

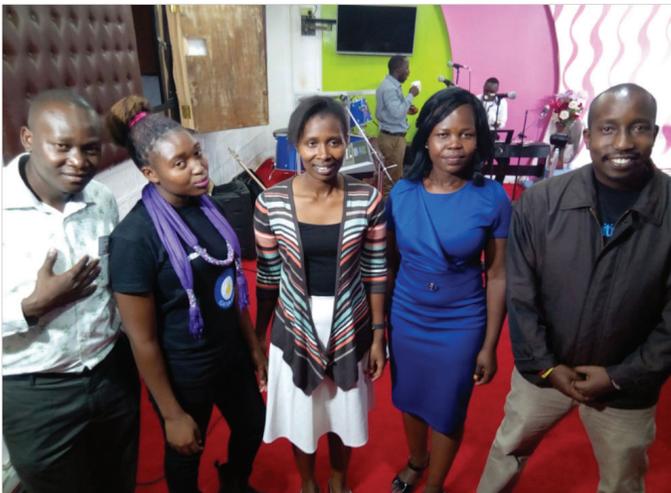
Greetings to all our friends in Jesus name!

Welcome to journey with us as we reflect on what God has been doing among His children during the second quarter. Indeed we bless His Holy name.

## TRAININGS

This quarter saw the continuity of the Part one training that had began during the last week of March and continued until the last week of April.

The training happened every Monday and Tuesday. The Theology In Community (TIC) for Part one as well as Part two which had happened in March are going on and we thank God.



Part one team. (L-R) Wisdom, Kanaiza and Mariana (trainees), Bilhah and Michael.

We bless the Lord for the growth in the Ignition Bible study (IBS) where we have been partners in providing the content.

We have not only witnessed physical increase but also evidence of spiritual maturity as believers interact with the word of God. We began BS Mtaani (*Swahili word for locality*) an initiative that intends to reach out to the community through the establishment of Bible Studies in each group leader's place of residence.

We held two overnight meetings in our office with the IBS small group leaders to acquaint them on how to effectively run this new idea.



Bible Study leaders in one of the overnight sessions.

We thank God for the work happening in the Coast through DI / Africa as God has enabled our coordinator Patrick to continue working to fulfill the Great Commission.

During this quarter, the Lord enabled him to travel to different parts of the coast to meet with the disciples for revision classes and Bible study sessions.

They also spent time to fast and pray as they are trusting God for the expansion of the WitW ministry in the region.



*Disciples in the Coast doing their revision.*

We are elated at what God is doing in the lives of His people after going through the Walking in the Way (WitW) training.

During our Regional forum in May, disciples shared how they had been inspired to reach out more after interacting with the WitW material.

Bishop Naya for instance, shared how she has a burden to reach out to professionals in her area who she said grew up in Christian homes with Biblical values but upon reaching maturity, walked away from The Way of Christ.

Since she intends to use the WitW material in her training, she told us that she had started revising the WitW Part One manual in preparation for this mission which she has titled Community Professionals Forum.

Let us pray that the people who shall interact with the WitW material through the Community Professionals Forum will be transformed to God's glory.



*Disciples gathered for the May Regional forum.*

Two of our disciples Lilian and Rene who live in Nairobi's Roysambu estate, shared how they intended to evangelize to, and disciple the youth in the area. Using the WitW material, they intend to reach out to the many youth in the area who are caught up in alcohol and drug abuse.

Benjamin, who is also a WitW disciple, shared how the WitW training has helped him in his ministry where he reaches out to street children. His love for sports has also seen him establish a fellowship and is currently using the WitW material in his ministry to a football club, Posta Rangers.

***We bless the name of the Lord.***



*Benjamin Lisi, on reaching out to sports people and street children.*

By God's grace, DI / Africa through Patrick got an opportunity to minister at a youth conference in Chumani (7 kilometers from his home), having been invited by Pastor Mwayaona.

He also had an opportunity to introduce WitW to a congregation that numbered 100, who were attending a seminar at Patmos Baptist Church, (4 kilometers away).

One of our disciples in the coast Mercy Kombe, lost her mother and Patrick travelled to Gongoni, (80 kilometers from his home) to attend the funeral and console with the family.

***We pray that God will cause the WitW ministry to thrive in this region and for His comfort to continue being experienced by Mercy's family.***

***Let us pray for those who have been saved that they shall stand firm by the grace of the Lord and not be CINOs.***



*A cell group in session in Uganda.*



*Chumani Youth seminar where Patrick was one of the speakers.*

The Lord has been good to us and we bless His name for the work happening in Uganda.

The home cell / Bible study groups in prison quarters, have continually used the WitW material and there is evidence of spiritual maturity.

We thank God for the growth in these groups as He has added to our numbers physically and also increased the numbers of those who are being saved. Blessed be His name.

The prison ministry in Uganda has been thriving.

Daniel, our Coordinator in Uganda by God's grace managed to obtain a letter of authorization from the Commissioner General of Uganda Prisons Service allowing the DI / Africa team access to minister to the inmates freely between 10:00am-4:00pm daily in Murchison Bay Luzira Prison.

During this quarter, 34 inmates gave their lives to Christ and we give glory to Yahweh. A ministry door to reach out also opened at Naguru Remand home, a juvenile centre run by the government.

One of the WitW disciples Lucy Adong works as a nurse in this facility and has been instrumental in sharing the gospel with these young people using the WitW material and has witnessed their lives being transformed.

***We bless the Lord for these open doors and we pray that many more will be availed to the glory of His name.***



*A time of worship during one of the gatherings.*

Praise be to Yahweh as He has made open for ministry another door in Kigali, Rwanda's capital through a group called Dynamic Fellowship. (Kigali is 374km away from Kampala, Uganda).

Daniel has been able to travel to Rwanda on different occasions to meet with this team and introduce the WitW teachings.

Since the focus of DI/ Africa is to evangelize the entire continent, we pray that this new partnership will be a means of fulfilling the Great Commission in this region.



*Daniel with the Dynamic ministry in Rwanda.*

The children department in Uganda has grown tremendously. With 40 children at the beginning, the number has grown to 70 children. We bless the name of the Lord. Our prayer is that these children grow deeper their relationship with Yahweh.

This growth has come with a challenge, as there is only one volunteer, Apio Priscilla, who works with the children.

***Let us pray that God will bring forth more laborers in this field and for the availability of resources to train them.***

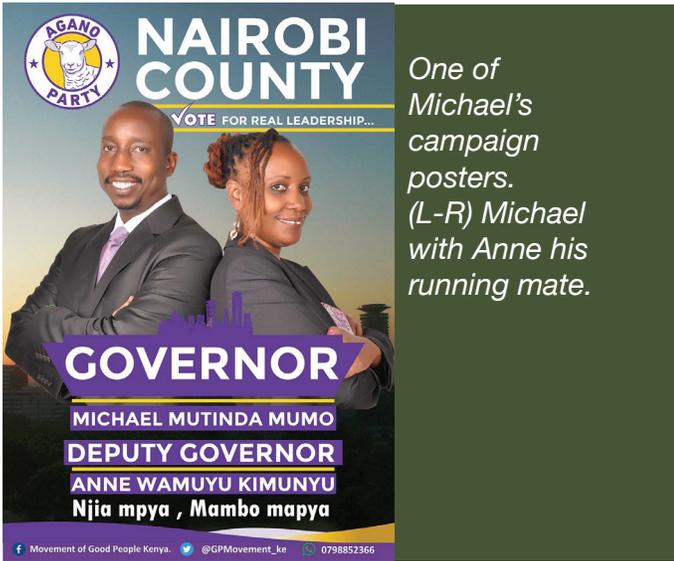


*Children in Uganda doing a presentation in a church service.*

We bless the Lord for what he has been doing among His people. In 2014, Michael received a call from God to run for Governorship in the County of Nairobi in the country's 2017 General Elections.

He felt that there was a great need of showcasing Biblical leadership in the political arena.

Through the Movement of Good People initiative that he launched earlier on in the year, he has been able to reach out to many people especially the Christians and influence how they view politics.



One of Michael's campaign posters. (L-R) Michael with Anne his running mate.



Michael having a conversation with a voter during the campaign period.



Michael (in a striped sweater) doing the door-to-door campaign.

We bless the name of the Lord for the success stories that we continue to receive and pray for His guidance as we continue to scale the heights of discipling nations.

Together with his team he engaged in door-to-door campaign and through the experience, they discovered the effects of bad governance on the people characterized by high levels of poverty and lack of essential services.

Though they were not elected, they thank God for the experience and they are willing to do it again for His glory.

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