



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

*To open the blind eyes, To bring out the prisoners
from the prison, And them that sit in darkness out
of the prison house.* – Isaiah 42:7

We are on the home stretch and preparing to return to the South Pacific. Flights have changed multiple times, but we now have confirmed tickets and quarantine vouchers for New Zealand. Thank you for your prayers and support of the ministry as we have been on furlough this year. It has been a blessing to be with many of our supporting churches and share what you have been a part of in Vanuatu; this would not be possible without your faithfulness!



Prison Ministries Reopened!

Last Sunday our prison ministries were able to resume and Hosea and Ronald had a great opportunity to preach to the men as both prisoners and guards came together to ask for their return!

We have been greatly encouraged to hear reports from the Spores of our men faithfully stepping up to the call of God in their lives and preaching in many of the services in church in Port Vila; one who has been asked to preach in Luganville Baptist Church in Santo as well. What a powerful answer to prayer it is to see the men allowing God to use them in the ministry in these ways!

Thank you for your prayers for our church families through this challenging time for them. God is working in the church and in the lives of those families. You are making a difference in Vanuatu through your part in this great work!

Your Missionaries to Vanuatu,

Jim and Ari Hirtzel

On Our Heart

Furlough 2020 – The last of our meetings is coming up quickly. Tickets have, Lord willing, been confirmed and locked in. We have vouchers for the Managed Isolation and Quarantine in New Zealand and will be continuing the process of getting permission to return to Vanuatu. Exciting times! We also continue to keep each of you, our partnering churches and families, in prayer!

Praise – Doors to minister and preach are continuing to open in Vanuatu as our men and Bible College students respond to God’s calling in their lives. Pray for these men and their families!

Prayer – Continue to pray for wisdom for the governments of the South Pacific nations as they negotiate times for opening borders and the repatriation of their citizens (including us!)

Prayer – There are still many challenges in returning to Vanuatu. After multiple cancellations we have tickets confirmed again for New Zealand. Pray that these will not be altered again!



Upcoming Flight and Quarantine Confirmed

Prayer – Joni has not yet been able to travel for the removal of a tumor on her jaw and following reconstruction. Pray for God’s hand on her and a door to open before the growth is too much.

Praise/Prayer – School and Youth ministries for our young people have continued without issue. We praise God for this change to reach them for Christ and to touch the lives of their families through their outreach and testimonies.

Continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving; Withal praying also for us, that God would open unto us a door of utterance, to speak the mystery of Christ... Colossians 4:2-3

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