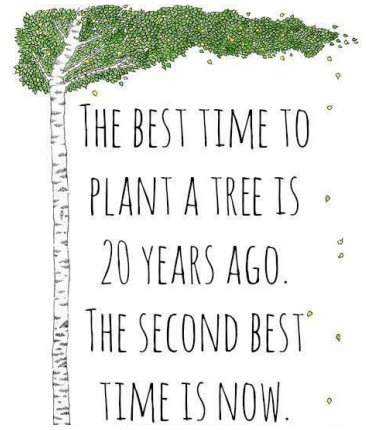


Prayer Fuel

29th April 2014



Our parents used to say as you get older time passes more quickly, now we can say they were right, we cannot believe we are now at the end of April. These past few months have been busy with visitors and saying goodbye to friends.



There is a big hole in our hearts. We have said good-bye to a lovely Dutch family, who have been our neighbours, friends and prayer partners for the past 6 years. They had 4 beautiful children. Lisa the last born is Heather's god daughter and we were both involved with her birth. It is always sad saying goodbye, but that it part of our life in Arua. Another American couple who have been here for 2 years will be leaving at the end of May.

As people leave, God always brings others across our paths and it is a joy to be able to walk a little way with them on their journey. We have been spending some time with 2 Danish girls, Isabella and Soma. They are helping to paint the sitting room in the Blind unit and paint a mural on the wall. Neither of them know Jesus, and it is our pray as we share fellowship together we will be able to introduce them to Jesus. They are lonely and missing their home, so we praise Jesus that He has given us this opportunity to share and talk with them.



May is a very busy month for David. The rains have started well and in 2 archdeaconries we are having a tree planting initiative. During the dry season two small tree nurseries have been busy planting seed and nourishing small seedlings so they can be planted out at the beginning of the rains. We launch each tree planting initiative with Tree Sunday. Each parish in the archdeaconry will preach from a sermon outline on trees and then the following week trees will be distributed to each parish and church. The aim is to plant 5000 trees in each archdeaconry. A lot of work, but very worthwhile.

The young farmers club has started well; the children have enjoyed preparing their plots for planting. We have 4 teams and they are very competitive. We have had games which they enjoyed; the highlight is having a snack of juice and biscuits during school hours!! Pray these young folks will get a real vision for farming, caring for the land and that it can be fun and rewarding.



Heather is continuing with 1st one thousand training for mothers and trying to get women organised in mother to mother support groups.

Sunday 4th May Tree Sunday Terego distribution 5th & 6th

Sunday 11th May Tree Sunday Rhino camp distribution 30th May

7th May

1st one thousand days seminar at Ociba parish

14th -16th May

Leading a training on Farming God's Way at Eden Farm

5th June

1st one thousand days seminar in Koboko

May God Bless you

David & Heather