



**“In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.” John 1:4,5 NKJV**

## *His Light shall be for all men . . . His Love for all time*

The darkness of our world consumed in sin, at times, seems to grow more densely evil, as we witness the results of sin. Even as our culture grows darker, let us never forget that the Light of Life, Jesus Christ, burns brighter and pierces that darkness. The apostle John wrote, “He came unto His own, and His own did not receive Him. But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name.” Throughout the years, multitudes of children have given their lives to our magnificent Savior through Happy Day Club. The Light of His Love burns brightly through salvation!

During a recent teaching seminar, the candle illustration displayed here demonstrated many truths. As children accept Christ as their Savior and Lord, they have a lifetime ahead to live for and serve Him—what a unique opportunity, for they can greatly impact generations to come. They are the tall candle—their light shining brightly and burning longer. The shorter candle pictures adults coming to Christ—their time to serve is much less. God has drawn 80 volunteers to serve by “reaching boys and girls for Jesus” through our 19 Happy Day Clubs. Many of our wonderful teachers and helpers are growing “shorter” as they let their lights shine for Jesus—but they still carry His Light into very dark places. Dear friends, as Child Evangelism Ministries approaches our 70th anniversary of evangelism here in Elkhart and Lagrange Counties, will you “fuel us with prayer and fan the flame” as we breach the darkness with our Light of Life—our Savior Jesus Christ?

*Merry Christmas!*

Child Evangelism Ministries is blessed to partner with you to “pray, give and go” into our area with the message of loving salvation through Jesus Christ. We thank our Lord God for you and your families and we pray that your Christmas Season will become a worshipful praise to our Lord Jesus—who came to us as a child.



## Christmas Greetings from Team Togo

Our team of 4 men are beginning their Happy Day Club year teaching a Child Evangelism Fellowship series titled, "The First Christians". How blessed we have been that God's Word transcends cultures, revealing the Truth of Jesus Christ in these Bible lessons. Along with pictures of the team and their families are 2 other pictures of children.

Looking closely at their faces, we can observe how serious their lives are. The average age in TOGO is 19.5 years. TOGO is the 10th poorest country in the continent of Africa. Our mission field is "ripe" for the harvest and these children are responding! What better gift can we give than the message of salvation? We thank you, Heavenly Father, that your Son "came to seek and to save that which was lost" and they are being FOUND in TOGO, WEST AFRICA.



Togo boy in Happy Day Club

### Christmas Greetings from TOGO

Meet our team and families: from left, Alphonse Doussou, Rose Sadah, Jacques Sadah, Edith and Guy Sossoe, Yves Adjei.

In the front row meet their wonderful kids: Shalom, Eunice, and Ephraim Sadah and Abdias and Priscilla Sossoe



Togo children at VBS

You are cordially invited to attend "The Christmas Post" a musical set in the 1940's following World War II in mythical Homesboro, Indiana. Based on 2 beloved art works from Norman Rockwell, the audience is taken back to December 1947, meeting characters that need Jesus. Your family will enjoy a wonderful message and have the opportunity to bless our ministry and another through a freewill offering.

BRENNEMAN MEMORIAL MISSIONARY CHURCH

61115 SR 15 in Goshen

1 mile north of the overpass

# Presents The Christmas Post

A Dramatic Musical

by Deborah Craig-Claar and Robert Sterling

Friday, December 7th at 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, December 8th at 2:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 9th at 9:00 a.m.

No Admission Fee/No Ticket Required

A free-will offering will be received for

Ribbon of Hope

and

Child Evangelism Ministries



Christmas Greeting  
from Russell Cook



"Praise the LORD" Russell is doing fairly well now. Russell has battled severe issues with cancer since 2016 and many of you have faithfully prayed for both Russell and his mother. He still experiences side effects from the chemotherapy which has permanently affected his lungs, but other than that, he senses that things are good! Russell has also requested prayer for his mother, Beverly, who is also facing major health issues, but is doing as well as can be expected.

Russell is thankful to the Lord God for your care and continual prayer.



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