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Welcome

We're glad you're here

We want to hear from you! Fill out a Communication and/or Prayer Request form. We would love to pray for you and get you more information.

EVENTS AND INFO

Join us for Sunday services in person or online (live stream at 9:30am).

Sunday service times: 8:00am, 9:30am and 11:00am

We have programs for kids and students on Sunday mornings as well!

Alderwood Community Church is a group of people who are committed to following Jesus together. Visit <u>alderwood.cc/connect</u> and see where you can get connected in a group, serving with a team, or through a Bible study.

The Alderwood church staff and elders are praying for you regularly! Please let us know how we can be praying for you! Submit your prayer requests at alderwood.cc/prayer

The Alderwood Compassion Center is open to receive donations on Tuesdays (9am to noon)...a list of items needed and the address can be found at alderwood.cc/compassion

Struggling with life? Need someone to come alongside and support? Stephen Ministry can help. <u>alderwood.cc/stephen</u>

Visit our website or use the ACC app to find out about upcoming events. Visit our calendar at alderwood.cc/events-page

COMING UP

- Go Global Weekend May 3-5
 - We'll be focusing on global missions all weekend...plan to come either Friday or Saturday night for an evening of international food, visiting with some of our missionaries, and interactive experiences for the whole family. Then on Sunday, Pastor Steve will bring us a message from our new Acts series, *Go To All Peoples*. Watch alderwood.cc/goglobal for more information and to sign up.
- Summer Camps Mark your calendars!
 Plan ahead for Family Camp, Preteen Camp and Ross Point
 Camps for middle and high schoolers! More details available at
 alderwood.cc/camp

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MISSIONARY UPDATE

BRUCE & CAROL INGRAM
ACTION INTERNATIONAL
PASTORAL LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT



We thank the Lord for ACC and your partnership with us in Christ's work worldwide!

We recently received some shocking news from Christopher Kapito, our ministry leader in Malawi. He shared that Pastor Soul, who has been our translator, had been taking money for himself that

was for work. When Christopher confronted him about it, he did not repent and restore the money, instead he asked a witch doctor to put a curse on Christopher and the ministry. Our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers and...against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. Ephesians 6:12.

Most Malawians are subsistence farmer with an income of \$620/year. Consequently they are prone to be in an intense spiritual battle in the following areas:

- Envy that leads to stealing, lying and fighting.
- Selfish ambition that leads to slander and division.
- False teaching of the wealth/health gospel that promotes the love of money and envy which is common.
- Widespread emphasis on healing and deliverance services where the pastor puts on a show of power and becomes the center of attention rather than Christ and the gospel with no making obedient disciples to Christ who multiply.

PRAY: We are exhorted to put on the whole armor of Christ and pray: And pray in the Spirit... be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people. **Ephesians 6:18**.

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The devil is a liar (John 8:44). Jesus said, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free...everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin...so if the Son sets you free you will be free indeed." John 8:31-36.

Pray for church leaders in impoverished nations to be:

- abiding in Christ and the truth of His Word.
- set free from envy and the lies of the devil.
- free to love and thank God and be channels of His love and grace in Christ to others.

Gratefully in Christ,

Bruce & Carol