

Please Pray!

I'm composing this email at 30-something thousand feet, somewhere between Dublin and Frankfurt, Germany, en route to Malawi for another 4 - week visit.

Although so thankful for the opportunity and ability to travel back to Malawi, especially so soon after my last visit, it hit me this morning that we would normally be assembling an MGO team in Malawi at this time, and that really look the edge off my excitement. Our MGO trips have not only been so enjoyable, but they truly have brought so much blessing to thousands who have heard the Gospel, and the many who have taken part. Just last week Brother Harold had a phone call from a man who has been discharged from Dedza prison, and who bore testimony to being saved after having listened to the Gospel being preached while we were there in August 2018.

Due to Coronavirus restrictions it will not be possible to meet with many Christians, nor to have the Gospel meetings we normally do at this time. It wouldn't be wise, even if we could, as the virus is on the increase in Malawi and pitifully few have been vaccinated. I will however be busy at the project site at Saidi, and will really value your prayers that the Lord would really prosper this trip as we try to make some real progress with the development here.

We have already been able to complete a good portion of the perimeter wall / fence and I'm hoping that we will be able to make further progress towards securing the entire site. In the past week we have been able to erect 4 solar-powered street lamps and a fenced enclosure to protect the solar water pump we recently installed. Over the next few weeks I'm hoping we will be able to finish the concrete container base and loading bay we started on my last trip and then move our containers to their semi- permanent home. I'm also really hoping to be able to make a good start on the multi-purpose building we plan to use for the children's work and other outreach as well as the planned feeding program. Please pray.

The work at Dzaleka Refugee Camp took a major step forward this week as Anna & Wati hosted a training session for the volunteers who will be running the Swahili language PBS work there. Pray that the Lord will really bless that work among some of the most vulnerable children on earth.

I'll not risk wearying you by writing more just now. As always, we appreciate all your prayerful & practical support.

Every blessing

Stephen Harper

On behalf of SALT Trustees.