



The Hirtzels

Missionaries to the people of Vanuatu

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“To open their eyes,
and to turn them from
darkness to light, and
from the power of
Satan unto God, that
they may receive
forgiveness of sins...”
Acts 26:18



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On The Field

*And the things that thou hast heard of me among
many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful
men, who shall be able to teach others also.*
- 2 Timothy 2:2

We are now well in to the year and have seen God do some amazing works in the lives of His people here in Vanuatu! Thank you for your faithfulness in prayers and support that make this ministry possible.



Friday afternoon youth Bible study

Our youth outreach and Bible study is in full swing now and has started with a great group of young people. We have seen many visitors join with those returning from last year and are averaging around 60-70 kids each Friday! Hosea and Georgina have been doing a great job discipling the group and teaching through a study on “Children of the King”. One of our young men has started in Bible college and others in additional discipleship coursework. Pray for these future leaders and workers!

The prison ministry continues to grow in influence and outreach as well. This last Sunday our men saw over 20 prisoners in the high-risk facility come forward in acknowledgment of a need for prayer. Do pray for these men as our workers faithfully share Jesus Christ with those in need of a savior.

God has been so good through the first months of this year and has opened so many doors. Struggles certainly come, but there is victory in Christ! Thank you for laboring with us and giving to the ministry and outreaches here in Vanuatu!

Your Missionaries to Vanuatu,

Jim and Ari Hirtzel

On Our Heart

Praise/Prayer – Continue to pray for our young men and women attending Bible college classes. This is a challenging time of growth in their personal lives as well as in their families. Pray for wisdom as they reach out with a desire to share what they are learning in God’s Word with their families and protection as they often face opposition.

Praise – Steve and Lynn have completed their furlough and have returned safely to Vanuatu!

Prayer – Georgina is nearing the end of her pregnancy. Pray for God’s protection on her and Hosea’s child and for a safe delivery for both baby and mother.

Praise – Church services continue to see first time visitors nearly each Sunday! Pray for the power of God’s Word in the lives of those in attendance. Pray for the salvation of those in need, the surrender of those called, and the obedience of God’s people in all aspects of daily life!



Praise – The fencing project is nearly complete and the only the levelling of the ground and planting of seed remains!

Prayer – Pastor Nekelsen is back safely in Malvakau. Pray for wisdom as the church plans a move to a larger location where they can continue to grow and worship freely. Also continue to pray for the young man being discipled and trained by Pastor Nekelsen.

Prayer – We will be furloughing in early 2020 and ask for prayer as preparations for schedule, travel, and other necessities take place.

And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him. – Colossians 3:17

Thank you for your prayers and support. Together we can reach Vanuatu for Christ!