

## Alliance for Vulnerable Mission Bulletin March 2011

We welcome Fr. Stan Chu Ilo to the advisory board of the Alliance for Vulnerable Mission. Stan has long experience in outreach to West Africa, he has worked as a priest in the Catholic church for many years. He is assistant professor in the faculty of theology in the university of Toronto. For more details about Fa. Stan see:

[http://www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/news/stories/10\\_1604\\_FT\\_fr\\_stan\\_chu.html](http://www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/news/stories/10_1604_FT_fr_stan_chu.html)

- The following two articles by Jim Harries have just come off the press:

Harries, Jim, 2010. 'Mission in a Post Modern World: issues of language and dependency in post-colonial Africa.' *Exchange, Journal of Missiological and Ecumenical Research*, 39(4), 309-330. [pdf]

[http://www.jim-mission.org.uk/articles/Mission\\_in\\_a\\_Post\\_Modern\\_World\\_Issues\\_of\\_Language\\_and\\_Dependency\\_in\\_Post\\_Colonial\\_Africa.pdf](http://www.jim-mission.org.uk/articles/Mission_in_a_Post_Modern_World_Issues_of_Language_and_Dependency_in_Post_Colonial_Africa.pdf)

Harries, Jim, 2011. 'Magic, Science and Theology in African Development.' *Evangelical Review of Theology*. 35(1), 17-30. [pdf]

<http://www.jim-mission.org.uk/articles/Magic-Science-and-Theology-in-African-Development.pdf>

- Website designers needed! If you would like to volunteer to improve the web-facility and visibility of the AVM please get in touch with us.
- Roy Stafford, now retired in the UK, wrote a teach-yourself book on the Luo language of western Kenya some years ago. With Roy's permission, the AVM has posted this book on the web at this location: (This is the language of the people who Jim Harries is working with.)  
<http://www.jim-mission.org.uk/articles/elementary-luo-grammar.html>
- A short piece by Jim Harries reflecting on his recent visits to universities and colleges in Europe and North America has been published in the UK publication *Evangelicals Now*. See here for details: (page 10 of the February 2011 edition).  
<http://www.jim-mission.org.uk/articles/evnow.pdf>

Yours,

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Chairman, Alliance for Vulnerable Mission