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JUNE 2022 NARRATIVE REPORT

INTRODUCTION

The month of June saw BVBIZ going a notch higher in the training of men and women towards God's cause. Students continued to be equipped with the necessary knowledge and skills that will enable them to impact society positively with the saving Gospel. This report is a capsule of what happened in the month of June at BVBIZ.

1.0 OPERATING ENVIRONMENT

The month of May and June saw prices of commodities rising significantly. Operations at BVBIZ have not been spared either as the cost of food and fuel rose significantly. The economic impact is being felt in the school and definitely, the rest of the country. Despite this challenge, BVBIZ continued to fulfill her mandate in many ways.

2.0 TERM ENDS

The 2020 intake ended their classes on the 4th of June. Examinations were also written successfully. Great appreciation to all the teachers and the students for making the term a success. This class has already started its second practicum which shall end on the 20th of October before the students graduate on the 29th of the same month. This last term saw the following subjects being taught successfully; Elementary Hebrew, Revelation, Preacher's life and Work, Church Administration and Governance, Education in the Local Church, Foundation of Missions, Minor Prophets, Geography of the Bible and Christian Evaluation of Contemporary Ethics.

3.0 CURRICULUM PROGRESS

The 2022 class which commenced its studies on the 15th of May have started their journey at BVBIZ well. The following subjects are being undertaken this term; How We Got the Bible, Personal Work, Scheme of Redemption, New Testament Church, Pentateuch, Public Speaking and Christian Evidences. In terms of life survival skills students have begun learning poultry production (both layers and broilers) and Horticulture (introduction). As is the culture at BVBIZ, students take turns to take care of the broilers that are being raised on campus. The same will be done once the layers projects begin most probably in early August.

4.0 EVANGELISM UPDATE

BVBIZ students began their second field practicum on the 5th of June and are now in different centers. The program commenced with the 2020-2022 class camping at Shurugwi up to the 19th of June. Several experienced preachers graced the occasion as well and their presence provided the necessary experience

to students. Some came for a short time whilst others stayed for longer. The following were the brothers; Mutichu, Mashaba, Mudhlozera, Madamombe, Madyira, Monyamane, Chuma and Kufa. BVBIZ greatly appreciates these brothers for their sacrifice. The program saw three souls getting baptized. Two students remained in the area after the program to continue with follow ups. Students began to systematically go their various camps from the 15th of June to continue with their practicum. There were distributed as follows;

Place/Congregation	Province	Students
Shurugwi	Midlands	Samandra and Michael Kasimu
Derembwe	Manicaland	Thabani Dhlamini and Eric Marufu
Mbembesi	Matebeleland	Bongani Sithole
Manyame	Chitungwiza	Thomas Musongora and Christopher Mutambirwa
Nhedziwa	Manicaland	Remember and Melody Mhlanga
Mupudzi	Manicaland	Tinashe Moyana
Mutawatawa	Mashonaland East	Carlos Chandipa and Blessed Marufu

The following pictures are a summary of the

efforts put in





Tinashe Moyana and Lascious Kufa stationed at Nhedziwa baptizing one soul soon after arrival

The next report shall contain more information regarding what is happening in the field

5.0 LAYERS PROJECT UPDATE

Resource mobilization towards the intended layers project moved to another stage as more people came in with contributions. The following amounts have been raised so far (as of 30 June 2022);

Makanza family	\$30	Kanchefu Family	\$30
Madanhi Family	\$30	Kware family	\$20
Ndlovu Family	\$10	Mazhambe family	\$10
Mudhlozera Family	\$20	Estep family	\$30
Muchingami Family	\$30	Burgett Family	\$30
Abraham family	\$20	Mukondwa family	\$20
Khata family	\$30	Dururu family	\$10
Raradza Family	\$41	Mazambani family	\$50
Zunze Family	\$20	Manyati family	\$50
Gushakusha Family	\$10	Karikoga (T) Family	\$10
Gwena	\$20	Ngorima Family	\$20

From the above figures, US\$560 was raised by the 30th of June. This translates to 56+ birds. BVBIZ is excited by those who have already done their part as it means the project will be able to see the light of

day. The target figure is \$3000 (for 300+ birds). Your opportunity to partner BVBIZ is still there. The following flier explains the opportunity;



Bear Valley Bible Institute
Zimbabwe

We are seeking donations towards a Layers Project
Target is 300 point of lay Birds

How to donate?

CHOOSE FROM THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES.

CATEGORY A	CATEGORY B	CATEGORY C
40 INDIVIDUALS EACH TO DONATE \$30 FOR 3 BIRDS.	60 INDIVIDUALS EACH TO DONATE \$20 FOR 2 BIRDS.	60 INDIVIDUALS EACH TO DONATE \$10 FOR A BIRD

LAYERS PROJECT

BANKING DETAILS

Local Currency Account (ZWL)	Foreign Currency Account (USD)
Name of Bank: NEDBANK	Name of Bank: NEDBANK
Account Name: BEAR VALLEY BIBLE INSTITUTE	Account Name: BEAR VALLEY BIBLE INSTITUTE
Account Number: 21034000038	Account Number: 11990731073
Swift Code: MBCAZWHX	Swift Code: MBCAZWHX
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6.0 UPCOMING PROGRAMS

6.1 PREACHER'S RETREAT

There shall be a preacher's retreat at BVBIZ which is scheduled to run from the 26th-28th of October. This program shall be open to all preachers. Details of this program shall be availed in the subsequent reports.

6.2 GRADUATION

This year's graduation ceremony shall take place on the 29th of October 2022 soon after the Preacher's Retreat.

7.0 INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

7.1 TEACHERS HOUSE

Much work has been done on the teacher's house. There are a few outstanding issues that need to be sorted on the house so that it can be occupied. These include; construction of the septic tank, installation of a solar system, tiling of floors, painting, installation of doors and glazing. The house can be occupied once the septic tank and solar system are worked on. Other issues can be dealt with later. BVBIZ is grateful to the Simemeza family for donating almost all the window panes needed. These are now in the school. BVBIZ is also grateful to the Machingura family as well for donating 4 bags of cement towards the septic tank. Once the house is occupied BVBIZ will save over \$130 on fuel monthly.

The solar system comprising of 6 solar panels, a 5Kva inverter, one lithium battery and other accessories cost \$2330 whilst a septic tank needs a total of \$1613 with the following breakdown;

33 bags cement	\$264
5000 bricks	\$500
Transport for bricks	\$80
8 rolls bricksforce	\$16
5 zinc sheets	\$75
114x6mx4 timber	\$38
12mmx10 Deformed bars	\$50
Silversand	\$160
Labour	\$400
10kg Impermo	\$30
TOTAL	\$1613

7.2 FOWL RUN FOR LAYERS

The layers project which is set to commence soon will need a fowl run which should be located far away from the fowl runs used for broilers. This fowl run will need the following;

2200 bricks	\$220
Meshwire	\$35
4 rolls brickforce	\$8
6 lengths timber	\$57
9 asbestos sheets	\$180
Labour	\$150
TOTAL	\$650

CONCLUSION

When all is said and done, BVBIZ remains grateful to God who continues to strengthen and guide everyone. Great appreciation goes to Woodland Oaks and Bear Valley Bible Institute International for their unwavering support. To our many partners in Zimbabwe and outside Zimbabwe, thank you.