

Dear Friends,

Heiney News, August 2007

Well, we are well into the swing of things here now. Our trip has been exciting so far. Katie and I did arrive in the US in June and we attended the Volunteer Coordinator meeting in Minnesota. It was a really good time of getting together, sharing ideas, learning and meeting fellow Coordinators from around the world. Now we just had to get Tim home.

Tim arrived finally on the 3rd of July, very happy to be home again and reunited with his family. It was a long stretch there. After celebrating the 4th of July with our family we prepared to head to Texas to the missionary gathering. The time in Houston was excellent as well and very encouraging for us after living through one of our toughest terms. We stayed a few days later and got to visit with some of our former coworkers from Ghana. There was non-stop talking and sharing and catching up. The time went all too fast. Our time ended with the opening of the Convention and we headed home to Michigan.

Time now to begin touring and speaking and touching base with supporters old and new. We will be moving Jonathan up to Michigan early in August. He has decided to go to school here and live with his brother and his cousin next year here at our house. It means we'll all be living here together for a while which will be a good time for us to touch base again and catch up on our lives for the past 2 years. It will be good to be a complete family for a time.

Below is a schedule of where we will be for the next few months. If we are speaking anywhere near you please feel free to drop in and see us! We will be returning to Guinea sometime in early November. Please pray for this time at home that it is a refreshing time and that we can find some time to relax and renew ourselves after these past two years. Pray for our traveling during the next few months and for the girls who will be doing school during this time.

We're looking forward to touching base with many of you these next few months and sharing stories together.

Love in Christ,  
Tim, Beth, and family

**"If you take missions out of the Bible, you won't have anything left but the covers" -- [Nina Gunter](#)**



At the Volunteer Coordinator meeting



The All Missionary Houston Summit, July 7-14

## Heiney Speaking Schedule - Furlough, 2007

Date	Place	City/State
August 5	Emmanuel Lutheran Church	Tell City, IN
August 12	St. Paul Lutheran Church	Monroe, NY
August 19	Grace Lutheran Church	Middletown, CT
Sept 8-9	Bethel Lutheran Church	Howard City, MI
September 15	St. Peters Lutheran Church	Humboldt, KS
September 16	St. Paul Lutheran Church (AM)	Coffeyville, KS
September 16	Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church (PM)	Olathe, KS
September 22	Messiah Lutheran Church	Emporia, KS
September 23	Risen Savior Lutheran Church (AM)	Wichita, KS
September 23	Hope Lutheran Church (PM)	Shawnee, KS
September 29	St. Paul Lutheran Church	Haven, KS
September 30	Our Redeemer Lutheran Ch. (AM)	Hutchinson, KS
September 30	Concordia Lutheran Church (PM)	Hosington, KS
October 1	Faith Lutheran Church	Abilene, KS
October 2	Our Redeemer Lutheran Church	Herington, KS
October 3	St. John's Luth. School/Ch (AM/PM)	Alma, KS
October 4	Zion Lutheran Church (PM)	Chanute, KS
October 6	Bethany Lutheran Church (PM)	Overland Park, KS
October 7	Faith Lutheran Church (AM and PM)	Topeka, KS
October 7-9	KS District Conference	Topeka, KS
October 8	Zion Lutheran Church (PM)	Vassar, KS
October 9	First Lutheran Church (PM)	Sabetha, KS
October 10	Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church (PM)	Marysville, KS
October 11	Immanuel Lutheran Church (PM)	Junction City, KS
October 12	Zion Lutheran School (chapel)	Linn, KS
October 14	Redeemer Lutheran Church (AM)	Arkansas City, KS
October 14	Trinity Lutheran Church (PM)	Winfield, KS
October 20-21	Holy Cross Lutheran Church	Wichita, KS
October 21	St. John's Lutheran Church	Nashville, KS
October 28	St. Peters Lutheran Church	Big Rapids, MI
November 3	Trinity Lutheran Church (PM)	Mission, KS
November 4	Lord of Life Lutheran Church	Leawood, KS
	Return to Guinea	



Some Ghana coworkers: Far back: Phil Sipes; middle row from left: Mary Sipes, Dan Kunkel, Sharon von Qualen, Ralph von Qualen, Walt DeMoss, Tim Heiney; front row from left: Ella Kunkel, Helena DeMoss, Beth Heiney



Our house - Big Rapids, Michigan