

Dear Friends and Supporters,

What a tremendous launch of the Highlands Tanzania youth camp. In three camps 1,133 campers and 106 volunteer workers came from five regions of the country. Ninety-four youth responded in the first camp, 70 in the second, and 36 in the third for a total of 200 campers giving their life to Christ. Many other decisions were made as well.

These camps are not church camps, but rather evangelistic camps targeting lost Secondary School aged youth. Kids of all different faiths and lifestyle come to the camp, most with addictions, hangups and hopelessness. Every facet of camp is designed to show them Christ's love and bring them to the place where they acknowledge their need for the Savior. The seminar services build upon one another, beginning with teaching on moral principles, then showing how no one can measure up on their own. Finally, campers are introduced to the One and Only who is able to deliver them from their fallen condition and connect them with their Creator. The theme "R U Connected?" was simple, to the point, and effective.

All 200 who made salvation decisions are being followed up by our local church leaders. Please pray that they will immediately take steps forward in their new walk with Christ. One of our churches reported that 50 youth from the camp came to the Sunday services this past weekend!

Thank you for your prayers and support to make the camps possible. Already we are making plans to train more youth workers and then target new schools for our second round of camps next June.

For more photos, go to the Highlands Tanzania Picasa Web

link: <http://picasaweb.google.com/highlandstanzania>

For an 11 minute video of the camp highlights, go to the YouTube

link: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nDXzK8S-PUo>

Yours in Tanzania,

Dave and Bonnie Jones