

Update & Please pray

for Fiona's dad still in coma.. Thank you.

Tiyamike Mulungu Center

**Malawi** East Africa

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AND NOW... DELIVERIES.. DELIVERIES.....



Loading into the four wheel drive to take supplies where the big truck would probably get stuck ... Our 78 year old friend says he has never seen so much rain and to keep coming for so long ... imagine life in the tent camps... everything damp and moldy and firewood soaked (if they can find some) clothes washed but not drying.... And usually still smiling...

Pilot Nawww..

Our days are well occupied ... for weeks we had been delivering water to two camps morning and evening with the small red truck (top left with Jacques from UK helping much !!!) and we now celebrate the installation of solar water well pumps and tanks at both Camps!!! AND.... We are always so thankful for our trips to and from Blantyre (and our deliveries to Camps) with our "Big to us Truck" and your funds to purchase bales of soya, likhuniphala (a nutrient fortified maize flour), salt, plates, cups, even a bale of blankets from a Muslim businessman, pots and soya, salt, from a Muslim friend and two hundred house-

The World Food Program Helicopter (pic on pg 2) carries 3 tons of cargo and blew our gate house roof off with a great display of its downdraft on its first pass!!!



Prayer so welcome for: **2 new babies, moms have died** and **Especially <u>older boys</u>... also pray for our girls and younger children as well... Health for WnP and Mary, continued finances, smooth schools operation and for Heads, Teachers, all staff and for moving ahead with new Primary School and then the Secondary !!!** 



Thank you with love Will, Pam n Mary

hold packs of goods to come...In Bangula picking up maize (corn) from the Government warehouse to grind at our maize mill and then delivering to Camps (this may be changing as the head organizers are looking to use starter packs instead of the larger bags so we shall see how that goes...calls today from 2 camps crying for food indicate not well..) ....earlier we made one (and only one) trip over punishing back roads to get a load of firewood... We have recommended they have camp people (men on rotation) stay in tents on the wood lots and then have the Army trucks pick the gathered firewood....A task we cannot take on. So busy times and no end in sight from our vantage point. We do our best to make sure the goods we deliver are used properly and get to the proper recipients. We received a call from a Blantyre church Mary is well associated with (Pentecostal Assemblies of God church) a 1000 blankets, 470 plus bales of soya, 20 –50kg bags of beans, plates and spoons and more ... even fuel costs covered to pick it up... Amazing generosity and much work as we adjust our facilities to accommodate the interim storage issues... and delivery... So much ongoing supply needed and we welcome prayer as we are at times stretched to keep our regular TMC life on an even keel ... We are thankful for the addition of a new Primary Head Teacher and a Secondary School Teacher and an Operations Manager for general operations ...all God loving and gualified men... Also we just hired a preschool teacher and are looking for a primary teacher to take the load of Mary as she has been filling in. We have hopes for the three Project trust girls to find a suitable placement along the lake as they desire and we sure understand the issues of being so far from anywhere.... It is remarkable how the three previous teams made it the full term of commitment. How many 17 to 18 year old girls do you know would commit a year of their lives to living/working in Bangula? Not many! We are so thankful for the time they were here teaching and especially for Christmas prep time !!!

**COURT UPDATE:** Please pray for clarity and direction, as we move ahead/or not, with the court issues protecting the rights and insuring proper placement of orphaned children be with properly assessed capable relatives/host families. After 14 months deliberation in regards to the injunction we obtained, the Judge decided the Social Services Officers have the authority to place a child where they choose according to Section 70 of the Act where incidentally the same act gives us "the appointed caretakers " the same rights as parents and as well responsibilities to provide for and protect the children in our care. Talk about selective reading ... absolutely inconceivable that a Judge could ever come to a decision enforcing /allowing the placement of two children... one of which (13 year old girl) is not even related to anyone in the family and the second her half brother a 7 year old boy with speech impediment and great need for capable assistance and patience by caretakers and teachers. A one room house with no kitchen, no toilet, no bathing area already housing the boys father, step-mother and three children as well as the undisclosed existence (according to their 12 yr old daughter) of a set of twins about 4 years old. The bottom line is to appeal the injunction which has been lifted which will take one to two years and gain little unless there is value in a precedent being set??? Or to carry the existing case forward while likely to be successful, will take a year or so and result in the return of the children to TMC from the father ... if in fact we cannot stop the relocation with another injunction ... if the father and social services officer attempt to take the 2 children. So prayer welcome and advocates we are becoming not by choice seemingly by appointment... all who have this issue on their hearts are welcome to join with prayer and finances. **On the very** positive side there has just been a documentary on TMC shown on Malawi TV... He has his ways!!!!

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The District we live in is divided by the Shire River, the other side of the river has had major flooding with many areas still even now inaccessible by road and needing airlifts for food. Complete villages have been swept away and tons of sand has been deposited throughout the flooded area. The bridge shown below is 200 plus km north and was completely submerged by raging waters. This

river joins into the rivers coming into the Shire Valley. Incredible volumes of water cutting soil to bedrock...sweeping away everything including a graveyard...

Some say WWJD? Some say Oh Lord! We say Help Lord! Help us to hear you and know you and then do! Awesome God, order our steps, we bow down in adoration Jesus!!! Our Father the great I Am not the I was or will be. Thank you Holy Spirit.



Plates n water n soap

shown on Malawi TV... He has his w He was deceived, He was a deceiver ... or.. He is and always will be the truth and the way...



Life goes on at TMC 200 cabbages ...

WFP Helicopter Rus

sian and Rushing.

Dining hall losing out to storage of Likuniphala ...we have taken over a standard 1 classroom as well as their school day ends at noon...

Airlifts are continual to inaccessible areas

Grinding Maize hour after hour.



Some of you helped our Local Police Outpost vehicle, a new headlamp assembly and oil and filters for engine not serviced since June... They appreciated it much (especially at night) as they are dealing with the influx of camps and resulting errors of humanity..

Epheson with soap and plates for a camp called Magoti...



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