



## Requesting your Prayers and Petitions of the Lord

Dear Nekesa (Harvesters),

Firstly we would like to let you know that we are all safe and well. However, we have many trials that have come to Bungoma, Kenya. One promise we have from the Lord is that in this life we will have trials and tribulations, but we can rejoice together because our Lord Jesus Christ has overcome! John 16:33

We would like to request your prayers and petitions of the Lord for Bungoma Bible Ministries and the whole of Kenya. There are tribulations that we have been warned would come. The **prices of food** have begun to skyrocket up, as panic is a threat.

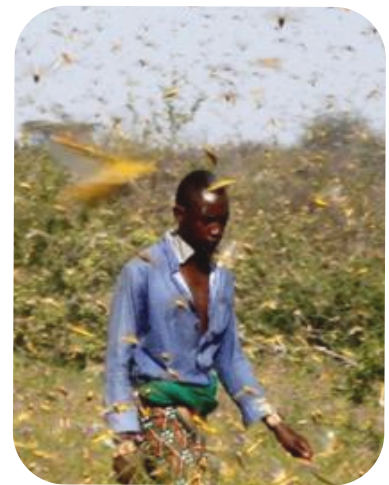
There are many reports of locust that have destroyed the crops in the Africa, in Somalia and other eastern nations. These locust are already in Kenya; even our area. These swarms of locusts have already caused panic and hunger in the areas they have attacked. So far, the government's efforts to stop or keep this under control have been ineffective.

We are speaking against this attack on our crops and praying for protection. However, we also must prepare ourselves as the locust reach the bread basket of Kenya and destroy our crops. This would be a devastating event that would cause famine, and quite possible, civil unrest. We need a storehouse of dry food.

We have checked what we may need to store as to food and supplies to provide food and care for our orphans and ministry here in Bungoma. We are praying to have all the funds we need to create the store house immediately.



North East Africa



Locust in Somalia



Young African infected

The second trial that has come to Africa is a deadly disease that has reached the shores of Africa. While it has not reached Kenya, it has infected many Africans in the north east. You know that China has gained great influence in Africa. We have seen our youth that are studying abroad become infected. This is an attack on our future. These young men and women are studying in other nations to be our future leaders and raise Kenya up. We ask that you join us in prayer - speak Healing, Jesus, over those infected with this deadly disease.

Let us raise up a mighty army - call our churches and families into prayer for the nations of Africa to be healed and saved from these attacks on the land and turn their hearts back to The Lord.

We thank you that you have stood with us in prayer and in financial gifts all these years. We ask that you continue to stand with us!

We understand that you each also have your own trials and tribulations that you are walking through. We want you to remember that we stand with you, praying for you always, and we rejoice with you on your praise reports as well.

Therefore let all stand together taking on the armor of God as a mighty army. Ephesians 6:13-18

Wherefore take unto you the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all to stand. **Stand therefore** having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness, and your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; Above all **taking the shield faith**, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the spirit, which is the word of God: **Praying always** with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all holy ones.

Colossians 1:3

We give thanks to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, praying always for you!



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