

Dear Ministry Friend,

For most of us summer break is now behind us and much has happened at GCMM during the summer. I wanted to let you know what is coming up in ministry this fall.

We live in a troubled world with plenty of "wars and rumors of wars" in many places (Matthew 24:6,7). We see that happening. At some point, the end as foretold by Jesus, will come. But in the meantime, there is a lot to be done! Jesus' mandate to his followers remains unchanged. Jesus said: "this Gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world as a witness to all nations..."

Five Strategic Global Evangelistic Campaigns

Together we are called to play our special part in the fulfillment of Jesus' mandate to our generation. Our first act is to pray as Jesus challenged believers, "My house shall be a house of prayer for all nations". Notice Jesus thoughtfully said, "all nations". Would you join with us in prayer and support for the following five global evangelistic campaigns?



ETHIOPIA - A Major Media Campaign in Preparation

Ethiopia is surrounded by Islamic nations and Islam has an agenda, that Africa becomes the first fully Islamic continent. But God certainly has different plans for Africa.

A major evangelism campaign in Ethiopia is in active planning mode. In October, we will launch preparation and production linked to this high impact campaign that is set to launch in September 2026.

Together with GCMM, there will be a coalition of 3,000 churches involved



in this unprecedented effort. They have a goal of adding **four (4) million** new believers to the churches by 2029! They are dead serious.

The national campaign Director in Addis Ababa is Dr. Lemma Degefa, who teaches leadership in the big Mekane Yesus - Church. Lemma is a man with a great heart for the Great Commission. He also serves as a leadership trainer for the Central Intelligence Agency of Ethiopia.

EGYPT - The Time Is Now

We are in the active preparation phase of the upcoming campaign. Egypt's time for revival is here. Some of the greatest miracles in the Bible occurred in Egypt, including Aaron's rod that budded and was placed in the ark of the covenant as a testimony of God's miraculous power. The Nile River turned into blood, and the most notable miracle by God's power was the parting of the Red Sea. However, Egypt and its largest city in all of Africa, Cairo, is in desperate need of a miracle of deliverance from its own spiritual darkness!

The first miracle has occurred in that hundreds of Egyptian pastors from churches have already joined hands to participate in this campaign. In Cairo, 300 churches are involved. Another 1,500 churches will participate throughout Egypt. This is most likely the greatest evangelistic outreach ever in Egypt. These Egyptian church leaders are asking for your most earnest prayer for a breakthrough for a multitude of salvations.

Our GCMM director for this campaign, Hani Henein stated, "We have great testimonies from the Egyptian Christians for our media campaign and evangelism follow up book, but we still need a miracle of finances to complete the funding."

The churches expect response to the campaign **to climb to over 500,000** via a major effort through social media. We have received the first 45% of the budget. Between now and November, the evangelism campaign will require \$250,000. Our prayer is that GCMM supporters will be able to contribute generously as the Lord speaks to hearts.



A working lunch with Dr. Lalissa Daniel, director of theology and evangelism of Mekane Yesus mega church with Great Commission Media Ministries CEO Hannu Haukka, Hani Henein GCMM Arabic Ministries, and Kenneth Grönroos, director of leadership and training in Central Africa.



At a meeting with Ethiopian church media-savvy persons, to hear plans for the media evangelism campaign.



THE MAITHILI PEOPLE - The Himalaya Mountains

There are 50 million Maithili people living in northeast India and Nepal, 1% of whom are Christians. Over ten years ago, GCMM produced the Maithili version of the Superbook video series, an animated version of choice Bible Stories.

The tapes had been lost since 2014, until this spring. Finally, this "treasure chest" is set to air to Maithili homes across the Himalaya Mountains. Our Maithili missionary team working on this outreach are expecting record response.



The Superbook animated video series brings Bible stories to life.

HARVEST IN WESTERN MONGOLIA

This summer, we provided for a large children's camp program in Uvs Province of Western Mongolia where there is no known church or group of believers in that part of the country.

Our Mongolian director, Boloroo, reports that several hundred youngsters have come to faith in Jesus. **The camps have been a major blessing for the Mongolian Church.** Please see the photo from one of the camps below.

There will be a major evangelism event in early fall in the capital Ulaanbaatar. A revised version of the evangelism book in Mongolian will be printed. It will include testimonies of Mongolians who have received Jesus during the Mega City Campaign in 2024.





Photo: Supreme Commander of Military Intelligence of Ukraine, General Kyrylo Budanov, wrote an introductory word for the evangelism/trauma book.



Photo: A weeping mother mourns the loss of a family member because of the Russian military action.

UKRAINE - God's Healing Power To The Nation

We are now set to go to press with our 180-page evangelism/trauma book in Ukraine. The book provides mental and spiritual first aid to those who suffer because of the horrific war being relentlessly waged by Russia.

The book contains stories of survivors of trauma stemming from the war. There is a chapter as well that deals with the trauma of the soul that only the Holy Spirit can heal. The book is one of a kind in Ukraine at this time.

Millions have lost their city, town, village, their home, livelihood, family members, friends, neighbours, property and tragically hope for a normal life tomorrow. But God is mighty to heal and restore hope, even when there seems to be none left.

We needed a high-profile recommendation/ word of introduction to the book and providentially the Lord supplied. The Supreme Commander of Military Intelligence of Ukraine, General Kyrylo Budanov, has written his recommendation on the first pages of the book. His endorsement carries immense weight as General Budanov is the most recognized and respected person in the nation after the President.

Importantly, this book directs the reader to new life in Jesus Christ. In the book, we quote Psalm 23 which provides a road map through the darkest, most destructive valleys in life. The psalmist David wrote that The Good Shepherd restores the broken, the damaged, wounded soul of man.

The need is huge. The plan is to print upwards of 300,000 copies, as funds become available. The unit price is projected to be \$3 dollars a copy.

There is no greater gift that we can give the nation of Ukraine. Healing amidst daily terror is what is needed. We sincerely ask you to remember Ukraine in prayer. God is able to meet all the needs that arise as we faithfully go about the fulfilment of His Great Commission.

May the Lord give you added strength and health for each new day. On behalf of our team we wish you God's choice blessings this August,

Your friends and fellow servants on the Lord's harvest fields, Hannu, Laura, and the whole GCMM team

P.S. The Lord willing, I will be attending the National Prayer Breakfast on August 25th, 2025 in Kyiv, Ukraine. President Zelensky is the host of this event.



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