



# DANIEL & SARAH JENKINS

MISSIONARIES TO THE GAMBIA

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## Ministry Update

May/June 2022

In April, we began a new preaching series at our church on the Life of Jesus Christ. Since the beginning of our church in 2020, it has been our desire to lay a solid Biblical foundation for our church to grow on. That solid Biblical foundation starts with Jesus Christ, because without a proper understanding of Christ, the Bible would be nothing more than a religious book teaching us good morals. But God did not give us His Word only to make us moral individuals, He gave it to us to open our understanding about our sin, His forgiveness, and ultimately His Son Jesus Christ. With this foundation, our church will be better equipped to do God's will and to glorify Him in the church and in our community. The response to this new preaching series from our church has been incredible. Many have said to us personally that they greatly appreciate a church that actually preaches and teaches the Bible, as opposed to many churches here that preach prosperity gospel and charismatic doctrines. Please pray with us as I take our people through the Gospel books and show them the beautiful redemptive history of Scripture.

Also, please pray for our 2nd annual Biblical Faith Seminar that our church will be hosting on Saturday, July 16th. We will be having missionaries Josh and Julie Mead and their family with us for a few days as well as Pastor Malick Diop and several from their church in Senegal, including a few students from the States who will also be visiting. This seminar is focused on helping not only our own church family know and understand what sound Biblical Faith is, but also other pastors, church leaders, and missionaries in Gambia be challenged and encouraged in their respective ministries. The two topics for this seminar will be on the inspiration of Scripture and the Messiah as seen in the Old Testament. We also have planned a Soccer outreach for that same evening as we seek to minister to youth in our community. Please pray with us for this upcoming event, for those traveling to take part in it with us, and for those we will be inviting from our community.

## Church Building Update

The preparations for work on our church property has already begun. The walls of the compound are just about finished and materials are being purchased for ground breaking on the church building later this year. Our first team is planning to come in November and we are excited to have five teams come work and minister with us over the next year. We praise the Lord for His abundant provision for our ministry and church, so much so that we are able to purchase a second ministry property just a short walk from our church property. Lord willing in a month or so we will be able to finalize this land purchase! This second property will serve as the location of our church parsonage, as well as a two story building which will be apartments for future missionaries, team members, and visitors. We are extremely thankful for God's provision and want to thank each of you who have sacrificed and given to the work and ministry here in Gambia!

**\*\*Pictures Below\*\***

(Left) Emmett with his friend Mariama, (Center) Our church family praying on our church property, (Right) Emerson with his friend Omar



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