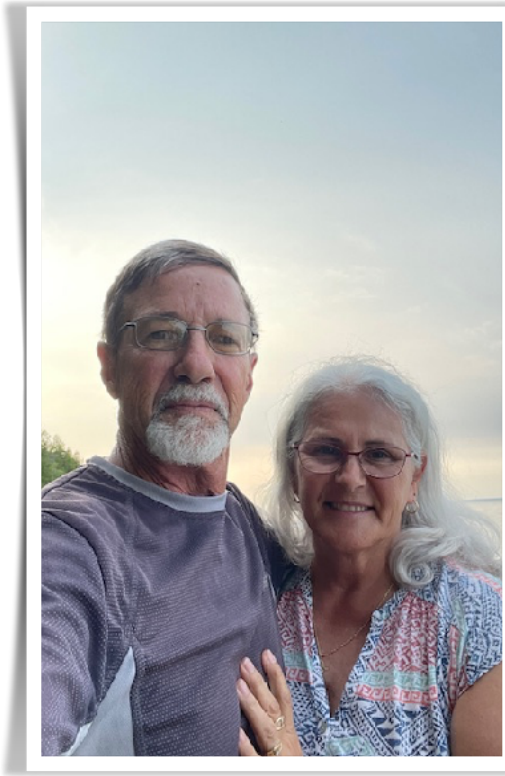


CARMICHAEL NEWS UPDATE

SERVING WITH AMBASSADORS INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES AND
THE PINES CHRISTIAN CARE CENTER FOR CHILDREN



As Summer 2025 arrives, Alana and I are in preparation for another trip back to The Pines.

We are currently in Michigan with our daughter Kimberly planning to fly from Detroit to Johannesburg on the 24th of June with a 10 week stay. We will be filling in for Randy and Kari Teachout as they return with their family for a short furlough and the renewing of their South African Visas. This will also provide a much needed time for us to reconnect with the staff, children and assess the current and future changes that may be needed moving forward. Alana



Recently in Thonotosassa, Florida

The Annual Summer Heat 5K Run/Walk took place. One of the beneficiaries was THE PINES. Thanks to Ryan and Melissa Shields for a great event and support of The Pines as well as our **Child Sponsorship program.**

Current needs:

- Roof repairs: \$8500
- Renovation of current apartments: \$7000
- A christian couple committed to serve and join our staff at The Pines.

will also be updating all of the children's sponsorship information for those of you who are currently sponsoring a child.

Much has changed at The Pines over the past year. New apartments are being built, children have been added to the group and 'The Pines farm' continues to grow and provide training and responsibilities for several of the children. Our young adults, some not so young any more, are busy studying or training for their future in hopes of a successful career.

- Wandile - accountant
- Lovemore - pastor
- Anna - nurse
- Lenard - mechanic
- Tshidiso - electrician
- Several others currently searching for their niche in life.

Please remain in prayer for:

- Our trip and time in SA
- The entire Pines family and current needs
- God's hand of protection in a volatile world

Serving together,

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