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## The Kuwaa Mission Prayer Letter

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#### Mission Leadership Changes Hands

Leadership of the Kuwaa Mission changed hands early January 2011. Rev. Dr. Dick Thompson who was the CEO decided he could serve the Mission more effectively as Board Chairman while attending to some health concerns. It was in light of this that Rev. Dr. D. Jensen Seyenkulo, the Board Chairman, was asked to serve as CEO.

In addition to becoming the new CEO of the Mission, Dr. Seyenkulo also agreed to become the first full time volunteer missionary for the Mission.

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When asked what his plans were, Dr. Seyenkulo, a Kuwaa man, used a Kuwaa parable, "One plaits the new mat on the format of the old.' We are not going to deviate too far from the good leadership that my predecessor has provided.



Dr. Thompson's love for the Kuwaa people is something to be envied. He has brought an incredible amount of energy to this Mission because his heart is with the people he calls my brothers and sisters. That is the old format upon which we will endeavor to build this Mission.

It means we will operate from the point of love for the Kuwaa people." Dr. Seyenkulo said. ♥

### In the Jungle Again



We cannot get enough praises in for the many ways in which the Kuwaa Mission has been blessed. The Mission has a twin blessing in the gifts of our short term missionaries, Stan Olson and Cindy Ellis. Stan and Cindy are presently in Liberia digging wells, training villagers, building latrines and building a clinic in the jungle. These dedicated servants were in

the jungle 2010 and they are there again on behalf of the mission. Please keep Cindy and Stan in your prayers. ♥



We are Thankful for:

Members for the Board, Wheat Ridge Ministries Bethany Lutheran Church, Chris Kowula – the field director, Lisa Dunk. Our new Board director Cindy Ellis Stan Olsen Our Partner Churches: Abiding Savior - Lake Forest, CA Central Lutheran – Anchorage, AK Christ Lutheran – Anchorage, AK Christ Lutheran - Costa Masa, CA First Lutheran – Aitkin, MN Lord of Life Lutheran – N. Pole. AK River of Life – Peter's Creek, AK Salem Lutheran – Chicago, IL Trinity Lutheran – Palmer, AK Trinity Lutheran – Park Forest, IL Churches that are not yet partners but continue to support the Mission Individuals and families who partner with us in some way.

#### Please pray for:

The Kuwaa people Support for the Mission Our new leadership Support for our full time missionary Safe travels for our volunteers Safety of our workers The health of our Board Director Wheat Ridge Ministries and All of our partner churches. ♥