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## Our Itinerary.....

### December 28, 2008

10am  
 Assembly of God  
 1201 Dean St  
 Woodstock, IL 60098  
 Rev. Roger Willis  
 815-338-1316

### December 28, 2008

5pm  
 Christian Life Assembly  
 2960 E. Division St  
 Diamond, IL 60416  
 Rev. Mark Thompson  
 815-458-2387

### January 18, 2009

6pm  
 First Assembly of God  
 2408 E. Main St.  
 Olney, IL 62450  
 Rev. Paul Goss  
 618-392-7821



### 2008 Team

Mary Ellen Havens (Front),  
 ( L to R) Jamie Havens,  
 Michael Havens, Rachel  
 Havens, Bob Garrett, Blake  
 Havens, Isaiah LeMasters,  
 Scott LeMasters, and  
 Pastor Paul

We would like to say "Thank You" to all of our sponsors for helping us spread the Gospel in Uganda. We pray God's blessings on each and every one!



Information regarding these meetings, as well as other future events, can be found on our website at [www.eightim.org](http://www.eightim.org)



Pastors Jamie & Rachel Havens  
 214 E. Jefferson  
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# New Beginnings IM Newsletter

## Thank You for Partnering With Us

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

- I will pray at least one hour a week for New Beginnings International Ministries
- One time gift for New Beginnings International Ministries: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- I am pledging to send monthly support in the amount of: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (We will send you an envelope each month.)
- I would like to help sponsor a crusade in Africa: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- I would like to help sponsor a crusade in India: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Total amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Sponsorship Program

Would you consider becoming a financial partner with New Beginnings International Ministries through our sponsorship program? Crusades cost from \$10,000 - \$15,000 each. If you would like to become a sponsor for a crusade, you can do so one of two ways. (1) You can participate in full sponsorship, or (2) you can join with others in partial sponsorship of a crusade. Either way, you are helping us to be able to minister to those in need of the Gospel.

THANK YOU for your support!

Make checks payable to:  
**New Beginnings International Ministries**  
 and send to:  
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 214 E Jefferson  
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*Uganda 2008*

We have safely returned from 14 days in Kampala, Uganda in East Africa. This year we held 8 nights of crusade, hosted by Pastors John and Peace Nuwagaba and their church, Bukoto Evangelical Church. Even though the rain forced us to move the crusades from the original location to one that was less muddy, we pressed on and saw God do many wonderful things. It



*Above: One of the altar calls for salvation.*

would rain during the day and late at night, but we praise God that every evening when it was time to start the meetings, the rain would stop and the moon would shine. Over the eight nights, we saw about 300 adults, teenagers and children give their hearts to the Lord and saw over 100 people receive their healing. Following are some of those testimonies. Many testified to healing of stomach pain, headache pain, back pain, leg pain, ear pain, chest pain and fever. One person testified to having pain in the throat with trouble swallowing, but after receiving prayer, all pain was gone and she had no discomfort in swallowing. A woman testified to 3 months of pain in her abdomen being released. A mother testified on Monday night that after her young boy received prayer on Sunday evening, his fever and sickness left. A woman who had been deaf in both ears came forward and testified that, after the healing prayer was spoken over the crowd, she could hear clearly out of her right ear but only faintly out of her left ear. She received prayer again and complete hearing came to her left ear. God is good!

A mother testified that her son had not been able to see clearly and could not look at bright lights. After the prayer time, his vision was restored and he was able to open his eyes fully to look up at the lights without any discomfort. A woman who had been suffering from pain in her left leg for 3 months testified to no more pain. She can now stomp, put pressure on her leg, and walk normally. We also had several testify to being set free spiritually and emotionally from depression, from the spirit of death, from addictions and from demonic influences. One woman received healing from paralysis in her right arm. She came forward to testify and was able to move her arm with full mobility. One young man, very excitedly, testified to being delivered from Satan's hold and wanted to come forward and confess Christ and be saved. It was great to hear of at least four people who came forward to testify to receiving a healing but also, because of that healing, they wanted to become born again. They all prayed with Jamie and asked Jesus into their life. Praise the Lord! We also had a few people testify to how the Lord had been working in their lives, and their families' lives, since receiving prayer at the crusade last year. God does not stop working just because the visiting evangelist leaves. He is always there ready to meet the need. We are just the tools He uses to work through to show His love and power to those in need.



*Pictured above is the woman who was healed of paralysis.*



*Over 100 Pastors gathered for 5 Day Pastor's Conference at Bukoto Evangelical Church.*

Our team also had the honor to teach during several sessions of a 5-day Pastor's Conference hosted by Bukoto Evangelical Church for the 120+ rural churches that are part of the Bukoto Evangelical Church Rural Ministry. These sessions were a time of training, teaching and encouraging the Pastors in their work and ministry. Many do not have the education, resource material or the finances available to them like we do, so it was a privilege to be able to pour into the lives and ministries of these Pastors.

We also had the wonderful opportunity to meet with Pastor Moses, another ministry contact we have who also does ministry work in Kampala and surrounding areas. On our last Monday there, Pastor Moses and some of his staff took us to their church and one of the schools that the church operates. The school includes classes up to Primary 7. We were able to visit each class and

greet the students. Many of the students are either orphans or attending the school through sponsorship from other individuals because their families cannot afford to send them to school. In this area of Uganda, many children are not able to attend school because of the fees that have to be paid and most families do not make enough money to feed their families **and** send their children to school. In the past, we have taken gifts of donated Beanie Babies to give to the orphans and children. This year we had four different people from various churches in the U.S. donate over 150 Beanie Babies for us to hand out. What a blessing! We were able to distribute the animals, along with some other donated toys, to the younger children at the school. The picture at the right shows their excitement as they each received their gift. We thank you for your generosity and the kids thank you, too! The following day, Pastor Moses took us to another school out in the rural area. This school had 317 students in attendance from as far as a 2-hour walk away. After the visit to the school, we proceeded to a farm that his church operates to raise food for their schools and orphanages. They also sell the produce from the crops for income to help support these facilities. They raise corn, green beans, pineapples, banana trees, orange trees, cabbage and a few other plants.



God did many wonderful things during this trip and each one of us on the team was blessed to be a part of it. Thank you for your prayers!

**Mark 16:15-18** - *“Go into all the world and preach the good news to all creation. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned. And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands on sick people and they will get well.”* NIV