

Mission & Giving update November 2023

Claudaline in Goma, DRC



Claudaline has just visited the UK for two weeks (planned at short notice after waiting a long time for a visa). She was hosted by a church in Southampton and visited three other churches in the south of England and two supporting charities. She was unable to come to Cambourne, but sends her warmest greetings to our church, thanking us for our ongoing prayers and financial giving. Nigel Taylor and Margaret Rayner were able to travel to Brentwood and see her for a couple of hours over lunch during her

trip. She also met Justin Welby, archbishop of Canterbury, at Lambeth Palace and the Bishop of Winchester. The Church of England (among others) has been very supportive of Claudaline since the death of her husband Bishop Desire in 2020 and we were pleased to learn that her house in Goma has now been paid for and is owned by her and her family, and that there is funding for her children's ongoing education.

Sarah has completed a social sciences degree in Uganda, is married and has her first child.

Merveilles is completing a degree in petro-chemicals (oil & gas) in Uganda.

Gloire is about to start a degree in business management in Kenya

Jethron has two more years of secondary schooling to finish.

The ministry of ASDIG, working for the development and well-being of disadvantaged people, especially women and orphaned children, is going well. Please pray for the following:

- Support for women in agricultural, livestock and tailoring projects, especially micro-finance initiatives where women learn to develop a small business.
- Primary healthcare needs, especially among children
- Development of two schools where Claudaline is involved: Hope School (Tumaini) and Grace School (Neema).
- Strength and wisdom in decision-making for Claudaline as she engages in such a wide and varied ministry in Goma as a widow, without the support of her husband.



Pastor George and Jackline in Uzimatele, Kenya



Pastor George sends his greetings and thanks to Cambourne Church for our ongoing prayers and financial giving.

During a recent school holiday they organised a mentorship programme with teenagers in the community. They also had a big community clean-up which the children participated in enthusiastically.

A sports day was held at the local school, including a sack race, egg-balancing race, balloon-busting and football. They were also hoping to organise an educational trip for pupils at the end of October.

They are trusting God for the provision of sufficient funds to meet the expenses of the Family Home for the remainder of this year. If any member of the church would like to make a small extra contribution to help with this, please make a payment to Cambourne Church (clearly marked as a gift for Uzimatele). It would help if you could also inform Jacqui Huckle in the church office.

