

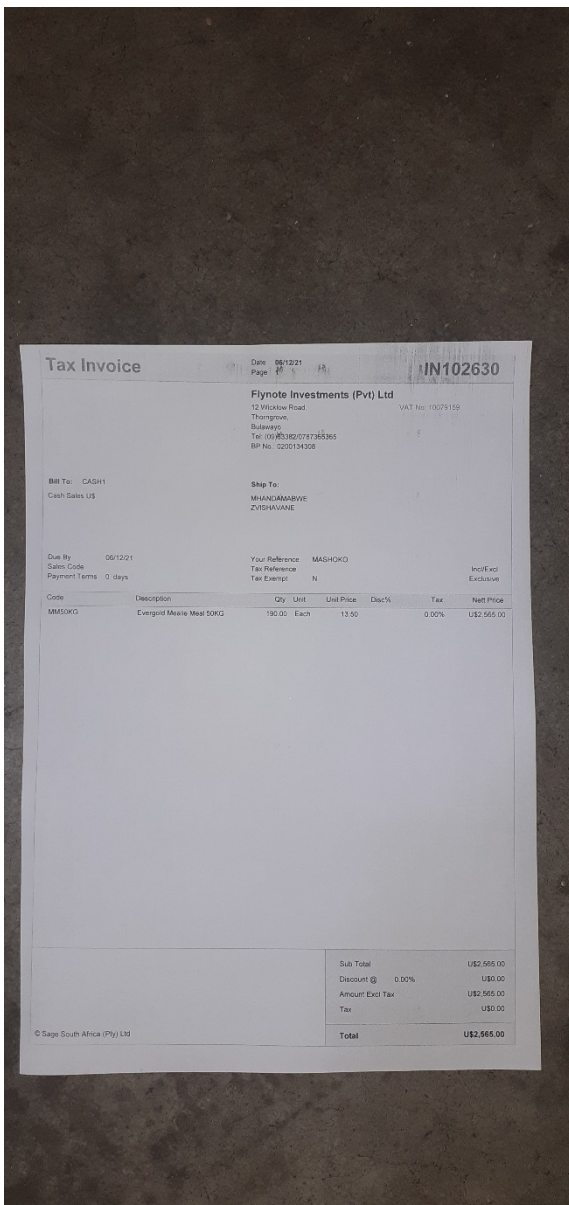
Dec. 12, 2021

Dear Brethren

I greet you in the name of our Lord saying how are you, your families and KSR brethren? It is my hope that all are doing well. We are doing well here in Zimbabwe. I present the following report of the relief funds KSR sent recently.

I collected **\$4,100** meant to buy food for the rural brethren for the usual four congregations namely Masunda, Chitowa, Bera and Ruware. The other two congregations that I have reported on recently namely Zvamahande and Mberengwa Office are not yet being considered for the relief. They have to prove over a couple of months that they are dedicated then maybe in the future we will see.

We bought 190x50kgs bags of mealie meal at the total cost of \$2,565 from the same Bulawayo milling company we bought from in September.



We got a better price than he offered last time. He gave a discount of \$1 per bag. In September we paid \$14.50 per 50kg bag, but this time we paid \$13.50 per same quantity. Our transport cost was constant at \$900 for the hired truck and \$200 my fuel. Our private transporter issued no receipt and we did not have to create our own. That gave us a total of $\$2,565 + \$900 + \$200 = \underline{\underline{\$3,665}}$.

In my November report, I mentioned two sisters from Chitowa who recently underwent surgeries. They are recovering well but are still having to make several visits to the local clinic for check-up. The sisters are Vudzisayi Zvidavo whose womb was removed and Moreblessing Chigogora whose appendix was removed. We gave them \$100 each to help them buy small surgical needs as they are still to visit the clinic for check-ups. Moreblessing's stiches were removed on Thursday but the wound is still to be monitored closely. Vudzisayi who was required to visit the local clinic for dressing after every two days is required to visit the doctor on the 15th for further instructions.

BELOW: Vudzisayi Zvidavo



BELOW: Moreblessing Chigogora



If we add \$200 that was given to these two sisters to \$3665, we get **\$3865**. Our grand amount was \$4100-\$3863= **\$235**. Reason and Benjamin were given \$100 each for their always

required labour during the distribution. The **\$35** remaining was used for refreshments and phone airtime. That brings our balance to **Zero**.

We travelled from Bulawayo escorting the truck carrying the mealie meal on Monday 6 December in the evening and the distribution was done the following day. This was on a school day. All Christian children who were supposed to get mealie meal were in school hence you will notice bags that are standing without a person behind them in the attached pictures. We distributed at Masunda first.

BELOW: *Masunda brethren and their mealie meal*



From Masunda we went to Chitowa.

BELOW: *Chitowa brethren standing with their mealie meal*



From Chitowa we went to Bera and Ruware.

BELOW: Bera brethren and their mealie meal



BELOW: Ruware brethren and their mealie meal



On Saturday December 11, I met with Bera and Ruware brethren for a special study they had requested. They asked me to teach the main differences between the Old and the New Testaments. The brethren gathered at one place which is the usual meeting place for Bera. We had the study from 9 am until around 1pm and we dismissed.

BELOW: Bera and Ruware members who gathered for the study.



Today, Sunday December 12, Reason Bwatikona, Ishmael his son and myself drove from our village to Mberengwa a distance of over 80 kilometres. We were to meet with the newly started congregation which I mentioned in my November report. In the bible class, I taught the commonly referred to as acts of worship. These new Christians needed such a teaching. In the service, I preached from 2 Timothy 1&2. I emphasized Timothy's faith which was heavily influenced by his grandmother and his mother. He was given instruction by Apostle Paul to share the faith with faithful men who were to also share it with others. I then encouraged these new brethren that they also needed to know that only those who run according to the rules will get the accolade. After service I parted ways with Reason and his son who were jumping onto public transport going back home and I drove back to Bulawayo. I am home safely.

BELOW: Mberengwa Office brethren after worship. I am standing to the left with raised hand.



SUMMARY OF RELIEF

Number of beneficiaries	190
Total cost of mealie meal	\$2565
Hired truck to transport mealie meal from Bulawayo	\$900
Fuel for my car	\$200
Other needs (<i>labour and medication</i>)	\$400
Airtime/refreshments	\$35

Amount of mealie meal to each individual **50kg**

Mealie meal approximately will last until mid-March 2022.

Beneficiaries drawn from: Masunda, Chitowa, Bera and Ruware

Thank you, brethren, for the love you have shown through the past years to the brethren in Zimbabwe. We are grateful and the brethren from the above congregations are thankful. Reason and Benjamin have written their usual thank you letter which I have attached.

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Greeting in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. How are you and all the saints.

Brethren benevolence funds of \$4100 have been received and used as usual. There has been some changes in numbers in our congregations due to their growth.

Chitwa 48 each getting 50kg
Masinda 47
Bera 61
Ruvare 34

We would like to thank you so much for your great love. God bless you

In Christ

Benjamin Muvondoni



Reason Busatitana



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