

Markus 16:15 "En Hy het vir hulle gesê: Gaan die hele wêreld in en verkondig die evangelie aan die ganse mensdom."

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Die jaar het met 'n vinnige spoed begin maar as jy aan die vers in Psalm 118:24 dink: "Dit is die dag wat die Here gemaak het; laat ons daarvoor juig en bly wees", geld dit ook vir 2024!!!
Ons sien uit daarna om God aan die werk te sien

Ons eerste inname van studente vir die 2024 EMT's het reeds plaasgevind, die kursus is al 2 weke aan die gang. Daar is 11 studente van oa USA, Duitsland, Zimbabwe en Suid Afrika.

Graag wil ek die volgende uitreksels deel van 'n getuiesnis van 'n jong meisie, Magaret. Sy was een van die vir wie ek (Arlene) as mentor opgetree het – sy het toestemming gegee dat ek dit mag deel:



"I wouldn't have guessed or imagined that doing a discipleship training course for two months would change my life drastically. At the start of EMT (Ethnos Movement Training) we were told to write down our expectations for the discipleship course. I was very hesitant about it because I didn't yet understand the full concept of seeking from the Lord. I wrote down three expectations, not fully believing they would be fulfilled.

During the discipleship course we had theory classes during the mornings. After lunch, we went on outreaches. This included, going out to the community to spend time with kids, evangelising in the streets and hospitals, gardening and washing cars.

During the course it felt like I didn't know anything from the biblical world. My spirit was fed on an intense level. There was so much information to process and I was very grateful I had a mentor to help me through my thinking processes.

One of my favourite teachings was on repentance. There were many interesting details on this topic. For example the difference between repentance, regret and remorse and you can always highlight which one you might be feeling. Personally I would ask for forgiveness because I felt bad or I didn't want my relationship with God to be ruined. It was always about me. I am thankful that the Lord really opened my eyes to that.

The outreaches were an amazing learning ground. It took a lot of courage to step out of my comfort zone. Hospital visits and street evangelising were very difficult because not everyone welcomes you with open arms, and I struggled to start a conversation with people. The more I welcomed the Holy Spirit, to lead me the easier it got, and the more I enjoyed it. There are so many testimonies that came from these outreaches which shows God's faithfulness and greatness.

Going back to my expectations... it was a joy to experience how God was meeting them all. Not in a way that I wanted but in way that I needed. It was overwhelming to read my letter of expectation at the end of the discipleship course and to see that God was and is faithful!"

Julle hoor altyd van ons kant af, nou kan jule ook lees van die student se kant af! God is in beheer.

Die Here gebruik ons ook as Sy instrumente vir die Koninkryk in die ouetehuse en daar is sterk getuies wat ons kan deel. Daar was n bejaarde dame wat op sterwe gelê het by wie ek vir 3 dae kon sit en met haar gesels oor geloofsekerheid. Sy het die besluit geneem en Jesus as haar Verlosser aangeneem.... ALLE EER GAAN AAN GOD. Tydens haar afskeidsdiens kon ek ook die Evangelie deel en dit het heelwat mense aangeraak wat na die tyd baie vrae gevra het oor die Verlossing en Kruisdood van Jesus.

Bid asb vir ons:

- Dat ons altyd getrou en gehoorsaam sal wees vir die die leiding van die Heilige Gees
- Bid vir Gerrie wat van die lesings aanbied.
- Bid vir die guns van die amptenare met ons SASSA aansoeke. Om een of ander tere rede het hulle ons eerste aansoeke afgekeur

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