

# **Report on BMF- Kenya work for February 2025**

## **INTRODUCTION**

## FOLLOW-UP MEETINGS AND OUTREACH TEAM

The highlight of our activities in the month of February was my participation in a high level Government leader's meeting at the official residence of the Deputy President of Kenya. The meeting brought together Government and opinion leaders of the entire Kiambu County. It focused on development agenda within the County.

Kikuyu is one of the 12 constituencies of Kiambu County and has hundreds of representative. About 3,000 leaders attended including 12 Members of Parliament.

By God's grace, I was accorded the opportunity to address the Deputy President before 3,000 leaders present, including our Member of Parliament. This happened because of the work of our outreach in Ondiri which is part of six wards that make Kikuyu constituency. The leaders have recognised what we are doing.

I presented what we are doing and the response from the leaders was very positive. I am due to meet the Member of Parliament in due course to discuss how we intend to reach out to other wards in Kikuyu constituency and then role out to the entire County.

Due to this open door and good will from the Government and leaders in the County, the Lord has impressed upon us to come up with very good structure of leadership and concentrate more on trainings, for effectiveness and sustainability.

One of the blessings of our model in Ondiri is that our Chapter leaders are being elected within their locality to organise outreaches and also to handle community concerns such as Security, Development, Welfare, Health, Education and Communication, on a voluntary basis.

Because of our chapter leaders doing these free services, the Government and the community are very pleased with our work.

This has resulted in our outreaches and follow-up programmes yielding more positive results.

We are therefore putting a lot more efforts on training the Chapter leaders and encouraging them to serve the community, voluntarily, with their skills.

#### <u>PRAYER</u>

Please join us in thanksgiving prayer because the work of the enemy against the work has been subdued. We faced so much pressure and attacks in January.

We have witnessed a paradigm shift in the work this month. Those that were attacking us went silent, all of a sudden, and doors that were closed began to reopen, together with several other new doors.

We thank the Lord for His hand in restoring our health and renewing our strength to continue.

#### **MEETINGS**

Let us also pray for many unconfirmed meetings scheduled in March, that the Lord will grace the various teams mandated to plan them.

BELOW IS A SUMMARY OF OUTREACHES/ MEETINGS HELD IN FEBRUARY AND SOME OF THE UPCOMING OUTREACHES / MEETINGS IN MARCH 2025

MEETINGS HELD IN FEBRUARY

EVENT/ DATE/ VENUE/ SPEAKER/ REMARKS

ASILI CHAPTER OUTREACH Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> from 3pm to 5pm KAG Church hall Ondiri Herman Gichanga & Samuel Njogu 48 men attended with 26 men responding to the prayer of salvation.

CENTRAL CHAPTER OUTREACH Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> from 2pm to 4pm Ondiri Old Nursery Hall Samuel Njogu & George Ndungu 102 men attended with 48 men responding to the prayer of salvation.

SPORTS OUTREACH Saturday 8<sup>th</sup>,15th and 22nd Gicharani Primary open grounds Samuel Njogu and sports team The sports team has commenced the programme in Ondiri area, and Gikambura, Lusihetti and Nderi areas. The sports activities are taking place every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 6:30am to 8:30am. Members of the community interested in keeping fit or playing board games, darts and

chess are meeting in an open field provided for by the Government. Members of the sports team are taking a short period of time after a sports session to share their life experience and end with a prayer, maximum 20 minutes. A total of 15 men and some women responded to the prayer of salvation.

About 50 men and women participated in the programme in February. The team is advertising the event in Churches and other public forums for more members of the community to participate.

MURICHU OUTREACH

Wednesday 12th from 5pm to 7pm Samuel Kuria home open grounds Samuel Njogu & Peter Njoroge The outreach had an attendance of about 100 men from Murichu community. Over 50 men responded to the call of salvation.

POLICE OUTREACH

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> from 2pm to 5pm Kikuyu Police Chapel Hall Samuel Njogu and invited guests by Police A weekly outreach/ follow-up programme has commenced in the Police Chapel Hall every Thursday from 1pm to 2 pm. Policemen and their families who received Christ previously have been attending and helping in inviting policemen and their families to attend. This month, a total of 30 policemen attended the lunch hour sessions. 12 men comprising of police and their families responded to receive Christ during the weekly services.

BOOTH BOYS SCHOOL OUTREACH Wednesday 26th from 5pm to 6:30pm School Hall Samuel Njogu and school outreach team A weekly outreach / follow-up programme is ongoing in the school every Wednesday from 5pm to 6pm. This month 70 new students who joined the school recently responded to the prayer of salvation.

UPCOMING MEETINGS IN MARCH

EVENT/ DATE/ VENUE/ SPEAKER/ REMARKS

MURICHU YOUTH OUTREACH Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> from 2pm to 5pm John Njoroge's home compound Samuel Njogu and Stephen Wangongu The outreach is targeting the school-going youth aged between 13 and 18 years

KIAMBU MEN OUTREACH Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 1pm Sashimi Meeting Grounds, Kiambu Samuel Njogu & Daniel Kamau The outreach is targeting young men 18 to 30 years in Kiambu Town.

LEADERSHIP SEMINAR Sunday 16th from 3pm to 6pm Ondiri Old Nursery Hall Samuel Njogu All chapter leaders invited.

Maiaihii Men Outreach

Friday 14th from 3pm to 5pm Maiaihii Gicharani Community Grounds Samuel Njogu & BMF Community Outreach Team

OUTREACHES BY PLANNING TEAMS





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# Report on BMF- UGANDA work for January 2025.

On 9th Feb., Kasamba Jacob and Tumukunde Jimmy went to Katwe Prison and ministered to 100 inmates who are on the discipleship programme. They taught them about the Holy Spirit and His work from the book of John 14:15 and Acts Chapter 2. Afterwards, they spoke to 35 new inmates who received salvation after listening to their message.

On 16th Feb., Kasamba Jacob and Tumukunde Jimmy went to Rusese Prison and ministered to 60 inmates on the topic of the Holy Spirit and His work. The Officer in charge testified that 14

inmates were released by the court two days after Jacob and Jimmy prayed for them following the discipleship meeting in January.

On 23rd Feb., Kasamba Jacob and Bwembale Gerald, the former inmates who were released from Rusese Prison miraculously following the prayers of BMF men, before their prison sentences ended, went to Nyabirongo Prison, to continue the discipleship programme. The Lord guided Jacob to teach the inmates about living in the community according to the Bible from the book of Zechariah 7.8-14 where God tells Israel to render true justice, show mercy and kindness to one another.

On 26th Feb., Jude Musisi and I went to Kiganda Prison. We arrrived there at mid-day when it was very hot. The O.C asked us to wait until 3pm when it started to cool down, so that he would be able to assemble the inmates for us outside under the tree shade. 214 men were assembled outside. Jude gave a brief explanation about BMF followed by his short testimony, and then I gave my full story. 189 men received salvation, 4 of whom were Muslims, and one Prison Warden. We prayed for those with health issues and other needs.

We donated five boxes of washing soap and four Bibles to that prison at the end. On our way to the hotel where we stayed that night, the car we hired got a serious machine problem. Jude had to wait for the owner to come from Kampala with the mechanic and spare parts to fix it the following day.

On 27th Feb., I boarded the bus very early in the morning to go to Kibito. Tumukunde Jimmy also boarded from Bwera, and we met in Kibito Town. We boarded the boda-bodas again to proceed to Kibito Prison. We arrivred there at 2pm when the inmates were still away for labour work. We waited for them to come back at 4:30pm local time. The O.C assembled all of them on the verandah of their cells. Jimmy addressed them in their local language, and I gave a brief explanation about BMF followed by my testimony. Jimmy was translating what I was speaking in the local language of that area, and 129 men received salvation out of the 163 men assembled. We prayed for all of them briefly afterwards, because it was time for them to have supper, and then we donated five boxes of washing soap and four Bibles to that prison at the end. We went back to the main road and boarded the taxi to Kasese Town where we stayed that night. The heat in that area was very great, since it's a rift valley. The temperature was much higher than in other parts of country. We were unable to sleep because of the heat, but thanks to the Lord, we were able to move the following day.

On 28th Feb., Tumukunde Jimmy and I went to Rukoki Prison We arrived there at 2pm when the inmates were still having lunch. We waited for 30 minutes for the Warden on duty to assemble them under the shade of the trees which are in the compound. The Warden was a Catholic , He led them in the Catholic songs praising Mary and Joseph first. Jimmy addressed them in their local language and then I briefly explained to them about BMF, and then I gave my testimony. 170 men received salvation out of the 209 men who were present, 3 of whom were Muslims. We prayed for all of them; more so for those who had believd that God allowed them to go into prison so that they could have an opportunity to know Jesus. They believed that God is going to make a miracle for them to be released by the judges so that they can go and witness the goodness of Jesus to their families. We donated five boxes of washing soap and four Bibles to that prison at the end, and then I boarded the evening bus to go back to Kampala. It took me 10 hours to reach home. Thanks to the Lord for the safe journey on an overloaded bus at night for all those hours.

## **SUMMARY**

No.of men reached in February 2025 = 621. No.of men received salvation in February 2025= 532. No.of men reached since 2008 = 110,028. No.of men received since 200 = 85,293. Compiled by Charles Ssemwogerere. BMF- Uganda Coordinator.