

BACK IN EAST AFRICA! We've been back in Tanzania for nearly two months and we hit the ground running. Shortly after returning, we welcomed Mike's parents, Bill and Sandy Webb, for a visit. They blessed us by traveling with us to Kenya for the All-Africa Missionary Renewal so that they could watch after Madalyn while we were in conferences and meetings. We were able to fully participate in the renewal and they were able to have lots of time with their 14th grandbaby! Everyone was a winner! It was a joy to be able to fellowship with all of the Church of God missionaries who serve across the continent.



ChOG Africa Missionary Renewal 2011

CHANGES IN TEE The TEE (Theological Education by Extension) students in Dodoma continue to be our most promising group. They are learning new material and putting it into practice in their local churches. We've found over the past three years of our TEE pilot program that these students have succeeded beyond others because of the frequent follow up that they receive. We've learned that in its current form, the program makes it difficult for pastors in remote areas to progress well. As a result, we're in the process of redesigning the program so that all of our students can succeed. *Please pray with us as we make these changes. We desire to help raise up a new generation of godly, biblically knowledgeable leaders for the Church of God of Tanzania.*

LOOKING AHEAD One of our long term goals for the ministries in which we serve in Tanzania is to help the ministries become independent of outside funds. We have some exciting trial projects that we've progressed with since returning to Tanzania in March. TEE (Theological Education by Extension) is the proud owner of a pregnant heifer. She should be delivering her calf within the next couple of months. Once the calf is weaned, we'll be able to sell the milk. We also recently purchased 21 chickens for the Tailoring School. As they begin laying in the coming weeks, the eggs will be sold locally to benefit the school. We've started small, but hope that these livestock projects can grow and be one way to help benefit the ministries locally. Mike has wanted to be a farmer since he was small, so these projects are right up his alley!

Financial independence is a goal that we're working toward but we haven't reached it yet!

Tailoring School: Project # 42. 40475
TEE: Project # 42.30608



Mike and Madalyn in the Tailoring School chicken coop

AND WHO CAN FORGET THE BABY... We feel so blessed by how well Madalyn has transitioned to her new home in Tanzania. She is growing, healthy, and happy and brings so much joy to us and to those with whom we work. Follow [this link](#) to see a few pictures of Maddy's life in East Africa.