



A New Building for a New Church

Dear Pastor Tommy & Faithful Partners from
Third Baptist Church:

Wish you all a wonderful Thanksgiving!

About four years ago, Mada established his ministry in a small town, South of Khartoum city, Sudan. As an entrepreneur, he is engaged in Business as Mission. He has been running a coffee shop and driving an auto-rickshaw. Through these enterprises, Mada has been able to serve his community, build

relationships, and earn credibility in his community. God used his gifts to open many doors to share the Gospel with the people of his community. Several **people were baptized in the last few months, and a group of new believers was formed.** This group has been gathering at homes, under trees, and in the open fields for Bible studies and worship. **As the number of disciples increased, there has been an emerging need to have a building.** The purpose of this building is threefold:

1. Establish a place for worship;
2. Establish an educational center and regular public school for kids;
3. Establish medical services through a mobile clinic.



Regardless of not having a building to meet, the congregation is growing.



The area south of Khartoum is an undeveloped rural area and the community is struggling to have these types of services. This situation is not likely to change anytime soon as the political and economic crisis gets harder in Sudan. However, this is a God-given opportunity to help this community in this critical time in the history of Sudan. We are praying that this new body of believers becomes salt and light in its neighborhood through the services provided through this building. The governing authorities are less likely to persecute Christians if there is a solid building where they can meet inside!



Though funds are low, the construction of a Church building has started!



At the end of 2020, God provided some financial resources to Mada and his

congregation to buy a piece of land (1500m sq.) to serve this very purpose. This group is now at an early stage of a three-phase construction project:

- The first stage is to build the Worship hall.
- The second stage is building three classes for the Educational Center.
- The third stage is to organize/purchase a mobile clinic.

Please pray that God would enable us to raise the necessary funds for this amazing building project!

*Names have been changed for security reasons.