

*Dear Friends and prayer partners!*

*Greetings from Egypt!*

*I want to thank all of you for praying and for supporting for our Christmas party.*



## Prayer letter James Otomary, Cairo

March `15

### Christmas party

The Christmas celebrations for the children was one of the highlights, because of Gods wonderful creation: the children.

Due to security reasons the party was postponed twice. It eventually took place on January 9<sup>th</sup> from 12 to 3 pm. It was a special day for the children.

The program included worship & prayer, children's songs, hymns, games, competitions, talent show, good food, encouraging words shared by my pastor (David), challenge to follow Jesus, distribution of gifts and more prayer.

Nine teachers / volunteers were involved in leading the service, preparing the food and looking after the children. We bought 120 different gifts for the homeless children. There also was plenty of food for everyone.

Other than the children, 17 families from our church and 3 pastors from other Sudanese churches attended the party. One priest came up asking for blessing for his children's ministry and challenged the different churches to get involved.

- Please pray for the children ministry and enough support to meet all their needs.
- Pray for salary for our volunteers and teachers.



### Hanna

During the Christmas party my pastor spoke about Mathew 19:14 reminding us of the many children from South Sudan, Syria and other countries that have lost their parents. He asked Hanna to pray for them. Everyone listening was very deeply moved and touched by her prayer. All of us started crying. Suddenly many of the children got down on their knees, surrendering their lives to Jesus. Hanna is 11-years-old and attends our church. Her family has been living in Egypt for 13 years. Her father is an alcoholic and has abandoned the family. I got to know Hanna and her family in 2011. She has two sisters. Her mom cleans houses for a living and to send the girls to school.

- Please pray for Hanna and her family.
- Pray for the children who surrendered their lives to Jesus.



## Alexandria

In February, I went to Alexandria for two days to mobilize the Sudanese church for ministry. I met four pastors from different churches and discussed possible projects for the homeless children in Alexandria. There are about 115 orphans (from South Sudan) without a home. The meeting was very successful.

I keep thinking about the many children whom nobody cares about. I have many projects in my mind to help these children. I am praying and asking God for guidance and wisdom to do that which is beneficial to the children.

- Please pray for the churches in Alexandria. May God give them a heart and wisdom to minister to the children.

## My family

I am very grateful to have my family standing with me and supporting me in all I do. My wife, three sons and our adopted daughter Ka Ka are doing well. They helped me a lot with the Christmas party. All of them are a big encouragement to me. We live in a one room with a small lounge paying 1000 EPG every month. Since my sons are growing we are thinking about moving into a bigger house. Please pray for that.



**In Him was life, and that life was the light of men.**

**John 1:4**



### Please Pray for:

- Teachers salary every month
- Support for teacher workshop
- Bigger place for the children to meet
- Needed office supplies
- T-shirts for Children
- Musical Instrument (Organ)

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*Thank you for keeping us in your prayers and for your support!*

*God Bless You, James*