

## July 2019

### Shipment to Malawi

Over the years we have been producing the dehydrated vegetable mix we have seen God's Hand many times in the direction of the work we have been called to. The following is just one more example. Ten tonnes of our product was included in a shipment to Malawi arranged by The Park Church in Sherwood Park, Alberta. It left Canada late last Fall but arrived in Malawi just prior to Cyclone Kenneth hitting the south-east coast of Africa in late April, causing a major disaster.



*distributing Gleaners food aid to families impacted by the destruction of Cyclone Kenneth*

The following is from a note received by the Director of the aid organization which received the container in Malawi.

"Our orphan care program is in Chikwawa, Malawi. We are serving 350 children and 17 villages. In the five villages immediately surrounding our campus over 200 families lost their homes. The timing on the arrival of the container was perfect. These families not only lost their homes and possessions but also their gardens and livelihood. Unable to feed themselves we were able to step in with the food and assist while they wait for their gardens to recover. It has been an incredible blessing. Young families, elderly caring for orphans and many more are able to survive in this difficult time because of help from Prairie Gleaners.

We have also had difficulty accessing food that was not spoiled at market, so for our feeding centre the vegetables were perfect. Typhoid has become a serious issue, so distribution of dry goods and medical care is vital. I cannot stress enough how perfect the timing on this delivery was. Thank you, so very much! Blessings."

### Open House & 10 year anniversary

The largest turnout ever for our annual event enjoyed presentations, tours, history lessons and great food and company at our 10th anniversary Open House. It was great to meet so many new people wanting to learn about our passion and action.



*Everyone enjoyed the BBQ prepared once again by Eric in his mobile kitchen*

We want to announce that Steve Mowers has graciously agreed to accept the vacant position on our Board of Directors. Welcome and thanks Steve.

*Prairie Gleaners Society accepts its mandate from **Isaiah 58:10** - If you give food to the hungry and satisfy those who are in need, then the darkness around you will turn to the brightness of noon.*

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