

Dear Supporters,

May 2021

Many greetings in the Lord Jesus.

Now that we are based in UK, you will recall that Rachel and I proposed the idea of using your gifts directly to support Bible Translation ministries in Tanzania. I would love to update you all briefly on developments that are now moving forward thanks to your partnership and prayers.

Main Points:

- There are two people-groups in southwest Tanzania that especially need your prayers and support at present : **Nyakyusa** (a million speakers) and **Ndali** (300,000 speakers).
- Following publication of the New Testament in both these languages, the churches have set up and are managing their own Bible Translations organisations. The Nyakyusa organisation is called AMBOBA (which stands for *Life and Work of the Nyakyusa*); while the Ndali organisation is called UFUNUO (which means Revelation)
- AMBONA and UFUNUO have some specific needs as they begin their ministries. The following are some examples:
 - AMBOBA is starting up two shops in different towns from which Bibles and other literature can be sold. UFUNUO also hopes to open one shop in June. To rent a small shop costs £20 per month, and to pay someone to man that shop is £60 per month.
 - When the Bible-sellers arrive in a village they need Speakers and megaphones to call all the locals to come and get Bibles and to play the audio scriptures for everyone in the area to hear. Speakers cost £180 each and megaphones £15 each.
 - Travel to the villages is often difficult and expensive. So much more could be done with motorbikes. These would enable a much broader distribution of Bibles more efficiently. One costs £900 and should last for many years.
- At present, these organisations do not have any source of funding for any of these projects, although we at Wycliffe Bible Translators are able to help them in training and other practical ways, short of financial assistance.
- Over the next year, both AMBOBA and UFUNUO will be looking to build themselves up to a place where they can partner with a variety of funders. They want to:
 - Open up offices from which to base all their work
 - Put together funding proposals for Old Testament translation, which would enable the ministries to grow and prosper for the next 3-4 years.
 - Start employing 2 or 3 workers full time who can carry out translation work and travel around churches teaching.

There is enormous potential among these people groups, and these new Bible Translation organisations are all ready to go. We would like to use your financial gifts to directly support this work through the examples I mentioned.

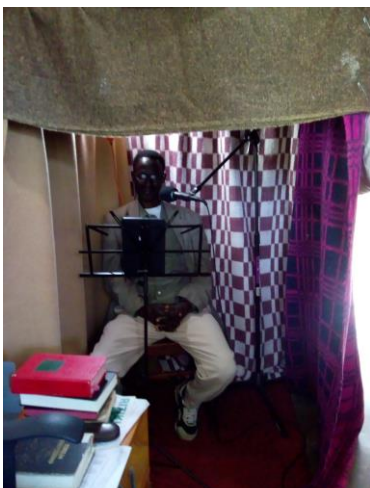
Please be in touch with us to let us know your feelings and thoughts. If there are particular projects you'd like to support, or if you have any other ideas how you'd like your gifts to be used, please do let us know.

All gifts should continue to be directed as before, via Wycliffe UK and assigned to Daniel & Rachel King. You shouldn't need to change anything in this respect.

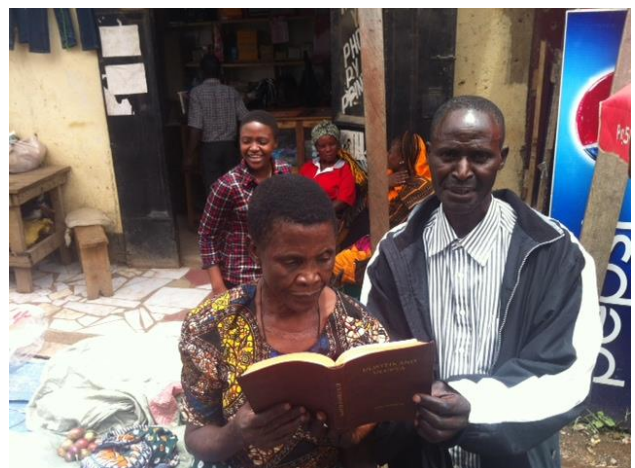
Your gifts are a great blessing to many . Please pray that it bear much fruit for the Kingdom,

Yours in Christ,

Dan King



Recording the NT into audio format



Nyakyusa NTs sold in the market



A local Scripture-checking session



Taking a box of NTs to a village by motorbike



Typical Ndali Village