



NEWSLETTER 4

From the Highlands of Papua New Guinea (PNG)- A Season of Growth & Gratitude

Happy New Month, my dear Friends, and Supporters,

Warm greetings from the beautiful highlands of Papua New Guinea!

It's hard to believe that four months have already passed since my return to Mount Hagen. Time has flown by, and I wanted to share some updates with you on my journey and progress so far.

Settling down in Mount Hagen

Stepping into my new role as Finance Team Lead has been quite the adventure! I'm blessed to work alongside seven incredible local staff who bring dedication, heart, and joy to their work every day.

It's been busy - sometimes stretching – but also deeply rewarding. Together we've already celebrated a major milestone: completing the 2026 budget! Through it all, I've seen God's faithfulness guiding each step.



Finance Team (L-R: Brandon, Janet, Freda, Me, Dorothy, Cathy, Fidelma, Hardie)

Finding Refreshment in Kudjip

Following the busy season at work, I was able to get a well-deserved break at Kudjip in the beautiful Waghi Valley. Where I was greeted by breathtaking views, vibrant flowers, and abundance of fresh fruits and vegetables. It felt like I had stepped into a postcard with these amazing views.

Beyond the scenery, Kudjip is home to the Nazarene Mission Hospital, where over 60,000 outpatients are cared for each year. The dedication and compassion of the team there reminded me once again that God delights in using ordinary people to bring extraordinary hope and healing to others.

Each sunrise in this part of the world stirs my heart with Psalm 113:3 — “From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name of the Lord is to be praised.” Living in a place that sees the sun before much of the world, I'm reminded

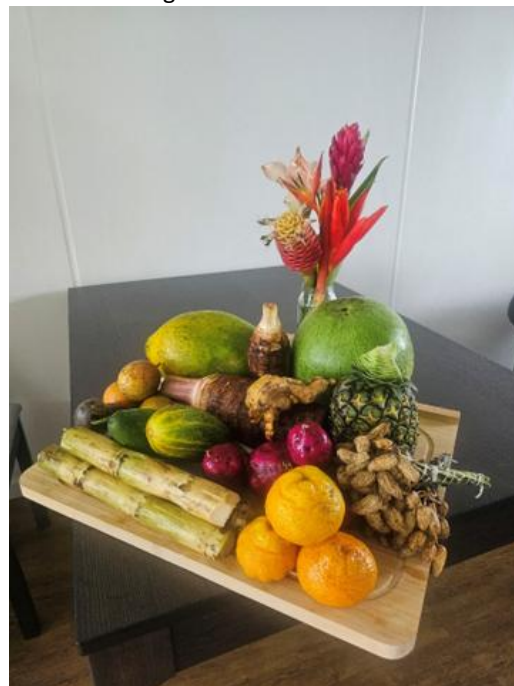
daily that God's glory reaches every corner of the earth- and what an honour it is to serve Him here through MAF.

Highlights from Kudjip

The rising and setting of the sun (images side by side)



Beautiful tropical and medicinal flowers including delicious fruits and vegetables



Small Moments, Big Reminder

Kudjip also has its own hydro dam, that powers the hospital and nearby villages. During my visit, I met Rachel and her daughter — local Papuans who shared how thankful they are for the clean water that allows them to bathe, wash and care for their families.

Their gratitude moved me deeply. It was simple but a profound reminder that what many of us take for granted can be life-changing for others. God truly works through the practical to reveal his heart.



Join Me in This Mission

This work is not something I can do alone – it is a shared mission between all of us. Your prayers, encouragement and financial support make it possible for me to serve here in PNG and for lives to be transformed every day.

If you feel led to partner with me financially, please visit my page at www.maf-uk.org/oduro to give a one-off donation or set up regular gift — monthly, quarterly, or annually.

Every gift, no matter the size fuels the mission and helps us continue to share God's love in tangible, life-changing ways.

Please Keep Me in Prayer

As I continue this journey, I would so value your prayers for:

- Our Finance Team – for strength, wisdom, and for the right people to join us in keys roles of Accountant and Finance Manager.
- Protection and Safety – over every staff member and flight operation.
- The Float Plane Programme – for pilots in training and the safe expansion of this vital ministry.
- Local Partnerships – that MAF continues building strong relationships and reaching isolated communities with hope in Christ.

Thank you sincerely for standing with me in this mission. Your prayers, messages, and faithful giving are what keep this work going. I am reminded that we are part of something far bigger than ourselves - a story God is still writing across the skies and mountains of Papua New Guinea.

With heartfelt gratitude and joy,

Patience xx