



The Little Church on the Lane

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Sierra Leone Ministry

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Greetings from the Sierra Leone Ministry Committee of Little Church on the Lane! It is with great excitement and a sense of urgency that we are contacting you concerning the latest news of the Moravian Church Mission Area in Luawa Yiehun, Kaihlun, Sierra Leone, West Africa.

We are excited to announce the completion of the construction of the Solar Power System for the Luawa Yiehun Moravian Secondary School. Our engineers at CM Wilson Solar in Candler, NC have designed an efficient system to light the school, power-up the computer laboratory, and provide for future expansion. Your contribution to this project is greatly appreciated by all students, their parents, and staff of the Moravian Secondary School. This success is truly a blessing from God. **At the close of April 2016, a container will be leaving Charlotte headed to West Africa carrying this solar electrical system to a village where no electricity exists.**

This presents us with a challenge, and hence, our sense of urgency...

A 40-foot container can be filled to its maximum with many, many more items! **Recent conversations with Mohamed Braima in Sierra Leone have revealed that there is a need for another vehicle to be shipped.** The condition of the roads is extremely rough on vehicles, and the last vehicle is showing signs of detrimental wear. Travel between the various churches, as well as transport for persons needing medical attention, demand the need for safe transportation. By upgrading to a 40-foot container (and maximizing the increased interior space), the forthcoming shipment will provide an opportunity to send another vehicle to the Mission, while being good stewards of the shipping funds which were raised in conjunction with the Solar Power initiative. Funds and/or needed items must be collected *quickly* to completely fill the 40-foot container shipping at the end of April. You can help maximize the shipment to Sierra Leone!

Will you join us in this urgent requirement? There are three methods through which you can help reach the maximized-shipment goal:

1. Provide funds for the purchase of the vehicle
2. Provide funds for purchasing requested items on the enclosed list
3. Purchase or donate requested items on the enclosed list (See Note)

NOTE: If you are in the Winston-Salem area and wish to donate physical items to ship in the container, Fairview Moravian Church has graciously accepted the task of Drop-off Point. Please contact Fairview during office hours to discuss dropping items to be transferred to Charlotte! Fairview Moravian Church (336) 768-5629.

Financial donations and/or donated items must reach Little Church on the Lane in Charlotte **no later than April 23, 2016.** Please contact Little Church on the Lane (704-334-1381) for further information, or you may e-mail the Sierra Leone Ministry Committee representatives at jeffreyfulp@msn.com. Your partnership in filling the container is much needed and appreciated by the all in the Mission Area, which has spread to include three churches. God is growing His Kingdom in Sierra Leone; let us all join Him in His magnificent work!

In Jesus Christ,

And for Mohamed and Safiatu Braima, Missionaries of the Moravian Church

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