**Philippians 1:3-6**

“I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.”

We thank God for you in our prayers and are confident that He will continue what He has begun in you. Your partnership allows us to reach the lost with the salvation of Jesus Christ.

**Tanzania:** In spite of the pandemic, the ministry in Tanzania is consistently expanding. Pastor Laban reports that another church was started in Dar es Salaam in May. There are now eight churches in Dar es Salaam alone! Praise the Lord!

Pastor Laban is not sure if they will be able to hold the yearly youth conference in July. Gatherings of that size and nature are still prohibited due to the pandemic. Pray that the Lord provides another way to reach the teens if they are forced to cancel.

The rainy season is over, so the plantation workers are clearing dry brush and grass from around the trees to protect them from forest fires.

Pastor Laban hopes to open a new machine shop by June 15 that will generate income to support the New Harvest Ministry and pastors. He will hire local men who have attended technical school to weld, manufacture, recycle, and repair farm equipment and other machinery. They have a few tools to begin with and will add to the supply as the business grows.
India: A hurricane hit Pastor David’s area on May 15. They lost electricity for one day and it has impeded plantain cultivation, which affects the prosperity of the entire area. However, no one in the family or ministry was injured.

As soon as the government offices reopen, they plan to purchase a new van for the orphanage. Please pray that the purchasing and licensing processes go smoothly.

It was not safe to keep the orphans at the orphanage during the pandemic, so they were sent to homes until it passes. They are required by the government to call the families who care for them daily and submit a report. Thanks to your generosity, they were able to send financial support to the families.

The orphan boy Sujin who fractured his hand is recovering.

The Indian government is requiring Pastor Emmanuel to pay the salary for the teachers of the day school during the lock down period. His school and all others have been closed by the government for the last three months, which includes their holiday month of May. There are 8 teachers and one helper. He will not receive tuition payments because of their holiday season. He is expected to pay three months salary from March to May, which totals approximately 70500 Rupees ($940 U.S.). They do not anticipate the schools to open until September. They normally open on June 1. The pandemic has also caused a delay for the 10th grade exams from June 1 to June 15. Most of the shops were allowed to open with limited hours and with social distancing requirements. Districts have closed their borders, which causes issues such as individuals being unable to visit their bank in another district. They must apply for an e-pass to cross the border, which may or may not be granted.
Drill a Well: New Harvest Ministries Int’l supporters have provided fresh water for over 100,000 people in India! Just $4,000 allows them to drill a well in a remote village, which leads to sharing the Gospel and often, the beginning of a new church! Contact our office at (616)748-8888 or newharvestministriesintl@gmail.com if you are interested in sponsoring a new well for a village thirsty for the Living Water.

Projects: Here are some projects available for your church or group to adopt:

- Tanzania Tractor Repair $2,000
- Prayer House at Kavilpatti $8,500

Yours For The Harvest,

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WITH THE WORD

India
New Harvest Ministries is providing for the care of widows, orphans at 3 facilities and a day school
Graduates from the Bible College have established over 90 churches
Over 100 wells have been drilled in remote villages bringing fresh water to over 100,000 people

Tanzania
7 branches of New Harvest Bible College with over 1,000 graduates
Over 100 churches have been established throughout Tanzania, Burundi, Kenya, Uganda, Rwanda, and Democratic Republic of Congo

Cuba
Pastors seminars and church services continue to encourage and inspire pastors and leaders
Abinesh lives in an orphanage in India because his father is deceased and his mother is disabled. He will turn 15 in September. He does well in school and enjoys playing Kabaddi, Cricket and soccer. He hopes to be a taxi-driver when he grows up. His favorite Bible verse is Psalm 95:2, “Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving and make joyful noise unto Him with psalms.” Thank you for giving Abinesh security and hope for his future.

“...to look after widows and orphans…” James 1:27