



## Bringing Hope to The Hopeless

Over the last several years, the Lord has opened the door for Uttermost Evangelism to do several crusades in different refugee camps. People find themselves in refugee camps because of many factors: war, persecution, drought, food shortage and disease outbreaks. This January we had the privilege to lead a crusade in the second largest refugee camp in the world, Bidi Bidi, which is located in northern Uganda, and is filled with South Sudanese who have fled civil war. The camp was opened just over two years ago, and in that short time, has received over 275,000 refugees. The camp covers a vast area of some of the most remote land you can imagine. Most people in the camp fled their homes and possessions leaving everything behind. People are hurting; many are depressed and struggling to see any hope for their future. As I stood to preach each afternoon and looked over the large crowd, sweltering in 97 degree heat, I knew this was a fulfillment of a vision and calling God had put on my heart years ago to lift up Christ and proclaim His



Gospel to the Uttermost parts of the earth. As I proclaimed the Gospel and glorious hope found only in Jesus Christ, it was a joy to see people receive Christ and the abundant life that He brings. Only our great God and Savior Jesus Christ could bring hope and change to people in a place like Bidi Bidi, and I was honored to have a front row seat to witness Him do it.



## Crusade Near War Zone

In January we conducted a four-day crusade in Moyo, a town in northern Uganda about ten miles from the South Sudan border. The civil war that has plagued South Sudan for several years has continued to have an impact along the border of Uganda. Rebel activity has spilled across the border of Uganda on several occasions, in the form of fighting, theft, and disruption of local security. The instability and concern caused by these realities were the unseen backdrop for our crusade. Thankfully the only negative impact on the crusade was the obligation to hire additional security and to end the crusade early every night so people could get home before it got late. I am always amazed at how the Lord uses negative situations like this to make people's hearts more tender and open to the Gospel. We witnessed this during the crusade as many adults and youth came forward to commit their lives

publicly to Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. Thank you for partnering with us to take the Gospel to the Uttermost.



## Evangelizing Over Radio

Many times when I travel internationally to do ministry, the Lord opens the door for me to preach live on local radio stations. During our recent outreach in Uganda, I had the opportunity to proclaim the Gospel on an hour long live radio broadcast. Radio is still a primary source of information in Africa since many people do not have television and high illiteracy rates in some areas make newspapers and other written materials ineffective.



## Prayer Requests

February 17

Baptist Women's Day

Hinshaw Street Baptist Church

North Wilkesboro, NC

February 22

Board of Directors Meeting

New Orleans, LA

February 21-March 5

Mardi Gras Outreach

New Orleans, LA

February 24

Sunday Revival

Roseland Park Baptist Church

Picayune, MS

March 19-27

Evangelistic Outreach

Guyana, South America