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Medical Missionary to South Africa

*"Keep me, O LORD, from the hands of the wicked; preserve me from the violent man; who have purposed to overthrow my goings." Psalm 140:4*

Dear Prayer Warriors and Faithful Supporters,

April, May, June 2025

**Praising the Lord that this month, I celebrate 7 years in South Africa.** Thank you for your part in this ministry. I know many pray specifically for my safety, and it is needed. In the last several months, crime has been on the rise specifically in our region, Port Elizabeth (Gqeberha), there have been numerous kidnappings, murders, and thefts. I knew in accepting the call to missions that I would face safety risks. For a time, the Lord closed the door for going into some of the areas where a lot of my ministry takes place, however, I am thankful that the Lord allowed many ministries to carry on. Slowly the door is starting to open back up and I have been able to return to some of these ministries. However, I ask that you pray specifically for my safety and the safety of the many missionaries in South Africa.

## **Solid Rock Baptist Church**

God is really growing the ministry of our church. Over the past several months, several new families have been faithfully attending, several people have accepted Christ as Savior, and there has been spiritual growth in the lives of those attending. It has been great to see some of our church people get involved through choir, leading music, and preaching and teaching. I love having the opportunity to teach the children on Sundays and seeing them get excited about being in church. On Fridays, we continue to hold youth and occasionally a family night.

## **Homeless Shelter Ministry**

The Lord allows me to continue teaching several ladies at two different homeless shelters. This is such a great time of sharing the love of Christ and watching them grow closer to the Lord. I also have the opportunity to pick up several people to bring to church on Sunday mornings. I continue to work with the Men's Home connected to the shelter. I love going once a month to check on their health status and have the opportunity to interact with them. Our church also continues to hold Sunday services at the one shelter and once a month at the other. It is always such a blessing to attend and participate in these services. God is continually working in these ministries, allowing them to see the love of Christ and hear the Gospel, many for the first time.

## **Xhosa Language School**

I have now completed a little over 2 months of language school. It is a challenge, but I am slowly progressing. I am so thankful that God has given me the opportunity to learn more about the Xhosa culture and language. Please continue to pray for this phase of my ministry. I go to school 4 days a week for 4 hours and then have studying and language practice on top of that. It can be a challenge at times balancing this along with other ministry. Please pray specifically for a clearer understanding of the language.

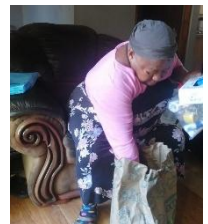
## **Medical Ministry**

In May, I re-certified my CPR instructor qualifications. It is hard to believe that the Lord has allowed me to teach these courses for 2 years. It is because of the sacrificial giving of many individuals and churches **over 60 people** have been given the opportunity to learn CPR and first aid, free of charge. I continue to volunteer at the orphan ministry once a week, and I look forward to being able to teach a couple of health courses there soon. Unfortunately, I had to stop going to do dressing changes, due to safety concerns, but the Lord has allowed me to continue supplying dressings and checking in on my patient. Over the past couple of months, I have had the privilege of doing a lot of health education. Many times, a person is sent home from the clinic or hospital with very little information about managing their health or newly prescribed medications. God has opened the door for me to be able to look at their discharge information, discuss medications, and disease processes with several different individuals. I have been able to answer many questions and give peace of mind. These ministries give many opportunities to share Christ.

## **Driver's License**

In preparation for a mobile clinic, I have been working towards getting a South African driver's license (similar to CDL license). I went this week and got my learner's permit and will be starting driving school within the next couple of weeks. Please pray that I will be able to complete this before the end of July, as I have foot surgery scheduled for July 31<sup>st</sup> and would like to finish before this time.

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY:** I have started to raise funds for a **MOBILE CLINIC**. It will cost about **\$75,000-\$90,000 USD** (cost difference due to exchange rate and vehicle costs). Here is a link to mobile clinic similar to what I am looking at [MOBILE CLINIC](#). A mobile clinic would allow me to take a patient into a clean environment to offer them medical treatment no matter where they are located. **Please consider how the Lord will use you in this ministry.** To give toward the Mobile clinic click on the following link at <http://www.dbmi.org>: **GIVE** [South Africa Clinic](#) OR mail to: **Daystar Baptist Missions PO Box 1193 Barboursville, WV 25504 (SOUTH AFRICA Mobile Clinic).**



### **Prayer Requests:**

- \*Safety
- \*Driver's License
- \*July 31—foot surgery
- \*Good Health
- \*Funds for mobile clinic
- \*Language School

**MOBILE CLINIC:**  
**AMOUNT NEEDED: \$75,000-**  
**\$90,000**  
**RAISED: \$11,000**  
**NEEDED: \$64,000-\$79,000**

Thank you for your continued prayers,

*Hannah Bennett*

## **SENDING CHURCH**

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