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# THE BRAUN FAMILY

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It is hard to find the right words to begin this update during a time that our nation feels so shaken. I keep coming back to the verse God placed on our hearts this year: "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you believe in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit" (Romans 15:13).

We pray that verse be true for all of us as Christ followers. May we be the ones to speak words of God's TRUE hope, joy, and peace to those around us as we keep our eyes on JESUS, the author and perfecter of our faith (Hebrews 12:2). May we always be known by our love (John 13:35).



### **Hangar Happenings.**

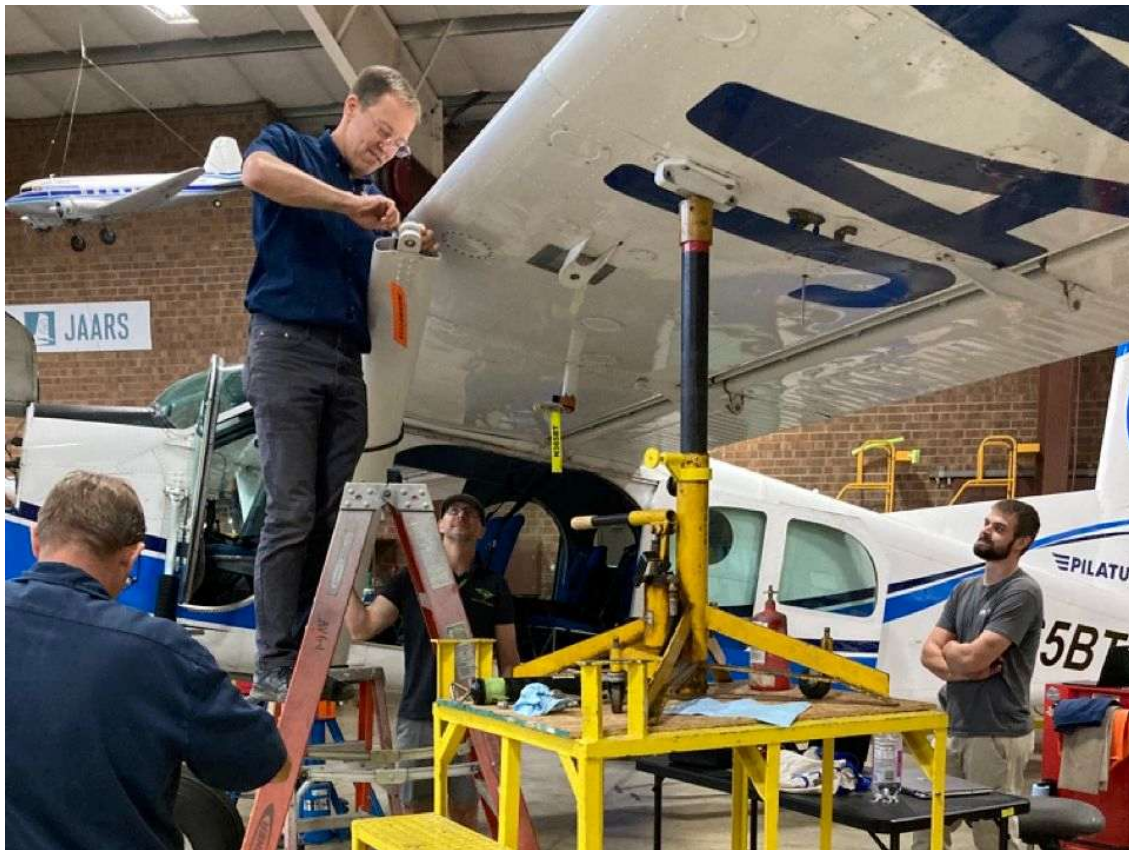
Fall routines are back in full swing in the JAARS hangar. Jeyson just finished leading several apprentice mechanics in a 100-hour inspection on our Cessna 206. It is encouraging to see their skills progress as they become increasingly part of the mission team.

Jeyson also assisted with the annual “Eddy Current Inspection” (NDT) on our Pilatus Porter. This complex procedure requires a special certification to perform. Since no one at JAARS holds this certification, we would normally have to hire an outside professional at high cost. Instead, we were blessed to have a qualified believer donate his time, skills, and equipment to travel from the west coast to JAARS at his own expense, and help us complete the inspection!

Also, JAARS has received incredible news of God’s provision! As we’ve shared, our mission has a growing need to renew and expand our fleet around the world. In His amazing way, the Lord has provided once again: a believer who owns a Kodiak, an airplane that has been high on our prayerful “wish list”, has chosen to donate it to

JAARS! There are still logistics ahead, from receiving the plane to making some adjustments and modifications to it but we praise God for His goodness and pray this aircraft will be used for His glory.





**Praise:**

- Back in February, our Cameroon flight base loaded a plane they were no longer able to use into a container and shipped it us here in Waxhaw. Unfortunately, at the exit port in Cameroon, the plane was held up in customs...where it sat for seven long months! Praise God, after much time, it finally arrived at our hanger here at JAARS where we have started working on it.

- Praise God for a young missionary couple Whit and Skiler, who just finished training at JAARS and moved to serve in Papua New Guinea. Whit will be a missionary mechanic and Skiler will serve at the mission health clinic. *(Whit and Skiler in front of their new home on the mission base)*



**Prayer:**

- Please pray for the candidates for our next group of pilot and mechanic apprentices. They will soon come to JAARS for in-depth technical evaluations. Pray for wisdom and the Lord's clear leading as we assess not only their abilities but also their hearts to grow and serve in missions.
- Please pray for our family as we navigate this busy school year. To be honest, it has been a lot to have all of our kids and me in school. (I'm in a one-year intensive LPN to RN nursing program). Pray for the Lord's grace as we guide each child in their unique stage of life, and that each of us in school would be a light to our classmates. *(A few of our back to school pictures are below, Elijah is pictured with two other MK's who go to school with him.)*

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