

Dear Prayer Partners,

We thank God for the time He has given us to minister to His people.

Ngqeleni Baptist Circuit has been without a pastor for more than fifteen years, but I thank God that at last we have someone to fill that position. We held the induction service at Bolotwa Baptist Church, and many people attended.

In July, a four-day workshop was held at Mt. Ayliff Baptist Church for all the churches in our area; I was the guest speaker. The meetings were well attended with people from all over the area. We were encouraged to live according to God's way, not our own. Some people came forward to recommit their lives to the Lord.

The young people had their youth rally at Mlengana Baptist Church. There was good attendance (more than 100) because of the holiday. The young people are thirsty for the word of God. Their biggest need is to have someone spend time with them.

We spent a few days in Rochdale during the month of July. God is doing a wonderful work for the people up there. Since we began with them, many things have been accomplished. Recently, God has provided us with a fence for the garden, a 5000 liter water tank and 200 meters of water pipe. Our aim is that the whole community will use the garden to plant vegetables. God has opened this door for us to reach the whole community with the message of salvation. The Lord has helped us so much since we started this work.

On July 23, I visited the Flagstaff Baptist Church in order to assist them in calling a new pastor. At this moment their church building is vacant, but they are continuing to pray for another pastor to come. Pray that they will not become discouraged as they await God's answer.

Thank you, brothers and sisters, for your prayers and financial support.

Sincerely in Christ,

Pastor Richard Seku



RICHARD SEKU
serving in **SOUTHERN KWAZULU**

PRAYER REQUESTS

- *Praise God for the new pastor at Ngqeleni Baptist*
- *Praise God for those who recommitted their lives at the workshop*
- *Pray that the youth will continue to hunger for God's word*
- *Pray that the garden in Rochdale will become a means to witness for Christ*
- *Pray that the Lord would provide a pastor for the Flagstaff church*
- *Pray for Pastor Seku and his family to grow in grace and strength in Christ*

The next generation
is ripe for the harvest.

