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Church Planting Missionaries in Burkina Faso West Africa

May Prayer Letter

Easter Services:



Baptisms:



Kids Ministries:



We were able to finish the construction of our new building enough to hold our Easter services there, and it was a good thing because **we had a packed house with over 100 kids and 45 adults**. It was a special day for the church as we also had the churches very first pot luck dinner where each member brought food and we all shared and ate together, there was plenty of food and we had a wonderful meal. We had several first-time visitors and held baptisms after the service.

I had the privilege of **baptizing 4 new believers after the services on Easter Sunday**. The man is the picture is Roger, a man that I lead to the Lord a few months ago. I was also able to Baptist 3 others who were saved recently. We spent the last month going through a Baptism course to make sure there was no confusion about what baptism is or means. We wanted to take the time to teach it well because of all the bad doctrine about baptism that prevails in Burkina.

Last month I said goodbye to the Kids in the village ministry that we helped start. Now the Pastor René will be taking over this ministry and we will be taking over the kids ministry in Zagtouli. Brother Keith will be headed back to the states for a short furlough this month. He will be gone until January of next year. During that time I will be taking over as pastor of the church here in Zagtouli I'm excited about this chance and I know it will be a good opportunity for me to advance in my language because I will be preaching around 6 times a week in French.

Prayer requests:

- -Pray for the Shumaker Family as they prepare to head back for a furlough this month
- Pray for me and Ashley as we will be taking over the church in their absence
- -Pray for the leaders of Burkina Faso as terrorism and violence is still on the rise
- -Pray for the 4 who were baptized as they continue their walk with the Lord