



Grace Between Nations Ministries

**The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me
to proclaim good news to the poor.**

August 2019

Luke 4:18

News from Mali/ Nouvelles du Mali

DEAR PARTNER,

It has been quite a few months since you last heard from us! We are very delighted to share with you how our Lord Jesus Christ has been faithful and gracious to us in the past months.

I. REJOICE WITH US

- ◆ A peaceful and successful school year that ended on June 15, 2019.
- ◆ A school year closing ceremony with all our students, parents, teachers, city political & religious dignitaries was held to celebrate God's faithfulness and provision.
- ◆ There has been growing insecurity in the country of Mali and we are thankful for a peaceful & safe school year.
- ◆ Our 402 students, parents & teachers send each supporter a Great Big Thanks for your prayers and financial supports.



2. SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

- ◆ Great progress has been made in the construction of our three new classrooms.
- ◆ To date our new classrooms are 90% completed and we offer our heartfelt thanks for your support and generosity.
- ◆ The three new classrooms are currently being stuccoed.
- ◆ 7 new mango trees have been planted where the 3 new classrooms are under construction.



3. EQUIPMENT FOR THE NEW CLASSROOMS

- ◆ Thank you/merci for the targeted donations enabling us to purchase:
 - ◇ 20 new desks, 3 doors, and 12 windows



4. ADDITIONAL FUNDING NEEDS

- ⇒ \$3750 to connect water/electricity
- ⇒ \$2800 for 40 more desks and tables
- ⇒ \$2000 to paint the new building, classrooms, and toilets
- ⇒ \$1450 for toys & books to stock our library and kindergarten class.

5. PRAY WITH US

- ◆ To add Grade 6 in October 2019
- ◆ Enrollment of 500 students and the hiring of 3 new teachers this fall
- ◆ Security & success for our upcoming school year
- ◆ Salvation in Jesus Christ for our students and teachers.

Thank you! May the Lord Jesus continue to bless you, and your families, for what you are doing for us!

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