



Happenings Around

HOPE OF AFRICA

Uganda



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Visitors

The team in Uganda had a number of Visitors. Steve and Teresa from MN, Nancy, and Laura and her children from MT.

All the volunteers participated in a number of our programs. Steve and Teresa enthusiastically participated in the youth camp/ sports tournament.



Laura shared her love and passion for art with us, the Learning Center class and the youths had a great experience and fun learning to use watercolor and paint brushes to create beautiful art. They were all very proud of what they had created. Before sharing her art, she shared with the youths a lovely Bible message on the body, soul and mind. Her children, Natalie, Boaz, Seth and Cory helped her during the art lessons.



Sports Tournament

The Sports Camp, organized by SAY aimed to draw young people from Gimbo and its neighboring areas, enhancing its visibility while primarily spreading the gospel through athletic activities. It was crucial for the youth to understand that the camp's primary purpose was to deepen their knowledge of God.

The sports camp featured an array of activities, including volleyball, netball, soccer, badminton, and various card games such as UNO, Phase 10, and Otyo.



The soccer tournament had four teams from the surrounding regions within Gimbo.



Before ending Steve imparted words of wisdom grounded in faith, emphasizing that the tournament's outcome is insignificantly compared to God's unwavering love for all his children. He wished them good fortune moving forward.



LEAD Program

Since the 1990's FCE (Foundation for Cross Cultural Education) has been involved with discipleship training in various African countries, including teacher training, and training in agriculture and community development. We had the privilege of having a couple from FCE join our team for Discipleship Mission Training (DMT) which is the first phase of the LEAD (Leadership, Empowerment And Discipleship) program.

Fifteen young people from Gimbo, Saala, and Khona communities gather at the SAY office from Monday to Friday to learn about God. The ultimate goal of this program is to evangelize and disciple youths, preparing them to be part of the LEAD program. DMT forms the foundation of all training, teaching people to develop a strong relationship with Jesus Christ, practice His teachings, and reach out to the lost.

The program covers a variety of topics, including Creative Journaling, Discipline of Solitude, Openness and Brokenness, Creation, Fall and Redemption, Two Kingdoms, Authority of God's Word, Praise and Worship, Social Media, God the Father, God the Son, and Born into the Kingdom.



Furthermore, students are encouraged to read and study the Bible. Their first assignment was to memorize the books of the Bible in their proper order. Each participant took the time to study the books, and the test was to recite them from memory to demonstrate what they had learned.



Praises and Prayer Requests

- Praise for the safety of our guests, youth and team.
- Praises for the youth who are committed to and love the LEAD Program.
- Thankful for a successful soccer tournament.
- Praise and thanks for the volunteers who take time off and use their resources to come and see what we do and take part in the programs. We are thankful for their humility.
- Continue to pray for the LEAD program and the youth who are participating.
- Pray for the new converts that he Lord would continue to change them and lead them in His ways.
- Continue to pray for the Learning Center. Pray for the children as they learn and for the team and volunteers as they lead.