

The first step on this third phase of building the PT Center was to build walls in order to bring them to seal with the roof. This took about two weeks to complete.



The telephone mast can be seen in the background. PT has leased out a portion of land to this company and we will be earning an income that can supplement ministry resource needs.

Next we needed to level grounds both in front of the main block before we gather building materials, as well as level behind the building to prepare grounds for the toilets / bathrooms





The front of the building took this shape (above left) and the rear part took this shape (above right)



The final shape was after three days of work with the tractor (known as a wheel loader). It is hired per day at unique costs which are also influenced by scarcity of such equipment and the dear price of diesel



We started to bring in trips of stones (known as hard cored) to prepare the floor. The entire building needed tones and tones close to 30 trips to cover the floor. Men worked for many days ferrying the stones into the rooms and using sledge hammers to hit them into position. It was hard labor for them, but it was completed and the floor was now ready for concrete. We also spray chemicals at this stage to deal with termites which would otherwise remain active underneath the foundation.



The work of laying hardcore stones was complete in about one week and a half for all the rooms, the two corridors and the long stretch of our beautiful verandah. Grace can be seen in the background during our daily visits to the site.



Next, we gathered smaller stones (known as aggregates) to use for concrete making. It has been 18 trips of them to complete the entire building



In the meantime, we were seeking out, finding and negotiating with companies which could help in drilling a water source. We eventually signed a deal with WATCOM Ltd, and Moses can be seen on

our site (to the left) making a hydrogeological survey. It took about three days for them come up with a water source (to the right) where Grace is standing. As God arranged, this is within our land so we did not have to purchase elsewhere for this purpose.



This is the exact spot where a water rig will be constructed for drilling, which should begin in the two or three days (mid March). The deal is to supply and sustain 10,000 litres of water as reserve at any moment. Keep in prayer that 'the well works out well'.

Meanwhile, work on the floor continued and this time, pouring concrete within and over the stones



The work of mixing concrete and leveling the floor has been going on for days, covering portions of rooms each day.





The process of pouring and leveling can be seen (to the left) and the complete 200-seater room can be seen (to the right) complete. (the man kneeling is one of the builders, a Moslem who was praying at his hour of worship). A number of builders are from this faith and have had an opportunity to hear the Gospel while working on this project. Many are open and we keep in prayer for them.



Laying the foundation for toilets / bathrooms and raising the walls has been progressing for the last 10 days.



The toilet and bathroom design is in such a way that we have eight closets for each and a wider area for hand wash and tide up.



As of yesterday (March 11th) the wood work for the ring beam was being placed in position to make wall tops ready for the metal / concrete beam.



Zooming the PT hill top from the adjacent plain, we fore see that it already looks beautiful.

We are praying and trusting God to grant us the desire schedule of commissioning the PT Center on Friday July 11th 2014 and launching training of trainers (TOT) in August 2014. So we would love it if God allowed and enabled us to see the training program going this year.