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# Church Planting Missionaries in Burkina Faso West Africa

# **June Prayer Letter**

# Covid-19 In Burkina:



As of mid-May, **Burkina Faso has allowed churches to reopen and hold services**. Praise the Lord! We have started back holding regular services and it has been such a blessing. **We installed handwashing stations at the church** and are doing everything we can to make sure people stay healthy. The church is doing well and everyone is very excited to be able to meet in person once again.

Since the beginning of the heat-season, there have been frequent water cuts here in Burkina Faso. This has placed a particular hardship on those who do not have running water in their homes and must walk to wells or fill stations to get there water every day. Some areas of Burkina are very densely populated and if water cuts for even a few hours it can cause backups at the wells and people must wait hours just to get water. Many people from our church have said that they wake up at 2 am to go get water and even then there are still lines and they

must wait a few hours to get water.

### Family update:



#### **Water Shortages:**



Last week Eden got really sick with a bacterial infection. She was sick for several days but now is doing much better. Thank you for all those who prayed for her. Parker is doing great and growing like a weed. Ashley is almost finished with her French language school and has made great progress in the language. Now she just needs a lot of practice to become comfortable speaking in French. I have been making progress, although slowly, in the Moore language. I have made a personal goal to preach a 5 min message in Moore by September. I am working hard to meet this goal but have a long way to go.

# **Prayer requests:**

- Pray for the churches in Burkina to continue to grow and see souls saved  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right)$
- -Pray for those who have great difficulty getting the water they need for everyday life.
- -Pray for our children to continue to have good health and safety
- -Pray for Ashley and me to meet our goals with French and Moore.