

Village outreach

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We have about 150 local young people serving as missionaries in remote areas of Zambia.



One of the new missionaries is Aster Syanyungwa (the squatting note-taker above).

While Aster was studying here at Namwianga he helped me a lot with the school we built out at the prison. Now he is a qualified teacher, but the government is not employing at this time.

In our program we give each missionary enough for food and rent and send them to village schools deep in the bush. The plan is that they will impress the local authorities and become self-employed carriers of the Gospel in undeveloped, poor regions where most educated young Zambians don't want to live. Most of Zambia's educated people prefer to live in town with TV, electricity, tap water, paved roads, and fun shopping and entertainment.

Aster has just now sent me these three pictures from his phone.



With this Covid-19 problem, many schools these days refuse to allow churches to rent a classroom for worship.

So Aster is working with them as they gather poles and thatch grass to build a "proper" meeting house. The grass house below is home for the old lady. The new church building will look a lot like this, but 6-8 times larger.



Thank you for helping support young Christian men and women as they live and work for and bless humble, lovely people in these very poor regions of Zambia.

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