



Kailahun

Sierra Leone
West Africa

NEWS LETTER FROM
FEBRUARY TO AUGUST 2018

Maranatha Christian Outreach Ministries (MCOM) is an organisation promoting the second coming of Jesus Christ for His Church. We do this by preaching the gospel in rural villages and communities and by discipling the church to ensure people are ready.

The Vision: The vision of MCOM began over 25 years ago through the scripture Isaiah 61:1- 4 to Lorraine Patience of UK. In April 2017 Lorraine and her husband Ali felt the Lord leading them to begin this work while they were living in Kailahun and preparing to return to the UK.

GOAL: To claim the world for Jesus

OBJECTIVES:

- To promote the great Commission as prescribe by Jesus in Matthew 28:19 to ensure more people receive the gospel and be saved.
- To facilitate, promote and encourage theological training and discipleship in areas MCOM may be operating in Sierra Leone.
- To relieve or loose the bands of wickedness from the sick, the distressed, and also to assist widows and orphans with conditions of need or hardship where possible.
- To promote and fulfill such other charitable purposes beneficial to the communities where MCOM operates.

MCOM started operation in Sierra Leone in June 2017 as a legacy and the fulfillment of what God laid in the heart of His servant Lorraine over 25 years ago. Initially it was under the leadership of the late Mr James E Fatorma. Since its inception MCOM have been continually creating impact in the Luawa chiefdom communities.

September 2018

Taking the Good News of Jesus into the villages and communities of Kailahun

A quick note from Ali & Lorraine

This month the newsletter is a little different as we asked Pastor Ken to write it from his perspective. So please have a read and let us know your thoughts.

We are taking this opportunity of writing a more personal newsletter from us, there is a lot happening at the moment so if you fancy catching up with our other adventures then click on the link from the email.

Love and blessings to you all and thank you as always for your continued love and support,

Ali & Lorraine xxx

SPONSORSHIP: By the special grace of God, MCOM has been receiving funds from Ali and Lorraine through the Trustees for the operation of Maranatha in Sierra Leone. The sponsorship includes: - transportation and fuel for the outreach ministries to different communities to show the Jesus film, conduct revival services and follow-up.

They also provided funds for the initial setting up of the office in Kailahun, a motorbike, P.A. system, a projector and a generator.

MARANATHA ACTIVITIES: MCOM is engaged in a series of activities in Sierra Leone including education, child survival, evangelism and discipleship among others.

EVANGELISM

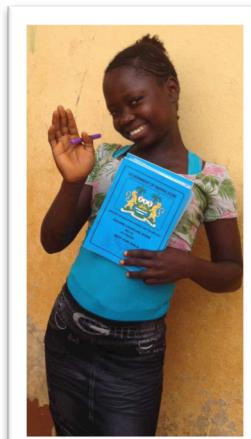
This is our main purpose and activity and done normally by showing the Jesus film to communities, preaching the gospel and making altar calls for people to respond to the salvation message. After then prayers are offered for the sick and demon possessed. Well over 1,000 people have responded to the gospel message since we started this work.



Combine Evangelism team in readiness to take-off. (Maranatha and Missionaries from Freetown)



Mamie Swaray who ran away from forceful marriage (13 years old) as she arrived from the village all her belongings on her head



Mamie on her first day at school after being told she had a UK sponsor

CHILD SURVIVAL MINISTRY

MCOM is operating in deprived communities with a very high number of vulnerable orphan children some with single parents whose economic status is very challenging. It is obvious that these children are subjected to child labour for obvious reasons. MCOM gives counseling to the caregivers of these children, prays for them and in some cases gives some token as helping hands.

In February 2018, some of the children attending Adullam Centre Church benefitted from a pair of shoes each, from the U.K. Maranatha team through Ali and Lorraine.

A recent case in point is a thirteen (13) year old orphan girl who was told she had to either marry or leave. When she refused to accept to be marriage at that age, she was then driven out of the home of her caregiver. Maranatha has taken care of her. She is now living with Pastor Samuel Sorie at Kulula Section Kailahun and attending the Adullam Primary School, Kailahun. Ali and Lorraine have found someone to cover the costs of her educational needs. We are aware that this is not our prime objective though it is an example of where we are able to offer help in some of the most serious cases.

EDUCATION

MCOM also supported the construction of the Adullam Primary School with building materials. Children are trained up in a fear of the Lord as the bible says train up a child the way he should grow and that when he is grown up he will not depart from it. The Adullam School is manned by 8 volunteer teachers with no support from the Government of Sierra Leone. Nevertheless, Adullam has been doing very well in public exams. In the last National Primary School Examination (NPSE), Adullam entered 17 pupils and all of them passed with good grades.

The new school building supported by Maranatha



TESTIMONIES / COMMENTS FROM MUMMY GLORIA KEN FULLAH

Maranatha Christian Outreach Ministries has broadened my spiritual understanding about evangelism and ministry work. As a mother, the overwhelming testimonies of what God is doing in and through Maranatha Christian Outreach Ministries especially the number of people responding to the Gospel, the deliverance of the demon possessed, fruit of the womb to the barren and many more is amazing. On behalf of my husband and myself, I want to thank all the sponsors, trustees for the support of God's work in this part of the vineyard.

**COULD YOU SUPPORT A PROJECT**

1. I would like to support the Education project
2. I would like to support the Child Survival Project
3. I would like to support the Evangelism Project
4. I would like to support the Discipleship Training Project

Mind you the harvest is ripe but the Labourers are few.

JESUS IS COMING SOON - Maranatha !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!





Thank you so much for your support, encouragement and prayers. We know that all we are doing needs to be covered in prayer so we would really appreciate your continued support in this. Below are some areas of prayer that we feel are key as we move forward.

Please pray for Pastor Ken Fullah, Mummy Gloria Fullah, Pastor Samuel Sorrie, their families and the MCOM Team.



- Protection for our team in Kailahun and their families, for good health and provision.
- That we will see the power of God moving at the outreach meetings and many more people reached with the Gospel message.
- That we will see many more healing miracles, more than we could ever imagine.
- As the team seek God and pray about the next step in relation to follow up and discipleship that God will give them divine strategies and will bring in the provision.
- For the planning of the STTP in January, that everything will go smoothly and to plan, that the right people will attend and for Roger and Stephen as they prepare.
- That all the plans of the enemy against this ministry will be destroyed, no weapon formed against us will prosper.
- That the light of Jesus will shine in the darkness of Kailahun and many lives will be totally transformed.
- Pray against jealousy and division amongst Gods people.
- Pray for Ali, Lorraine and their family.

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Isaiah 61:1

The SPIRIT of the Lord GOD is upon ME
Because the LORD has anointed Me.

The Sovereign Lord GOD has sent Me:-

To bring good news to the afflicted

To bind up the broken-hearted,

To proclaim liberty to captives

And freedom to prisoners..