

A Global Reach for the Kingdom



A Project Philip Bible study leader shares the hope of God's Word in India.

YOU

ARE MAKING A
WORLDWIDE
DIFFERENCE
WITH YOUR GIFTS



People are
being engaged
in God's Word



Christians are
being trained to
share God's Word



Churches are
being planted
around the world

Making a Global Reach for the Kingdom

These are troubling times and staying encouraged is hard. And for so many places around the world, the Gospel is even further out of reach due to this global pandemic. People are grieving losses, out of work, and losing hope. Your commitment to engage everyone in God's Word brings joy. You're making it possible for inmates to share the Gospel in both their cellblocks and in the communities to which they will return. Men, women, and children will learn to read and write using God's Word in their own languages, and under-resourced churches will get the Bibles and training they need to spread the Good News where they live. You are helping to make all this possible with the gift of your time. You are helping to change lives in a time of deep despair for so many. The gift of God's Word gives people access to transformation through the power of the Holy Spirit that will last a lifetime. Thank you.

God's Word Makes the Difference

Church leaders around the world are finding ways to share God's Word despite the coronavirus. Restrictions to help stop the spread of COVID-19 haven't squashed the hunger for the Gospel. Pastor John (pictured) of Mara, Tanzania, is one of many working for the Lord during this pandemic. He shares, "God's grace has enormously helped us as a family, to trust in God and to follow the government's instructions to protect ourselves against this great threat. We have intensified our intercession for God's people throughout the world according to the Apostle Paul's word. We are not afraid. We trust God to help us."

The pandemic has had severe economic repercussions for Pastor John and his family. He says, "The impact of COVID-19 on me and the family is the economic downturn, my children are not attending school, and the freedom

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of association with others has diminished. I continue to keep myself close to God. In this season, I am learning that there are things beyond human ability and it's very scary when we lack answers."

Despite his fears, Pastor John is still engaging his family and others with the hope of God's Word online. He says, "I have learned to stay ready all the time and to share the Good News with people so they know Him in times of joy and misery. I reach out to others via the internet and encourage them not to be afraid. I encourage them with 1 Timothy 2:1-7 and 2 Chronicles 7:13-15. Even in times of crisis like this, we can pray to God and He will help us."

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Please pray for peace in areas of the world that are experiencing natural disasters, political unrest, and economic uncertainty. May God grant His comfort to a hurting world.
- Praise God for the successful completion of *Project Philip* Bible studies at the Kitale Prison in Kenya! Many prisoners found true freedom in Christ.
- Ask the Lord to revive and refresh the many dedicated and committed believers in Mexico who are struggling to find safe ways to share God's Word amid a pandemic. May God keep them healthy.
- A praise report from Mozambique! Dozens of people from four families received the first Bibles they've ever owned after completing *Project Philip* Bible studies.

Be Part of Making a Lasting Difference in Lives

When you join hands with Bible League Volunteers to provide Bibles and training worldwide—and to pray—you help make ***A Global Reach for the Kingdom***. By God's grace and the power of His Word, each \$5 Bible you provide today has the power to transform a life. A family. A community. And as lives are transformed, God's Church will grow—on a global scale! You will help make disciples around the world, just as Jesus commands. Thank you!



Faithful church planters in Armenia donned masks to safely train together.

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