## THE HESELSCHWERDT FAMILY

MISSIONARIES TO EAST AFRICA

Jeffrey

Helping Dad update things at the church and working on the church!

Hannah

Hearing
Pastor Barker
preach at the
Youth
Conference!

Esther

Singing a special in church with Hannah and Lavender! July/August 2025

Dear Pastors, Friends, and Co-laborers,

The months of July and August have been spent catching up with the ministry since my surgery, as far as Lighthouse Baptist Church of Acacia and the Pastors' Practical Training Academy go, but we thank God that I am just about back to normal and back into the groove of things here! I am thankful for all of you who have shown so much love and support during this difficult time. I'm also thankful for my family; I could not have done it without them!

We have seen God building His church throughout these last two months, both physically and spiritually. We are thankful for what God is doing in the hearts of those who make up Lighthouse Baptist Church! In July, we started an Outreach Sunday as a church. For most of our people, work is Monday through Saturday, and Sunday is the only day that works for them to do anything at the church. So, one Sunday a month, we all gather together after church for a short lunch and fellowship. Then we pray together and go out to try and either lead someone to the Lord or visit with someone from the church. In July, we were able to see five new souls make professions of faith! It has really encouraged our church family to go out and reach others with the Gospel.

In August, our teens went to Calvary Baptist Church of Ruaka for their annual Teen Conference. This was our third year going! There were two blessings from this year's conference! First, our teens won the conference against three other churches/teams! Second, and most important, was that when I asked the teens what their favorite part of the conference was, they almost all said it was the preaching! In times past, it has always been the games, but this year God really moved in the hearts of our youth through the preaching of His Word!

Lastly, PPTA . . . we had to cancel the month of July due to political unrest here in Kenya, but thankfully, we were able to start back up in August. The pastors are growing a lot spiritually, and I have heard several great testimonies of what God has been doing through their ministries since they have been applying what they are learning. Please continue to pray for these men to remain faithful throughout the training to make a real difference both in their own spiritual lives and also in the lives of many other souls to come!

As always, thank you so much for your faithfulness so that we can be here in Kenya and continue to be a part of what God is doing and will do in the hearts of so many souls. We cannot do it without your prayers and support.

Your co-laborers for lost souls across East Africa,

The HESELSCHWERDT Family
Brandon, Ali, Jeffrey, Hannah, and Esther
Romans 10:14







Baby/Child Dedication of David's Family



Teen Activity Day—Playing Some Giant Uno!



PPTA in August we currently have 28 men!



Jeffrey doing discipleship with Louis while I disciple his brother Lewis!



Taking the church out to invite people to church and share the Gospel



Daniel leading a young man through the Gospel!



Lavender, Hannah, and Esther singing a special in church



The little kids having their own little class after church