AFRICA UPDATE: CORONAVIRUS

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Greetings Brothers and Sisters,

I am hopeful you and your families are making it through these challenging times. For those of you that are hurting because of the many effects of this virus, our prayers are with you. Remember that God is in control and those who trust in Him will have their needs met.

God uses each of us to make sure others' needs are met. We need to make sure we are stepping up and helping each other in the United States, but I also want to make you aware of how the coronavirus is affecting our brothers and sisters in Africa. Below are excerpts from an email we received this week from Linda Limbe, our ministry partner in Africa:

"It is rumored that the opposition politicians are stocking up (maize) for their campaign. They want to use the hunger situation to win peoples votes.

Right now the situation is just getting worse, we have corona virus which Malawi has not registered a case but the problem is that we did not have testers until yesterday. We have had 2 people I know who have died last week from similar symptoms of corona.

People are panicking whilst many others especially in the village where most of our Churches are, have no clue of what is happening. Our neighbouring countries have positive cases and are imposing locking up rules, they have closed their boarders. Right now we can not cross into Mozambique using the main boarder, the small boarders will stay open because they use Malawi for hospitals.

My plea Joe and Rebekah is to ask if possible to get more food to cover our churches now before they lock down Malawi too, then we won't be able to send to our brothers and sisters in Mozambique. I had already ordered more bags from Good Food because you said there is a possibility of getting more on food and knowing that they're short in supply it is taking them long to meet demands.

Malawi and Mozambique have been hit by one disaster to another non stop and its just getting worse. I'm seeing that this indeed is the end time sign. My prayer is for God's mercy on us. Thank you for your unconditional love always. May God bless you and all our brothers and sisters as you serve Him."

We also received this from Emmanuel in Uganda:

"The lockdown period is a pathetic to our poorest brothers and sisters here in Uganda. I pray you save our members from starvation and infection. Thank you so much in advance. God bless your kindness. Pastor Emmanuel"



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Thank you so much for your prayers and support for those in our country and those around the world,

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