

**CROSSING BRIDGES, INC.
2020 ACTIVITIES REPORT
(Summary)**

Created for Board of Directors, February 10, 2021

MINISTRY DURING 2020

Negatives:

1. The planned ministry in Ukraine and Kenya for March 28–April 13, 2020, which was to involve teaching at Kremenchug Evangelical Seminary, disability ministry training in Kenya, preaching at Karen Community Church and/or King’s Ambassadors Church, and possibly seminars at Riara University, was cancelled because of the COVID pandemic. All actual, , hands-on, ministry was put on hold indefinitely.
- 2, Also cancelled because of the pandemic was the retreat for families dealing with disability scheduled for August, 2020.

Positives:

1. Ministry funds that would have been spent on travel were redirected to Eva Nyoike for support of the retreat families who were hit hard by the shutdown in Kenya. Eva and I are grateful for the Board’s allowing the funds to be used in this manner.
2. Eunice Powell was “voted” onto the Crossing Bridges Board of Directors.

OTHER MINISTRY-RELATED ACTIVITY:

1. Having to stay relatively isolated because of the pandemic enabled David to fast-track his way to completion of the requirements to earn a Doctor of Practical Theology degree from Master’s International University of Divinity (Evansville, IN). He continues to serve as director of the special needs ministry component at Master’s.
2. David continues to serve on the Pacific Northwest Regional Advisory Board for “All Belong: Center for Inclusive Education”), although that group has been relatively inactive with the school closure.
3. David is working (slowly) on a forth book, tentatively titled “Looking at disability through the eyes of Paul.” The focus in primarily of Paul’s two epistles to the Corinthians, but draws on other relevant passages from the Old and New Testaments.

Thank you for your faithful support of Crossing Bridges. Please continue to pray for the families in Kenya that we serve along with our ministry partners, Eva Nyoike, Lazarus and Locye Omusula, and Margaret and Jackson Wangombe.

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