

## September 2010 Report

Greetings be to you all Harvest family and those who labored with the Harvest Ethiopia in prayer and financial support. God bless you all for being partner and made possible the kingdom work here.

Since the last mentorship session, several work progressively done. The National team members came together for prayer, evaluation and follow up of the training and planning the future work for half a day.

Following the last session five of the mentee immediately shared the lesson they got in very detailed way with their church leaders. The response from leaders also was exciting. As a result, five local churches have arranged a vision casting session from one day to three days with the key leader at their respective church.

Among others, the Evangelist from Entoto Mekane Yesus shared the vision about the wholist ministry with the new leadership and got budget and good will to do the three days, September 24-26 training program for 90 leaders, Evangelists and lay ministers. Dr. Alem (2<sup>nd</sup> generation) and Eyasu (3<sup>re</sup> generation) trainers delivered the training with me.

At the end of the program many responded that since this church was in a great trouble due to the conflict due to ethnic and language use in the church. Though the reconciliation was made recently, this teaching brought greater impact on them. As the teaching progressed, they witnessed and convinced that the calling and the mandate is bigger than the issue that they are fighting on now. The teaching reminded again the great passion and responsibility of the church to serve the broken community around them. As a result, the group developed a seed project to support and send one missionary in one un reached ethnic group area where the good news no preached yet. Physically, to build shower to the community where this church is located, in a very densely populated and getting shower for the community is almost impossible. In the wisdom area also it is planned to care for 20 poor children from the community, on top of 70 they minister now, to send them to school. In the social aspect, they planned to work closely with local government office. At the end, the youth has formed a group to take care of the environment by planting trees during the rainy season in the community.

This church was more focus on the Charismatic movement and inward looking, where they did a previous seed projects inwardly focused. On the other hand, the church is well known and has great potential to apply the teaching. So, please keep praying for the seed to grow and become forest!!

God bless you

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