

World Reach Ministry
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Ephesians 4:1

1 Therefore I, the prisoner of the Lord, implore you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling with which you have been called.

How do you and I refer to our life in Christ?

What does “prisoner of the Lord” communicate to you?

I am preparing to preach on Eph 4:1-3 Sunday morning.

Send me your thoughts!

On March 23, I have the joy of officiating in the wedding of Maria Velez and Hamilton Tobón in Medellin, Colombia. Maria has worked alongside us for many years and is like a daughter to Lolly and me! Sunday, I will begin a Missions Conference at a church in Bello (a suburb of Medellin). I am eager to present at their first mission conference. Please pray that God will mobilize some to become international missionaries and for the entire church to embrace the Great Commission and Great Commandment. Our theme will be to “Seize every Gospel Opportunity and Take Christ to the Nations.”

Acts 1:8

"but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and

On April 25, I will be traveling to Kenya with Dr. Smith and William to take part in a medical outreach in Muthetheni. We are expecting to see 400-600 patients in two days! Please pray the spiritual and physical needs are met during this outreach to the community. We need about \$2000 to cover the medicine and staff-related expenses. After that, my companions return to the USA, and I will stay and work with our team in Meru, designing a building project that will be for our Children's Home and pastor training. We are also looking to discover the best site for a well on our property. We need a clean water source for the children, team, and pastors we train. I can report we were able to convert our property from a lease to a deed now in the name of World Reach. Now, we will repeat the process for our campus in Muthetheni. The construction of a teacher apartment, a storage building with quarters for our event cooks, and more bathroom facilities will begin next week.

Progress since the leadership transition has been amazing. The children are happy under Patrick's leadership, and our team, under Isaac's leadership, has made significant advances on both campuses. Lydia, our new internal accountant, is doing great with the records and financial details. Our office is remodeled in Meru, and the World Reach Kenya Board is being challenged and trained to prepare for a bright future for our ministries in Kenya. Patrick sent me a plan today for tutoring our children to improve their academics.

The last 15 months since my transition has been quite a journey. Sometimes, we experience great joy; sometimes, there is pain and tears, but such is life when people are involved. I am learning more about Paul's statement, mentioning his concern for the churches he planted (2 Cor 11:28). Please pray that I will faithfully shepherd our team with wisdom and grace.



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Welcome, Christian, our newest addition to our Children's Home. He is eight years old.



Please continue to pray for:

- Master plan development for our Meru, Kenya campus includes a well, dining hall, modern kitchen, dormitories for training, solar power backup, computer lab, library, and study area for the children.
- Completion this summer of construction on Muthetheni, Kenya campus for teachers / visiting doctor apartment, additional bathroom facilities, solar backup power, and a storage building that also houses cooking staff for events.
- For workers who will invest their lives in taking Christ where He is unknown.

Thank you for your prayers and support. You bless and encourage Lolly, me, and our entire team at World Reach.

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