

November 2013 Japan, Riga, South Sudan, Greece

The *Bible Companion* readings for this Sunday include Hebrews 6 and 7 and there's an MP3 about this chapter at <http://www.aletheiacollege.net/audio/heb67.mp3> .

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at <http://aletheiacollege.net/archives.html> ; *Carelinks Bible Radio* is at <http://r-b-c.org/listen.php> ; and God willing, we have our live video link service in English this Sunday at 08:00 a.m. GMT - you can view direct at www.carelinks.net [scroll down to the video screen] or if you want to make comments and participate in live chat, use <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/biblecenter> . You can view recordings of previous sessions at www.youtube.com/CarelinksMinistries

SOUTH SUDAN

Brother John Aldersley has now safely returned from his trip to South Sudan, many thanks for all your prayers. He visited brother Joseph in Aweil, and gave talks about our basic doctrines- the Kingdom coming on earth not in Heaven, the human nature of the Lord Jesus, hell being the grave, Satan not existing as a personal being etc. Here's brother John in the meeting place erected by br Joseph using local materials from trees, with most people sitting on the dirt floor, wearing a wreath prepared for him by the sisters there:



John was able to baptize a number of people there, including not only local South Sudanese people but also some workers from **Uganda** living there:



We have mentioned in previous reports how very difficult things are in South Sudan. Overland travel by road is impossible as much of the country outside the towns is in rebel hands, and the roads are broken down. So the only way is to fly. John flew there OK- there is literally a field [without tarmac] where the planes land, literally an air field. Here's brother Joseph with John's plane on the field:



However, flying out was a huge problem, flights are cancelled, planes crash or break down, or there are issues with rebels. John was delayed some time in Aweil which meant he couldn't get to his next stop in Malakal for some days. This was one of those things where one deeply wonders why God allows things like that to happen- because as people had come some days journey by boat on the river Nile and other rivers to Malakal in order to have more Bible teaching and to be baptized. But brother John didn't arrive. Some of them left after waiting a day or so for him. Eventually brother John did arrive there and met with two contacts who had faithfully waited for him, and of course with brother Amos. John and Amos got along great and had much one to one discussion and fellowship. In the bigger picture, this was all good because by the end of some days together, brother Amos now feels confident to baptize people himself. This has

great implications for the work in South Sudan. Here he is [far right] with the contacts:



There are contacts Amos now feels confident to visit and baptize but the cost of travelling within South Sudan is huge. He needs ideally around \$1000 for the trip in mind, which will involve chartering boats as well as flights. Amos is a 3rd generation in the Truth, having grown up in the Bungoma, **Kenya** ecclesia with faithful parents, Joshua & Rosemary Kisuya. He has a good knowledge of the Truth. Let us know if anyone is interested in donating to support our brother in this. You can wire the funds direct to him if you wish, or donate via Carelinks.

Again the flight from Malakal to Juba was cancelled, and John very nearly missed his international flight out of Juba back home. But again and again the Lord's grace and Angelic operation was apparent in marvelous ways. We give thanks that the Gospel is spreading to the very ends of the earth and the borders of civilization- literally, in the heart of darkest **Africa**.

GREECE

Continuing this theme of local brethren taking more responsibility, we're delighted to announce the baptism of an Iranian, MEHDI, in Athens, Greece- he was baptized by the other Iranian brethren there:

"Dear brethren, Today we had great meeting together and baptised new brother Mehdi Zarei .i'm sending you some picture about today and some information to introduce him to you.

He is a Iranian of 30 old year years. and he was in our meeting about 11 months.and he was in prison because of paper here for 8 months and we went to visit him and give him books with brother John galbraith and sister erica galbraith in prison. after after freedom he lives with me and rafael and amir in same flat. and he was in our meeting, and bible reading program.

In understanding the Bible in accordance with Christadelphian faith had progress.

you are always in our prayers. With love to you all in Jesus our Lord, God be with you and bless you All"



RIGA

Pleased to tell you of the baptism of VIKTOR, husband of sister Valentina, who's pictured greeting him here in the photo:



JAPAN

We have mentioned several times the contact we have in prison in Japan, originally from New Zealand, who did all the answers to Bible Basics and is asking for baptism. Please continue praying for her and for the visit being arranged to her. As you can see from the following written

to sister Helen, she is in a difficult environment and working hard all day:



With love from your brothers and sisters of Carelinks