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Location: **Nairobi, KENYA**

Mission: **Christian education**



Asante sana!

In Swahili this simply means “thank you very much!” I am grateful to all of you who came to the services and meetings in March, and to those who took time out to catch up over coffee. Thank you for your interest in the family and the church team I’m involved in here in Kenya. Thank you very much for listening and for praying. What a great blessing and encouragement you are!



Ballycarry Midweek 2023

A Crisis and a Truce

The soaring cost-of-living crisis experienced in Kenya and election rigging claims, have fuelled two weeks of anti-government demonstrations all over the country. Thousands of protesters took to the streets resulting in violent running battles with the police. There was destruction and looting of property in the capital city of Nairobi. In one slum, both a mosque and neighbouring church were burnt. At least five people have been killed and 400 injured during the clashes.



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Pressure has been mounting from local groups as well as the international community for President William Ruto and the opposition leader - Raila Odinga, to meet for talks. We thank God that the planned demonstrations for Monday 3rd April were put on hold while the two sides met to dialogue over the issues. Pray that this temporary truce will bear fruit and a lasting solution may be found.

Rainy season

After a prolonged dry spell, the rains have come bringing hope of an early maize harvest in July. This harvest is so important because it provides Kenya with its staple food. Maize kernels are mixed with beans to make a traditional stew called Githeri, while Ugali comes from boiling the ground maize flour to make a savoury ‘cake’ that is eaten with vegetables or meat. Next time you sit for a meal, please pray for the harvest in Kenya.



Kenyan food

Prayer Points

- “...I will send down showers in season; there will be showers of blessing.” Ezekiel 34:26
- Thank God for sending the rains and for ending the drought. Pray for all who have recently planted, that they will have a bountiful harvest this season. Remember all who are hungry at this time, asking God to provide for their needs.
- Thank God for the opportunities during a brief home assignment to share my story with supporters and reconnect with family and friends.
- Please pray for the country of Kenya as its political leaders meet to dialogue and chart a peaceful way forward.