LISTENING FOR GOD'S GREATER PURPOSE

Dear Friend,

God has given us a very specific purpose here at Galcom: to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with every tribe, tongue, and nation, using radio and audio Scriptures. We also recognize that God has a

larger purpose, of which Galcom is just a part. God's Great Commission includes *all* of us sharing our testimonies in *all* sorts of different ways. That's why our weekly radio program and podcast "Mission Compass" features guests from *all* walks of life sharing their faith with *all* sorts of methods. Visit our website to listen to previous episodes and to see if we are on your local Christian station.



Scan here for our Mission Compass station listing.

This recognition that we are part of a larger purpose permeates our staff. During a recent mission trip to Peru, our team distributed radios. A woman named Virginia received a



Shelley and our team began raising funds to repair and upgrade their home. Although this was beyond our original purpose at Galcom, it was entirely within God's purpose to bless this couple. Construction began in July.

In July, our Radio Station Technician, Francis Njoroge, and a team from Kenya travelled to the DR Congo to repair and upgrade Rebuilders Radio. The trip was delayed several months

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Compass player, but shortly afterwards, she was hit by a car. The next day, Shelley Wyatt, who along with her husband Al leads our mission trips, took a few team members to visit Virginia at her home. They were shocked by her living conditions. Virginia's husband, Teodocio, is blind, so they have been living in poverty. Immediately,



because of unrest in the country, but as soon as it was safe, Francis was determined to go. His purpose was to erect a tower and install broadcast equipment. But God had another, simpler purpose for them to go. Read this newsletter's article to find out more!

We are honoured that you have joined us at Galcom to partner in reaching the unreached by radio. Let us know what other efforts you are involved in within God's greater purpose. We want to pray for you and perhaps even share your story on the Mission Compass to encourage others to be witnesses for Christ and serve God's Great Commission.



With you in Christ's service,

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Tim Whitehead Executive Director



GOD'S TIMING



We set out early, expecting to reach the lake by 11 AM, only to find an unpaved 50 km stretch that slowed us to 5 km per hour. On that rough road, we discovered a truck stuck in the wilderness. We rescued him, losing about an hour. Soon after, the heavens opened. By that time, some 50 trucks were backed up on one side and 20 on the other. We stayed to help a small car that was stuck and to manage the jam, directing traffic safely through the narrow, unstable section. We left at 5 PM, having spent over five hours serving others.

Though we came with a plan, He had His purposes, placing us in the right place at the right time to help strangers on a muddy road. This truck is a mission truck, boldly emblazoned with "SUBMIT TO JESUS" across the front. Every truck we've pulled, every risk we've taken, every delay we've embraced, we've done because of Jesus and for God's glory.





We finally arrived at the lake at 6:30 PM, only to learn that the ferry crossing takes eight hours and makes just one trip per day. The ferry left this morning (Sunday) for Congo, will return tomorrow, and resume its DRC-bound trip on Tuesday. Please continue praying as we move closer to building the new radio station in Bunia. Every mile, every detour, every interaction reminds us that we're not just on a mission, we're part of God's mission.

Francis Njørøge, Galcom's Consulting Engineer, has been waiting months to enter the troubled Democratic Republic of Congo to restore the radio station run by Rebuilders ministry. Finally, the conflict settled enough that he felt it was safe for his team to enter. Here is just a little about his trip, in Francis' words.





Today, we started the day very early in the morning and worked straight through. By 7 PM, we had completed the entire tower, which stands at 57 meters or 190 feet. We are incredibly grateful to God for the strength and progress. Tomorrow we begin the solar installation, including the earthing system, lightning protection, and coaxial cable setup.

We're excited to share that the major works here in Bunia are now complete. The STL (Studio Transmitter Link) is working exceptionally well, clear and stable across the link. The transmitter is performing flawlessly, with a perfect match and zero watts of reflected power. That translates to a VSWR of 1.2, which is as ideal as it gets.



This trip was truly something special. In many ways, walking through a land that has seen so much war and suffering felt like stepping into the pages of the Old Testament. But even in that, God has been so faithful. We've seen Him move in ways we couldn't have imagined.

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