

**“Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!”**

**1 Chronicles 16:24**



**AFRICA  
INLAND MISSION**

# The Leslie Family

## ABOUT US

We are the Leslie family, Jonathan & Lilli with our four children, Hannah (19), Tiana (16), Joshua (13), and Sophia (11). Hannah will begin her sophomore year of college in Minnesota Fall '16. The younger three will travel with us to Kenya and attend RVA.



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Jonathan & Lilli Leslie

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## HISTORY

Jonathan is currently the associate pastor of Oakridge Community Church in Stillwater, MN and has been in pastoral ministry since receiving his M.Div degree from Bethel Seminary in 2002. Lilli works as an R.N. in transitional services. The daughter of medical missionaries to Madagascar, she attended RVA from 6th-12th grade. Jonathan & Lilli served as dorm parents at the school from 1997-1999.

## Serving Missionary Families in Africa

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## SCHOOL IN THE CLOUDS

Rift Valley Academy (RVA) was started in 1906 with the goal of keeping missionary families on the field in Africa. Today the school serves about 500 missionary children representing 30 nationalities and 80 mission organizations and churches.

RVA is located on the edge of the Great Rift Valley, 30 miles from Nairobi, Kenya. At over 7,000 feet above sea level, it has been referred to as the "school in the clouds."

RVA supports current mission work while investing in the next generation of missionaries and gospel-bearers. As a branch of Africa Inland Mission, it exists to see Christ-centered churches established and thriving among all of Africa's peoples.



## OUR MINISTRY

The core of our calling is to exalt Jesus Christ by serving missionary families all over Africa so they can continue to do the Gospel-ministry God has called them to do for His glory.

Jonathan will serve as the RVA staff chaplain. His responsibilities include overseeing and promoting the spiritual atmosphere of the school by providing pastoral care to missionary staff and their families, developing discipleship and local outreach opportunities, and coordinating and preaching at Sunday services.

Lilli will be a student health nurse, a full-time job involving everything from helping homesick children, caring for kids with colds, stomach bugs and the flu, to assessing sports injuries and tropical diseases.



**“** If it weren't for RVA we wouldn't be able to carry out our ministry to the Mbororo people. Words cannot describe how reassuring it is to know that our kids are loved by RVA staff who come to serve out of ministry calling! RVA is truly part of the big picture of reaching the lost with the love of Christ.

- Missionaries to Central African Republic

## HOW TO PARTNER

We would be honored by your partnership in obeying the Great Commission in the way Christ has uniquely called each of us.

**PRAY** | "God has given us prayer because Jesus has given us a mission." (John Piper)

**ENCOURAGE** | Receive and read our newsletter and blog updates and then let us know you did. Keep us connected with your life too!

**GIVE** | Our living expenses are completely dependent on churches and individuals like you who give monthly (\$7,576 needed).

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