

The Master's Mission International

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Greetings TMMI Partners,

I pray that you are all safe, secure, well blessed and experiencing the intimate presence of the Lord in this new year of the Lord, 2024. All is very well here in Waterville Maine as the Lord's blessings bountifully abound for Daisy and I.

Upcoming Mission Trip:

Seven training/fellowship community events in seven different locations in Ethiopia, are confirmed for April 3rd through the 27th, 2024. We will focus on follow-up visits and next step training to the seven existing groups. Each of these groups are located in different strategic regions throughout Ethiopia and engage in a series of progressive exegetical Biblical studies (See TMMI Training Sequence below) designed to teach, implement and maintain Biblical Missiology, Biblical Ecclesiology and Biblical Spiritual Formation as taught by Master Jesus, His Apostles/disciples and the early church leaders.

TMMI Training Sequence:

- 1. The Gospel in Accordance with the Scriptures—The Gospel of the Kingdom
- 2. The Kingdom Life According to Jesus—The Great Sermon
- 3. The Masters Plan-Servant—Disciple Multiplication and Servant Leader Development
- 4. The Church that Jesus is Building
- 5. What is Church—A Biblical Ecclesiology
- 6. God's Word—Our Ultimate Authority
- **7.** Interpreting the Scriptures
- 8. Living Christian

Since the onset of this process, we have witnessed miraculous fruit and inspiring life and ministry transformation. Below are just two of the most recent reports I would like to share with you.

Updates from our students from Ethiopia:

1. Yosef / Joseph/ Zeleke – From Yirgachefe, Ethiopia

Yosef/Joseph/, we call him Jossy as a nick name; is one of our students in our Hawassa hub center. He is serving in the town called Yirgachefe; the place where the world class best coffee production area in the country. He has planted a number of churches in the region and a leader of in our church called Yirgachefe local church.

After he takes our teachings; he also teaches other leaders and church planters in his church and from other churches. According to his report; so far, he has trained more than 50 leaders and church planters. He said that the teachings are powerful and totally based on Bible and challenge the existing beliefs of many Christians & Church leaders which is contrary to the Bible. He added that the lessons like 'The Gospel in Accordance of the Scripture 'and the true meaning of the 'Kingdom of God' and 'Church' have transformed his life and the lives of many leaders that he is teaching.



From left to right: Joseph's group and Joseph with Paul Chico/Pst/

One of things that makes Joseph unique is that he is serving the church by doing tent -making job. He has his own barber shop in the town and make money to support himself and his ministry. He said that he uses his barber shop as a platform to share the Gospel with his customers. We thank God for this young visionary man!!!



Jossy at his work place

2. Gossa Dhaba/Pst. / – From Bale-Robe, Ethiopia

Pastor Gossa Dhaba is also one of our students in our Shashamane training hub center. He serves in the town called Bale-Robe where the most predominantly Muslim regions in Ethiopia. After he takes our trainings, he trains two groups of people from his church and from other churches from the surrounding areas. The first group is 15 of church leaders and church planters; the other group is 10 of young emerging new leaders.



The Two training groups

According to Pst. Gossa; his team love the teachings and has been given them a new insight from the word of God. He added that as the result of the impact of the teachings in the lives of his team the church is growing and they were able to baptize a total 16 new converts / 8-adults and 9 youths/. Praise Jesus!



Baptism Event

Please join us as we pray for the following:

- That God will:
 - o Protection and provision for each student, their families and respective ministries.
 - Stabilize and provide for the ever-increasing cost of student support and travel due to globalized inflation.
 - o Direct and bless me in better understanding and practicing preventative travel sickness measures.
 - Reduce the increasing physical strain and illness associated with traveling as I get older.
 - Bless me with good health, for great effectiveness in ministry and the ultimate glory of His Name.

Please join us as we praise God for the following:

- His miraculous discipleship movement that continues to increase to the outskirts of Ethiopia and beyond.
- Exponential leadership reproduction through practicing "The Masters Plan."
- The ever-expanding disciple making movement in Ethiopia and beyond.
- Providing such a faithful support team that all of you continue to be.

Thank you for your ongoing prayer and financial support. Your donations provide transportation, meals and housing to enable a church leader to receive sound biblical training that will enhance their efforts in implementing powerful Christ-like disciple making movements in their respective regions in Ethiopia and beyond.

These indigenous church leaders could not participate without your generous donations. When you prayerfully and financially support this ministry, you make an eternal investment in the Kingdom of God.

If you desire to give your financial support, there is a donate button on our web page, or checks may be sent and made payable to The Master's Mission International, 115 Silver Street, Waterville, Maine 04901. Please don't forget to visit and follow us at <u>www.themastersmissioninternational.org</u> and <u>bookmark it a.s.a.p.</u> Be sure to sign up to continue receiving newsletters in the future!

Please feel free to share our web address <u>www.themastersmissioninternational.org</u> and/or a copy of this newsletter with anyone you think may want to partner with us.

May God bless you all for your faithful prayers, partnership, support and encouragement in ministry.

Sincerely Yours,

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