done to boost food security.

13 Thursday Six brethren from TBCN were involved in the **Pokot North** Annual Weekend Challenges in Kasei Boys (Eric & Martin), Chelopoy (Francis & Teka), and Kamketo (MI & Yvonne). There were six messages, prepared beforehand with handouts to the students, on the subject of Christian Faith & Life, explaining the what, why and how of the Christian faith and practice.

14 Friday We thank God for **Funyula TBC** church building project which is ongoing. Brothers Nyagaka and Ebenezer from TBCN have been staying with Simon's family for about a little over a month now. Pray for gifted men who are able to rightly handle the word of God in Funyula to help in serving alongside Simon Ochieng. <http://trinitybaptistkenya.org/reports> has photos of the slab.

15 Saturday An **Elders/Deacons** meeting will be held today to review the financial progress of the church, the mercy needs and other diaconal-related issues in the church. Pray that this will be a productive meeting.

16 Sunday Ministry today: In **TBCN** MI is preaching in the morning and Nick Okong'o in the evening. We continue to thank God for an abundance of men who are gifted in teaching the word here at TBCN. Our desire is that some of these gifted men will be sent out either to plant churches or to rejuvenate existing congregations in different locations across the country.

17 Monday We thank God for the **Members' Meeting** held on 18th May. We got to hear Dominic Kabaria's testimony and his call to ministry. Pray for Dominic as he considers taking up eldership at TBCN. Also pray for the Elders at TBCN as they seek to give directions about midweek fellowships. Pray that we as a church may grow in 'one anothering' and that we do not form a habit of neglecting the meeting together of saints (a message preached by MI on 19th May).

18 Tuesday (1) Pray for a healthy relationship between the **young Adults & Elderly** in the Church as the young adults make intentional efforts to breach the gap that exists. Pray also that the elderly will open up their homes and lives to the youth. (2) Pray for **Manases Bor** who is facilitating training on Biblical counselling today at Trinity Fellowship.

19 Wednesday Our Book Clubs continue to be held by various different groups on Wednesdays and Sundays. This is one of the **midweek fellowships** that has brought many together. Pray also those other midweek fellowships will sprout in different estates around Nairobi. Hopefully some of these midweek meetings could transform into local churches in the future!

20 Thursday Pray for the church in **Boyani** to continue growing spiritually and in numbers. The church needs a building in which to meet so the meetings can vacate the pastor's house. Pray also for provision for George Mwanjisi's family needs so he can well focus on the spiritual needs of the church.

21 Friday We thank God for the evangelistic efforts in **Rendille** as Stanley and Ogom continue to work together, especially in the work of evangelism in Lekuchula, Urowween, Matarbaah and other villages surrounding Korr. Pray that the efforts to continue penetrating the region of Losidan with the gospel may bear much fruit. With the distribution of the relief food, we think the doors remain open for us.

22 Saturday **Pokot North** continues to expand its boundaries in terms of gospel opportunities. The Lord has opened a wide door of ministry in Nakuyen. Joseph Magal has been identified as a possible church leader and teacher. Our prayer is that he can join the TPC next year. At Kasei Boys two of the students who are in their final year of school are showing interest in ministry in the church. We pray that from these schools God will raise up future church leaders.

23 Sunday **Ministry** today: (1) In Nairobi. EA will be preaching in the morning and John Muketha in the evening. MI and Dominic are in preaching in Boyani (Coast). (2) KU is in Pain's Hill south of London for the annual visit to preach. It is a very small and struggling church that needs wisdom about ministry.