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# Focal Points



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## GLOBAL GLIMPSSES

**NAMIBIA** - Pastor Shipiki has baptized twelve people in Jesus' name! One of the families that was baptized has been delivered from evil spirits in their home. The man pictured below contacted **Brother Shipiki** for prayer.



His children were being tormented by evil spirits at night and they

were telling the children to commit suicide. God has now delivered them! They have repented and have been baptized!—**Keith and Elizabeth Ikerd**

**RWANDA** - The church in Rwanda is progressing. Through teaching of Bible studies we have been able to reach many more people with the gospel of Jesus Christ. Training seminars continue to be an important aspect of establishing churches in Rwanda. In November 2014, we baptized six preachers and four members of the church in Kagali. We give the glory to God for this victory!—**Louis and Martha Johnson**

**SINGAPORE** - We were honored to spend several weeks at the Tabernacle of Joy in Singapore in January 2015. As well as preaching each Sunday, Brother Shalm taught an Asia Impact Seminar during their Next Steps Program and Sister Shalm taught a Purpose Institute class on the Epistles each Saturday morning. What a great revival Church! It was also a blessing for us to minister on two Sundays in the Filipino Joy Fellowship pastored by **Brother Dodji and Sister Nancy**. They have five services every Sunday to accommodate their 1,500 members,

because their auditorium only has a capacity of 400 people at a time! Exciting things are happening in Singapore!—**Allan and Georgene Shalm**

**TANZANIA** - During October 2014, we returned to East Africa for the national conference of the UPCT. General Director **Bruce Howell** was the special speaker. At least twenty-five received the Holy Ghost and one woman with a withered hand was instantly healed! In November, **Brother Smoak, Brother Mark Parker** and **Brother Kevin Borders** taught a GATS term in Burundi with forty-one students. Brother Smoak met with church leaders and an architect in preparation for the building of a Bible school and national office complex in Bujumbura.—**Richard and Pamela Smoak**

**GERMANY** - From January through December 2014 we had 151 first time visitors; seventy-nine of them came back for a second time. The church in Berlin has grown to an average attendance of forty people. We had sixteen people filled with Holy Ghost and nine were baptized in Jesus' name. We thank God for the harvest in Germany. Recently, Brother Suppan was invited and able to travel to Copenhagen, to minister for **Brother and Sister Brett** and "Levende Kirke." We appreciate the work they are doing in Denmark and it is great to see the growth in their country. Their leadership team is strong and unified and the church in Copenhagen is growing. We appreciate their friendship and look forward to them coming back to Berlin in the next few months.— **Bernhard and Shelley Suppan**

### Regional Report: Pacific Region

- **AUSTRALIA:** Dozens receive the Holy Spirit at their General Conference in January 2015!
- **FIJI:** Dynamic 40th General Conference w/1,000's attending!
- **SAMOA:** Forty are baptized on the island of Upolu!
- Pacific Missionary **Robert and Judy Addington** have returned to New Zealand as a direct result of the miraculous 2014 'I AM GLOBAL' General Conference offering!
- **NEW CALEDONIA:** Licensing of the first UPC minister has taken place!

### Central America/ Caribbean

The CAC Region is experiencing great revival. We have great missionaries and national leaders who are endeavoring to fulfill the Great Commission in their countries. In the last six months we have been at the William H. Dean Bible School in Nicaragua, the John F. Hopkins Bible School in Panama, and Thomas L. Wallace Bible School in El Salvador. This was made possible by great churches and great people all working together. Many students will be prepared to carry the gospel to their countries.

**Masthead Photo:** In May 2015, there were 310 filled with the Holy Ghost and many baptized during a regional conference in Madagascar!

**IN 2014, I AM GLOBAL WORKED!**

**WE EXCEEDED OUR ORIGINAL GOAL OF SENDING TWENTY-SIX MISSIONARIES BACK TO THE FIELD.**



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