

# THE CHILANDO FAMILY

## Zambia

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| <i>Location:</i>   | <b>Southern Africa</b> |
| <i>Population:</i> | <b>13 million</b>      |
| <i>Language:</i>   | <b>English/Bemba</b>   |
| <i>City:</i>       | <b>Kitwe/Ndola</b>     |
| <i>Mission:</i>    | <b>Church Planting</b> |
| <i>Support:</i>    | <b>\$4,500</b>         |
| <i>Raised</i>      | <b>50%</b>             |



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## "ZAMBIA! THE REAL AFRICA"

### DEAR PRAYER PARTNERS

Praise the Lord that in four and a half months of fulltime deputation we are at 50%. With God nothing is impossible. We thank you greatly for your prayers.

### The Open Door

"Never walk through a door that God did not open". I have had to remind myself of this as travel on deputation. It is so easy for us to try to make God agree with our desires. The Lord has led, he has provided and opened the doors for us.

### Home

Over the course of five months we have been home in El Paso a total of three weeks. There is certainly no place like home. Jen often speaks of how she misses cooking in her own kitchen and certainly makes the most of it when she gets to go home. We have come to realize what the deputation process does, -prepares the family for life abroad. Another adjustment has been home school. We are yet to get into a routine and I am sure as soon as we get into one it will be time to move. We are thankful for our home, our children and the call to do the work of the Gospel.

### Travels

We have travelled 30,000 miles in 4 ½ months. Oklahoma seems to be our temporary residence. We have had some fantastic meetings there and still have more lined up. We are looking forward to our meetings in the northern states this summer. We have made wonderful friends and have been greatly blessed and spoiled.

### Deputation

We have added four more supporting churches in the months of May and June. We are excited as the reality of life on the field becomes more evident. It is possible that we could be done with deputation before our targeted date. As a Pastor friend said to me, 'maybe the Lord wants you there soon for something'. Scary thought if you ask me.

The Lord is good all the time. " Faithful is He that calleth you, who also will do it". Please continue to pray for us as we head north this summer.

*By God's Grace*

*Martin and Jennifer Chilando*

*1 Cor 15:58*

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