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“In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.” Proverbs 3:6.

The past month has been very hectic and tiring but God has been so good, for, His mercy endures forever! Praise the Lord.

First Vision Conference in Guinea Conakry.

Our first VC in Conakry, Guinea was a real experience and heartwarming as the Guinea pastors and church leaders joyfully accepted the wholistic message. Happy of Togo, Rene of Senegal and I facilitated. 62 pastors and church leaders participated, a national team has been put together and next year, we pray that we can have a fellow-up conference.



Participants on Kingdom Maths



Group Picture



Facilitators: Rene, Happy & Chris



New Team Members

IFES Liberia Wholistic Conference

My trip to Monrovia, Liberia at the invitation of IFES Liberia was quite successful, the training went very well with about 50 leaders from 20 institutions and youth groups. The young students were so impacted that they took a definite decision to be the light and salt in this lovely and yet impoverished country.



Group Discussions



Chris Teaching



Student leaders

Collaboration with Compassion International

We continue to work collaboratively with Compassion International; as they focus on the wholistic development of the child, we also focus on the wholistic development of adults, with both of us working with and through the local church. Last month, we trained over 600 pastors, community and youth leaders in the Asuogyaman, Tongu and Ada districts. Luke 2:52 and development was extensively used which was a real eye opener.



Participants Listening



Chris Teaching



Group Picture

Apostolic Church of Ghana, Abeka District.

For the second time within the year, we had the privilege of training all officers of the Apostolic Church, Abeka district. 52 officers including pastors, elders, deacons and deaconesses and other leaders participated. We discussed Luke 2:52 and development and they broke into groups to think through on what it takes to grow more and more like Jesus. It was just interesting hearing their reports. To God be all the glory.



Group Discussions



Wholistic Club Fellowship.

Our wholistic Club quarterly fellowship meeting was very lovely, this time, with a role play by some of the ladies. The role play was on why Christians should contribute monies **not only** in the building of church temples, cathedrals and in the purchase of expensive instruments, but should also consider helping the poor and needy in societies. It was indeed a good lesson well taught.

Maranatha University College.

Our teaching of Worldviews and Development in the Maranatha University College ended successfully with each student undertaking a Discipline of Love and each group of five of the 30 students doing a Seed Project. Additionally with theology of vocation lessons, they now understand how their business courses can be applied in their various vocations.



Students in class



Students during group discussions

Pentecost University College

Last month, I was invited by the college to do a week of training at the school of theological education by extension. With a class of 75 students, even though it was a Sociology of Religion course, it was loaded with worldviews and wholistic ministry. It was a wonderful class since many of the students as senior pastors of their churches, fully appreciated the urgency of this course as compared to the traditional theological courses.



Students in class



Chris with some of the students

Fountainhead Christian School

This school committed to raising a generation of pupils with godly moral standards coupled with academic excellence to transform their environment and the nation invited us to bring the wholistic message to their children through consistent training programs. We just started and hope to continue in subsequent school terms.



Children during the session



The School

Story from Guinea, Conakry: a. Two pastors with Moslem background testified of how they had been rejected by their families for over eight years. After hearing of the Irreducible Minimum, they decided to look for their parents who have rejected them all these years. To their surprise, when they called on phone, one said his mother and sister couldn't believe he is the one calling them just to say hi with love. On the phone, he heard the mum crying and early in the following morning, he followed up with a short visit. The second, whose parents are deceased, was very welcomed by his uncle. He came back testifying that; indeed this teaching works if it is put into practice!

Prayer requests

Thank God, Adjoa and the children successfully ended a semester. Kindly pray for Jennifer as she travels to Ghana to spend the vacation with us. We all have been expecting this time of togetherness and we are looking at her arrival. It is your kind support that has brought us this far and we deeply cherish our friendship and partnership. On this special occasion, together with the staff and family, we wish you A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!! Sincerely Yours,

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