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Saturday/Sunday Update, May 25 & 26, 2019

First off on Saturday, our driver (Christopher Kamanda) woke up not feeling well. He and Emmanuel went to a clinic in Kamuli and confirmed that he had malaria. They gave him an injection that morning and another that evening and then one more on Sunday morning. After church he felt much better and was able to drive us back to the guest house. Due to the traffic, it took about 6 hours.

All of the day Saturday was spent visiting (pastoral and evangelistic) and we were received warmly at each and every home. I can only imagine twenty-five American's sitting on a front lawn listening to a guest preacher speak.

On Sunday morning, Edward Sebbunza (an electrician by trade and a church elder) taught the adult Sunday School class. Samuel Earnest, oldest son of George Yawe, taught the children.

The church building, actually just a Sunday School wing, but the only part of the structure with a roof, was filled to capacity with half again as many who were inside, sitting outside. The service began around 11:00 and I started to preach a little after 1:00, but this is Uganda. People matter, not time.

Below are photos for the day. One shows Pastor Agaba in edge of photo and Dave (church leader) presenting a Bible to the 71 year old who confessed Christ on Friday. There are two photos of the folks preparing to eat following the service.

I was struck again about how big an issue water is when at one of our visit, a teenage girls came up pushing her bicycle with 4 jerrycans (about 20 gallons) of water. The well about a mile down the road. The family had lost a six year old son the week before. I never did find out why but was told he had issues since birth.

There is a large sugar factory at Kiroba and this morning there were over 100 large trucks loaded with sugarcane waiting to enter the plant where they process the cane. Quite a site to see.

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