

Josh and Jenny Kidd  
& Family  
Serving God in Cape  
Verde , Africa



Josh & Jenny Anniv 6-24-00  
Carissa 12-18-04  
Elizabeth 9-01-08  
Robert 10-16-09  
Sarah 12-19-10  
Natalie 3-09-11  
Carver 5-02-12

Please pray with us as we begin to plan a furlough during the second half of 2026. If you would like us to stop by and update your church in person, please feel free to contact me.

This is the combined PREACH and Operation Renewed Hope medical team. I believe God's name was made known among the masses as a result of this mission.

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## An Update From The Kidd Family

Dear Friends and Co-Laborers in Christ,

For us, January started off with a bang! The first couple weeks were packed with making final preparations for a medical mission that PREACH hosted from the 20th to the 24th. Several PREACH team members came to assist with this project. Early in the morning on the 20th, a team of approximately 40 doctors, nurses, and technicians with Operation Renewed Hope arrived. We began with a time of orientation for both the medical group and us, and then organizing all the medicines and equipment. We held clinics 2 days in the interior with Primeira Igreja Batista de Pedra Badejo and then 2 days here in Praia with Igreja Batista da Sã Doutrina. I am very proud of my wife and children as they stepped up and filled gaps where needed. They were long stressful days full of challenges, but the blessings far outweighed the difficulties. During the 4 clinic days, approximately 1,200 people received medical care of varying types and all were personally presented with the saving Gospel of Jesus Christ. Around 40 people put their faith in Jesus Christ those days! Praise the Lord!! Please pray for the 2 churches as they follow-up with these folks in their new found faith in Christ. Also, please pray for the seeds that were planted in the others and that God would give the increase.

Templo Baptista em Mindelo is continuing well. Pastor Edson Silva is doing a good work of evangelizing the neighborhood around the church. He is also faithful with in-home Bible studies with different individuals and families. There are frequent visitors who are in the services. Please pray for him that he would not become discouraged as he has a challenging road ahead. The church has faced many trials over the years and he is tasked with essentially the restart of a church plant in a very spiritually dark area. When PREACH accepted responsibility for the church about 1 1/2 years ago, there were 3 members left. Now there are 6 faithful members in addition to Pastor Edson's family.

In early February I started experiencing various symptoms until one night I awoke with the worst pain I can remember ever experiencing. I tried to ignore it because "I don't have time to be sick" and frankly the medical care leaves a bit to be desired. But, a couple days later I did go see a doctor. After chasing doctors for several weeks, several exams later, and a few more pain attacks, they concluded that I need to have my gallbladder removed. There is a private clinic here that can do laparoscopic surgery. I am now just waiting for them to give me a date for the surgery. Lord willing, by the time many of you read this I will have already had the surgery. I do ask that you pray that this would resolve the issue and that I can return to the regular full schedule of ministry, for there are souls perishing.



In His Service,  
The Kidd Family  
Josh & Jenny, Carissa, Elizabeth,  
Robert, Sarah, Natalie, Carver  
John 3:30

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