



Jerrold & Karen Myers

Missionaries to

South Africa

November/December 2023

Dear Pastor and Church Family,

As we approach the end of the year and the upcoming holidays, we just want to show our appreciation for your faithful prayers, support and encouragement over the past year. We also wish you a very joyous Christ honoring Thanksgiving and Christmas with God's family and yours. This used to be my favorite time of the year. That is until we started ministries in South Africa. The whole country almost completely shuts down during the December holiday. We've already said goodbye to our university students until mid-January or February.

With that said, we have been corresponding to the "Assessment Committee" about the property. They are certainly going to allow us to have the land, but we still don't know what is in the fine print. Hopefully, they will give us the counter offer before the holiday break and at that time we can have our church attorney look over all the documents. Otherwise, it will be at least February before we get it. Please continue to pray.

We are also finalizing all the paper work for submission to obtain an "exemption" from the Minister of Home Affairs. We will have to appeal directly to the Cabinet Minister. If he gives us the exemption then we can apply for permanent residency.

We have some exciting news and a real first for our ministries. The Lord has blessed with the training and preparation for many local and national pastors. However, Bro. Shane Tasker is our very first international missionary out of a church that we have planted. He married a second generation missionary kid whose parents, Mike and Cindy Haley (BIMI), serving in Gaborone, Botswana.

He and Emily are traveling to the US for acceptance as BIMI missionaries to the Democratic Republic of the Congo. They will be in the States initially for a few months and then return later next year. Maybe one of our supporting churches would like to support a missionary out of one of the churches we have started here in South Africa. You can contact Bro. Shane with the following email: missionaryshanetasker@gmail.com or contact (765)705-1501. He also can be reached by Signal or WhatsApp with the following SA number: +27 71 831 4116.

Yours In Missions,

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