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Pastors, family, and friends,

Happy new month of ministry. We hope your fall season has been fruitful. Serving in Nigeria during the "Ember" season has been busy and exciting.

The Bible study in Lugbe has been a joy to see gradually grow. It has been encouraging to see people faithfully coming every second and fourth Saturday of the month. I have been teaching basic doctrinal lessons about what makes us Baptist and how we are different from the Nigerian Baptist Convention (very Pentecostal), as well as some topical lessons. The group has been receptive and they have been asking a lot of questions. We recently had one new visitor, and he has now come three times in a row. Please be praying that we will be able to start up two more Bible studies in the area next year, and that we will see more growth.

My wife has been busy helping with the Christmas children's choir for our Family Christmas Carol. She is also preparing a ladies session for our first Couples Retreat. We have had a lot of couples confirm that they will be attending the retreat. Please pray that lives will be touched by God's Word and hearts will be tender to the teaching.

Our neighborhood and school Bible clubs have been going well. The Lord allowed me to lead 3 children to Christ at the Bible club recently. The school we have been attending, Yeshiva Homeschool, is always a highlight for us. The children are always so excited to see us and love to be involved in the games, songs, and Bible lesson. There is a Muslim boy whom I had the privilege of leading to Christ a few months ago. Two Fridays ago, he had more questions about salvation, and I was able to help him with assurance. This past Friday I got to lead 4 more of the children to Christ.



We have also started going to a small orphanage nearby to help the children and teens there with English and math. We will probably be going twice a month.

Thank you for those who faithfully pray for us. Please continue to be in prayer for the safety in Nigeria. We love where we serve and the people we serve with.

Your ambassadors to Nigeria,

Garan and Anneliese Patrick

