

# *The Cormier Family:* *Reaching the Deaf of Kenya* *With The Gospel of Christ*

September - October 2020

Dear Pastors, Supporters, and Praying Friends,

Greetings to all of you as we near the end of 2020. In spite of COVID-19 and everything related to it, the year still seems to be passing by very quickly. We have endeavored to stay as busy as possible in spite of the restrictions that we've had to deal with. Without a doubt, COVID-19 has presented some challenges when it comes to the ministry, but we know that God is never bound. He has used COVID-19 in ways that we never would have imagined.

One such opportunity has been via the internet. Each week, the messages that I preach at church are recorded and then uploaded to YouTube so that our faithful members who are not able to attend church can watch the services. Deaf people around the country and even some folks in America have told me that they also watch the services. We know that God's Word will not return unto Him void. Romans 10:17 tells us that faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God. Please pray with us that lost souls will be drawn to Christ through the preaching of His Word.

In September, we were able to resume our monthly youth meetings. The young people of our church really enjoy these meetings, and some of them have been bringing their friends. After a game outside while we wait for everyone to arrive, we go inside for a Bible lesson. I am so thankful for the opportunity to teach these young people important life lessons from the Bible, not only regarding salvation, but also regarding life-changing decisions that they will soon make in their lives. Sadly, today's youth are continually bombarded by worldly influences all around them. They desperately need someone to teach them that there is a better way, that living a life that honors Christ brings peace, joy, and satisfaction.

At the end of October, one of our older church members contracted COVID-19. As a church family, we earnestly prayed for Bro. Jacob Auma's recovery. In addition to battling the virus, he had some underlying health issues and was hospitalized for about a week. By God's grace, in recent weeks, he has regained both his health and his strength.

In regards to our paperwork, we continue to wait. One small step of progress was made in that the girls' dependents passes and my alien ID are supposedly being processed right now. How long this step will take we have no idea, but we continue to pray that God will facilitate all of this according to His will. We also still need to get Jessi's and Seth's passports renewed as well as my Kenyan drivers license. We covet your continued prayers in regards to our paperwork.

Once again, we want to thank you for your faithful support and for your many prayers on our behalf. May God bless each of you as you continue to serve Him.

Because of Him,  
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