

THE PUBOLS POST

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God.
 -Colossians 3:16, NIV

ON THE ROAD

Wycliffe Associates Banquets

In April and May we traveled in Florida & California (together), Southeast Asia (Heather), New York (Jeff) and Massachusetts (Jeff). We did short presentations about our ministry at fifteen Wycliffe Associates banquets in three states. More than 1000 people heard our personal testimonies of how God led us to missions and had an opportunity to join our team of ministry partners.

At the end of each banquet, we enjoyed the chance to answer questions about Wycliffe and direct individuals to ways they could be involved in ours and Wycliffe's ministry. It was especially fun to talk with people who



Cocoa Beach WA Banquet. This was one of nine banquet locations in Florida where we spoke about our call to missions and our plans to serve in Kenya.

were discerning God's will for their lives and wondering if Wycliffe might be a career option for them.

Going back to some of these places helped us reconnect with friends and family who were along the routes. We also connected with some

current and possible church partners.

International Conference and Convention

For almost three weeks, Heather was involved in SIL International's* Conference and Wycliffe International's Convention (ICON08) in Southeast Asia. Representatives from SIL and Wycliffe's offices around the world gather together every three to four years for these meetings. The meetings include elections for new board members for

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Sunday worship at ICON. It was neat to experience worshipping God with a multi-national group. The directors of Wycliffe's organizations in Kenya and Burkina Faso are in the foreground.

each organization, organizational business, and a time to share vision and plan for the future.

Heather was invited (all expenses paid) to be part of the ICON media team and helped with powerpoint, audio, video and some photography. Many people were there who we will be working with in Africa. It was exciting to meet new people and learn about all God is doing through Bible translation and Wycliffe's plans for the future!



ICON Media Team. Luci Tumas, Carol Dowsett, Jane Pappenhagen, Heather Pubols, Ann Kuy, Oliver Kuy, David Ringer.

Dawn Kruger & Susan Van Wynen (not pictured)

NEW ACCOUNT NUMBER

In order to combine ministry income and expense data for both of us, this month we received a new a ministry account number from Wycliffe. Our new ministry account number is

219208

Please use this account number for all future gifts to our ministry. Our account number should not change again. If you have set up an electronic funds transfer (EFT), this change should happen automatically. If you've already submitted a response card, you do not need to do it again. If you have any other questions, please contact Wycliffe at 1-800-992-5433 (ask for receipting).



MAKING PROGRESS

We're excited that we now have 77% of the pledges for monthly finances. Praise God for His provision, and thank you for your generous giving! We're close to our goal, but we're not close enough to purchase our plane tickets to leave. Wycliffe requires that we not only have pledges for 100%, but also have it

coming into our account on a regular basis before we can plan to leave.

For this reason, we will be pushing our proposed departure back to November 30. Because our work visas were already approved to begin this summer, we are requesting an extension for them to begin on our later arrival date.

Enclosed is a new prayer card with our new account number. We can't go without your generous gifts and prayers. Would you prayerfully consider joining our team as a prayer partner or monthly financial partner? To join our team, simply fill out and mail the response portion of the card in the enclosed envelope.



Our colleagues are eager for us to begin. See what they have to say:

"The Africa Area administration is keen to see Jeff and Heather take up their assignments in Nairobi as soon as possible. There are a number of interested individuals ready to contribute to the communications task in Africa, and Heather is needed to provide leadership to form a communications team that will increase church support for the ministry of Bible translation in Africa. Jeff is also urgently needed to support the essential IT services for the operational center in Nairobi, which serves the region."

—Joel Trudell, Wycliffe International
Africa Area Director



"Contents Under Pressure are the words that come to mind when I consider the urgency of the need for Jeff and Heather Pubols service in Africa. The needs they are going there to meet, in both IT and Communications are huge! The potential for their impact in the Bible translation movement in Africa (and beyond) is also huge. On my last trip to Africa, numerous people asked, 'When will the Pubols arrive?' Computer service and communications strategy needs are going unmet. Stories of what God is doing in Africa are untold because we don't have the capacity to get the word out. Jeff and Heather will be able to help move this work forward. We trust God's timing to release His blessing and enable the Pubols to serve Him in Africa."

—Susan Van Wynen, Wycliffe International
Director of Communications



PRAISES & PRAYER REQUESTS

- Praise God for additional financial support
- Praise God for safe travels in the US and abroad
- Praise God for the opportunity to participate in Wycliffe Associates banquets.
- Praise God for opportunities to visit churches and see friends and family.
- Pray for more open doors for us to share about our ministry.
- Pray for God to connect us with new ministry partners.
- Pray for clarity for the people we have talked to that God may be leading to join Wycliffe.
- Pray that we will be granted an extension on our work visas.

▶ FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

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<http://www.wycliffe.org/Pray/PrayOn/HowtoPrayforMissionaries.aspx>

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