Prayer points for the Nigeria ACU (Africa Christian University) Project:

It is hard to believe it was just four years since signing the project MOU with the people of Imala. This is a good time to “remember” what God has done; to be thankful as we pray (Phil 4:6). I have summarized a few things to remember:

Securing Land with agriculture – initial developments in early stages:  Imala families have provided close to 5000 acres to the project. Land is being cleared and cassava planted using three larger tractors. A goat breeding farm has been started. An area has been designated for the specialty hospital area and the first estate.

Higher education programs underway: Providence Academy opened in November 2019 (including solar power) with a vocational program in agricultural management in partnership with STAR University. A distance learning media program started in June 2020, with students in Imala and Lagos, leveraging our new high-speed internet. The academy includes a training farm (with crops and various animals, see picture of our growing piglets below) has internship programs with a block making business and a small garri processing plant (first packaged garri for online sale shown below).

Other Highlights: A prayer mountain is in the center of our activities and community-wide prayer sessions are a key priority. CDF provides various community programs in the areas of leader training, health, and children’s education. God has provided talented staff, missionaries, and volunteers (including missions teams) and strong and effective relationship with the community and their leaders.

Please continue to pray for Nigeria regarding COV19, specifically for government officials to have wisdom and for peace within the communities despite the hardship. We continue to raise funds to help during this crisis. We have distributed food to the poor through our staff and various pastors in Imala, Central Lagos and Lekki. Updates with photos can be found on the Gofundme site (link shown below). We have also supported community awareness programs as shown in the pictures below. We encourage everyone to help the poor at this time and, if so led, to contribute to our campaign.  https://charity.gofundme.com/o/en/campaign/covid-19-feeding-nigerian-poor1

This Month’s PRAYER REQUESTS, For

- Several promising discussions with potential new partners that could help us make significant progress.
- Continued health of our staff and volunteers: for the threat of COV19 for those working in our agricultural programs and for endurance for those anxiously waiting to get back to work!
- For funding for our ongoing programs and for our dormitory project. (if you need more information on any of our programs or how to contribute in USD or Naira, send a response to this email).

We are thankful for those joining us in prayer; pursuant Ephesians 6:12, we are in a spiritual battle that can only be won through prayer! We ask especially that you pray for those that can to pray with us on the 20th of each month.

Thanks for your prayers,

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