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- 1. We give thanks for the life of Pope Francis, and for his focus on the poor of the world. We pray that his successor will be similarly guided by Jesus' heart for the poor, and we pray too for CED that our values will be similarly aligned to Jesus' message of good news.
- 2. Dominic Stephen of PVDP Sindh Pakistan writes: "Need prayers of the faithful for peace justice and human rights in the suffering countries including Pakistan. May the poor and vulnerable be treated with justice and achieve well- being. Amen."
- 3. Uganda: Please pray for all the staff at Kuluva Hospital, especially Lamech, Stephen, Nelson, Collins, Johnson and Luke. Pray that they will be faithful in their work and will know God's blessing on them and on their families.
- 4. Uganda: Please pray for Philip Tibenderana in his work for CED and also in his work for the University of Kabale. Pray that he would know God's strength and wisdom in all that he does.
- 5. Tanzania: Ian Rankin will be visiting our six partners around Lake Victoria from 5th to 17th May. Please pray for safety over many hours in buses. Pray for good meetings and that we'll be able to put together some exciting/inspiring/envisioning video clips that will enthuse supporters and make the case for supporting our rainwater harvesting programme.
- 6. Tanzania: back in March we applied to the Matrix Causes Fund for funding for a refresher seminar for the leaders of the rainwater harvesting programme. Pray for success! Meeting together would help with quality issues and general revision of the technology as well as building up the team, but we do not have room in our current budget to include such a course without additional help.
- 7. Graham Miller writes:

"India: CED is assessing the potential for a new borehole which will be used by a community located in Kashmir. We have completed the desk top study and are assessing ground water yields from existing wells that are located near the proposed site. Pray that God will give us wisdom to make correct decisions as we proceed with this project."

"Engineering Ministries International (eMi): Graham and Anna are going to Cambodia and will be part of a project team run by eMi. Please pray for safe travel as we fly from London Heathrow on the 15th May and return on the 27th May."

- 8. Marga Jann writes: "Prayers please for wisdom in decision-making re. future paths and doors opening and closing as to where God wants me to serve Him best!"
- 9. Give thanks for a useful Tech Talk on 1st April which discussed the survey stage of site selection for wells. The next one is on Tuesday 6th May when we'll be looking at solar power. Please pray for Graham Miller and David Bookham as they prepare and for a good-size audience on the evening.
- 10. Give thanks for a great CED-wide Zoom last month which discussed five of our recent / ongoing projects. Feedback has been very positive.
- 11. Please pray for preparations for our fortieth AGM and Open Day, to be held in Christ Church New Malden on 4th October.

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