



Alliance For Life International[©]

A Report from Uganda

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Dear friends of the Alliance,

Greetings from Uganda. We hope you are well and prospering in all things in the Lord. I find that He is our only hope for He is ever present in our adversities.

The June Covid spike is decreasing and so are the restrictions. We can now travel as needed in private cars. Public transport has reopened also but not fully. This time, the population was very involved in pleading for reopen.

We closed our office in mid-June. We plan to move to Gayaza when our new duplex is ready. I am happy to share that our private electrician is installing commercial electricity. It is quite involved and expensive. The interaction between public and private sectors is challenging. Ivan, our property owner, called me this morning to choose tiles and flooring for the bakery kitchen. He was patient and accommodating as I was selecting from pictures he was sending on the phone. I teased him: you were raised with girls! Ivan is terrific; we have developed a good relationship during this planning season, interrupted by Covid. That is where I see God's blessings.

Emily and Nobert continue to work from home and often conduct our Radio program together. During the month of July, they addressed the Billings Ovulation Method, how the Pill works to prevent pregnancy, how to overcome depression and other mental health issues, and the management of family and children during lockdown. During the month of July, Emily found ways to meet her clients on an individual basis or on the phone. We find that couples need our services at all times and in all circumstances.

At this time, schools are closed. It makes it challenging to reach the youth with our Abstinence-based education program. Teen pregnancy is on the rise. We must find ways to make a difference. Other organizations are under similar constraints. We just received an invitation to become a Founding Member of the Life and Family Coalition. Rev. Jonathan Opio from Human Life International is the Chairman. Our objectives: safeguard Uganda's laws and policies to protect children, life, and family. 2. Defend Comprehensive Sexual Education ban in Courts; protect the health and innocence of children, and many similar goals. Dr. Sandra Nabachwa

invited us to apply. We hope we are not too early in sharing our desire to join this coalition. Again, God was shining a bright light to expand our work in the midst of our difficulties.

The work of our Ad Hoc Committee has produced a beautiful and detailed document for our new Company by Guarantee without Shares. It shares our vision for the St Raphael Healing and Wellness Center Ltd. This company will seal our partnership between ALI-Uganda and Hoima Catholic Diocese. Our lawyer has spent many hours to file/register the new company. We are running into several problems on both sides. We are widening our circle as we ask for more help in resolving these issues. **“So our eyes are on the Lord our God, till we are shown favor (Psalm 123:2b).”**

A member of the St Raphael Committee sent me this short video clip of a child struggling to accomplish a task. It is important to finish well. I hope it ministers to you as it did for me.



struggling child.mpeg

Your financial support would be such an encouragement at this time. Besides our normal operating expenses, we need to meet the costs of filing our document. The architect fees are pending as he is finishing up his drawings for construction. If you are not a Founding Member yet, this would be a wonderful time to join our effort. No matter the obstacles, we are still planning to start the construction for the children's facilities in September. We believe God will make a way for all of us.

We wish you well, until next time. May God richly bless you...

Louise Allard
President/founder



Emily is teaching the BOM



We remember our calling: to serve the least of these so that they survive and thrive