



Master's Heart Ministries

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... wanting to make Jesus famous around the World... *Habakkuk 2:14*

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Our continued desire is to be sensitive to the Heart of the Master and to reach out to desperate people on His behalf.

o **Recent Events:**

- A Vision Celebration dinner and silent auction was held on February 20th. We trust that our Lord was honored during this event. It was a great privilege to present evidence of our Father's faithfulness and to share what God has laid on our hearts for the road ahead.

A highlight was having Carlos Guia with us from Mozambique. He shared with us about the very needy orphans of Maforga and how many volunteers are making a difference in Jesus Name – one child at a time. The atmosphere of the evening was practically that of a reunion as many folk who have been on previous trips overseas were able to reconnect.



The Master's Heart banquet and Carlos playing his "squeeze box".



- **Partner ministries:** The inserted map shows the location of various partner ministries that Master's Heart (MH) is currently engaged in supporting. These are all ministries among the poorest of the poor where God has called His servants to make a difference on His behalf.



Rubatano Home Based Care:

The work is headed up by Carlos Guia and is a volunteer based work. About 80 volunteers serve many villages which are overwhelmed by HIV/AIDS. These volunteers reach out with the love of Jesus Christ,



Rubatano volunteer helping young orphans.

taking care of about 2,000 orphans in the process. About 6,000 orphans are still in need of help in this desperate area and we hope to see this situation receive enough help to care for all orphans in the near future.

Diaz Christian Church: This body of believers has an incredible heart for a community of mainly Xhosa people where the level of HIV/AIDS reaches 90% in places. They have brought the Gospel of light and deliverance to thousands that have been in the clutches of witchcraft and darkness. We are supporting the establishment of a tent church. This was requested by a local school as a temporary tent during our children's outreach last October had brought great deliverance. The church leadership reported the following request from the local school authorities:



The new tent church will allow a vital ministry to continue.

"We have been requested by the Bongweni school to get involved with the children again as they are experiencing attacks from the "Amakhosi". This attraction of power is appealing to the school children and consists of Satanic spirits that they receive at great cost from Sangomas. They have this power and become aggressive towards young and old alike and create an unruly atmosphere in the school. Hence the call for help from the Bongweni Principal. Both the Principal and teachers reported that the school had never been so peaceful as when the tent outreach was truly believe that this tent ministry will be the start of a very vital church plant in

located on their premises." We the area.

Heritage Life Training: This ministry operates in a squatter camp north of Johannesburg which consists of about a half a million people. Conditions here are horrific but Graham and Eileen Greene have really made a difference, training young people to be a useful part of society and most importantly to embrace the good news of the Gospel. This has meant the difference between life and death for many young people over the last few years.



Graham Greene with a group in Diepsloot squatter camp

The Greens have really appreciated and made good use of the pickup that MH purchased for them a few months ago. We are delighted to assist this vital ministry as they reach out for Christ in this 'war zone' like place.

- **Future Plans:**
- Three trips to Southern Africa and one partnership trip to India are planned during the balance of 2010.
- **A medical crusade and children's outreach in North Eastern South Africa at Ebenezer.** This is quite a rural area with significant hardship and high levels of HIV/AIDS. A team of 4 is planned for this trip.
- **A team of about 8 to serve at Rubatano in central Mozambique towards the end of July.** This is the same area that we served in last year. This follow up should greatly enhance what God has given us the privilege of being involved with in the past – working with a team of local volunteers whose hearts break for their communities of so many widows and orphans.
- God has opened the door for us to take a **medical and childrens outreach team to Zimbabwe during late November / early December.** This will be in very a troubled area. Great hardship has been experienced here due to HIV/AIDS and Cholera.
- **Please pray about the following:**
- **Praise our faithful Father for His amazing provision** which has enabled MH to support ministries who are really making a difference among the poorest of the poor.
- Pray for **Jesus Christ to be honored** in all that Master's Heart Ministries undertakes.
- Pray for **church partnerships** – for churches in the US to link up with those without hope.
- Pray for **guidance as we prepare teams** for various overseas outreaches in 2010.
- Pray for God's leading as we pursue possible '**micro financing**' projects in needy areas.
- **Please enquire of our Lord** as to whether He wants you to financially support Master's Heart.
- **Pray about your involvement in one of the upcoming MH overseas trips to serve.**
- **Please pray for wisdom for the current MH leadership:** Dan & Kari Sikkink, Justin & Sarah Moline, Nancy Boyle, Kelly Thoreson (book keeper) and Rich & Ruth Irish.