

Hello Friends and Family,

We have arrived back in Malawi and are adjusting to the routine of work and school. After spending time with you all there we returned excited at the possibilities here.

Gabriel and Natalie had successful surgeries and have healed quickly.

Thank you for all the prayers and support during this time.

Meetings for International Team Development were very beneficial and helped prepare the way for better communication and concentrated efforts in the ministry we do. Our focus at this time will continue to be in the areas of orphan and child care, education, and water wells. This will encompass the ongoing project with Nyangu Full Primary school ensuring that all 8 classrooms have desks for students and teachers. It will also include strengthening the partnership we have with Kids' World Outreach in Bodza village as they minister to over 130 children each day (with a plan to double that number as soon as funding is available). Equipping pastors through Bible knowledge and vocational skills as we partner with other missionaries continues to be a priority for us and in November of this year a team from the US will arrive to participate in a pastors' training seminar. Others on this team will volunteer their time and energy at the Bodza feeding center as they share a VBS theme with the children.

Water wells are in great demand here making the partnership we have with the Water4 Foundation a great blessing and enabling us to be a part of providing people with access to clean water.

Below are pictures of Danny assessing a sight for a water pump a few days after we returned from our trip to the US.



Lady preparing to draw water from a natural spring.

"As many as five million people die every year of water-related illnesses. This creates a no-win situation for millions of parents in our world today- they can watch helplessly as their children die for lack of water, or they can watch them die from diarrhea,

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because the only water they have is tainted."

Richard Stearns, *The Hole in our Gospel*



Young boy collecting water from the spring to carry home for use in cooking, bathing and laundry.



A volunteer in this village holds class for over 60 young children at the church. Water is carried from the spring at the bottom of the hill to be used in preparing food for the children, mostly orphans. It is encouraging to see the community work together in this way.



"In Africa they don't say that water is important to their lives they say that water is life. It is absolutely the foundation upon which civilization and human life is built, and the best news is that we have the knowledge and the technology to provide it."

From *The Hole in Our Gospel* by Richard Stearns

Thank you for your continued support in the work we do. We would appreciate your prayers for God's guidance into relationships and opportunities where we can do the most good, His hand of protection, a discerning spirit and a constant awareness of the need to be salt and light.

You all will be in our thoughts and prayers as well. Please let us know if there is something we can pray specifically about for you.

Love from the Gregory family
Daniel, Natalie, Sydney, Gabriel and Hope

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