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GLOBAL QUARTERLY REPORT

2ND QUARTER 2020



LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

These are challenging times, but God is still showing Himself able and faithful.

Covid-19 is still wreaking havoc in the developing world because the 'cure' (extended lockdowns) is worse than the disease. The story of the poor is that they generally eat at night what they earn during the day. They don't have extra supplies stored up or government bailouts. Starvation is a real possibility for masses of people. We are caring for thousands of families in these desperate times but that is only the proverbial, 'drop in the bucket.'

And unfortunately, it gets worse. Across East Africa our church planters are dealing with a 'perfect storm' of disasters. Drought, famine, locusts, Covid and now floods are laying waste to the homes and livelihood of millions.

In response to this compounding crisis, we have redirected a large portion of our time and money to help hurting people. You would think that all of this would bring our church planting efforts to a screeching halt but that is not the case. I am rejoicing to tell you that despite all of the barriers, the Lord has launched over 1800 new churches in this quarter! This happened because the gospel was not just something they heard, it was something they felt!

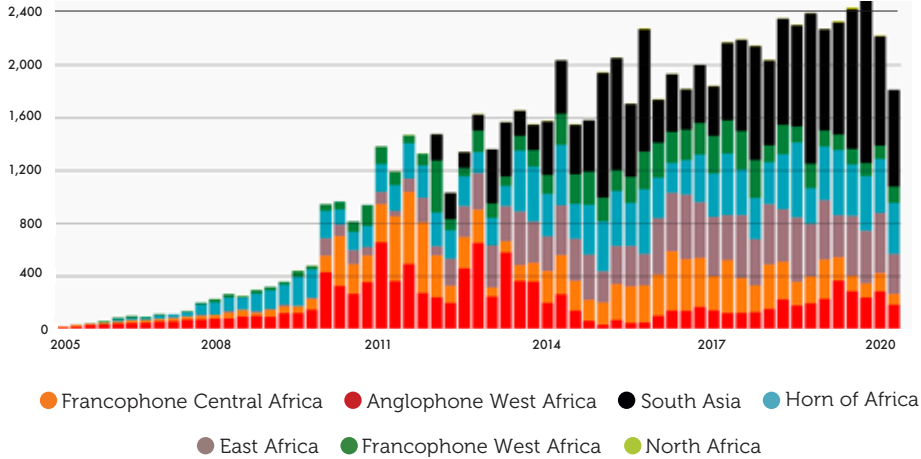
Blessings,

Harry Brown
President
New Generations



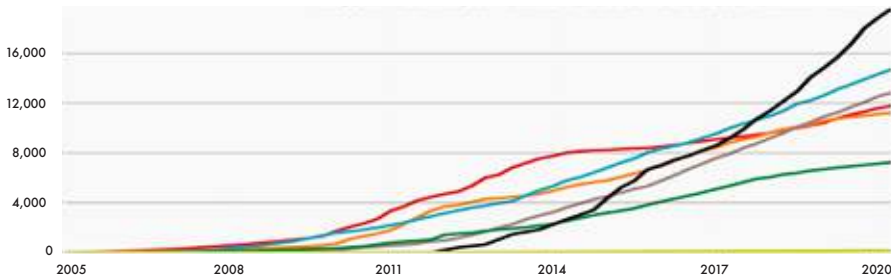
NEW GENERATIONS' GLOBAL CHURCH PLANTING

NON-CUMULATIVE GROWTH TO DATE



NEW GENERATIONS' GLOBAL CHURCH PLANTING TRENDS

(AFRICA & SOUTH ASIA) TO DATE



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY AND HIGHLIGHTS

As of the end of June 2020, New Generations teams along with their partners have seen God raise up 77,613 new churches, and 1,815,957 New Christ followers, of whom, 502,876 (28%) are Muslim background.

Church planting data from this quarter reveals the negative impact of COVID-19 with results moderately or significantly reduced in five of our six regions. Still, by God's grace, New Generations teams, with their partners, were blessed to witness the planting of 1,812 new churches this quarter, with 33,742 new Christ-followers - 10,545 coming from Muslim backgrounds.

AHMED FINDS HEALING IN JESUS

Ahmed (pseudonym) was born in the Horn of Africa. He and his six siblings grew up in a family heavily influenced by Islam. Most of his village followed Islam as well. They believed theirs was the final and best faith. He was proud.

At the age of 18, he developed severe pain in his feet. He couldn't walk, and his hands did not work correctly. Daily his pain increased. His disease was so bad he went to the hospital, but that didn't help. Next his father took him to a local doctor, but his pain got worse. His father lost hope and gave up.

One day his father met a neighbor who was a disciple of Jesus. He asked him about his son's health. His father told him all that his son was going through. After the neighbor heard these things, he asked to pray for the son. His father agreed. They went home together, and the man prayed over the son in the name of Jesus. The discipler visited him daily and prayed for him without ceasing. He would also tell

him about Jesus Christ from the Bible.

Finally, the sick boy became healthy. In his joy, he decided to become a follower of Jesus and was happy to share God's goodness with the unsaved people in his area. His father and mother and his five brothers and one sister also became followers of Jesus Christ. This situation did not stop with his family only, but many of his neighbors became followers of Jesus. Most of them now participate in discovery groups.

Currently, he serves the Lord without fear. He testifies to all people what God has done in his life. Since his miraculous healing, approximately 100 people became followers of Jesus Christ.



PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER TRANSFORMED

Joshua (pseudonym) is a church planter and a secondary school teacher in East Africa. Since March, fear of COVID-19 and their elections have dominated the news.

Joshua was suspected of holding opposition meetings against the ruling government party. One of the leaders of a house church in his network told him about the government officials' suspicions. He went to them and explained he was not pursuing politics but was a disciple-maker.

When they began to accuse him, one of the authorities shared how his daughter had been very sick and was healed when Joshua prayed. The man explained to the others that Joshua was just a discipler and that there was no danger. But they still decided to stop all the gatherings in his network.

Joshua went home and prayed. He felt

led to start a Discovery Bible Study (DBS) at school. His DBS multiplied several times until - 48 new believers (students) got baptized. He trained each one of the students on how to start a DBS in their home. He learned one group involved the President's daughter. The President later called Joshua and asked for forgiveness testifying how his daughter's life was completely changed because of the Gospel. Joshua was given permission for all the gatherings in his network to continue to meet and catalyze a movement in the neighboring province too.

A MUSLIM NURSE MIRACULOUSLY HEALED

I am William, a nurse living in Anglophone West Africa. My late father was our mosque's Imam. Everyone in our home was committed to practicing Islam's five daily prayers and regular readings in the Qur'an. My parents warned me that touching the Bible was highly prohibited. My father told me Christians are infidels and should never be encouraged. Because

of this, I was hostile to Christians, even to those who befriended me. I worked very hard to bring them down. Ironically, I would be persecuted when I became a Jesus follower.

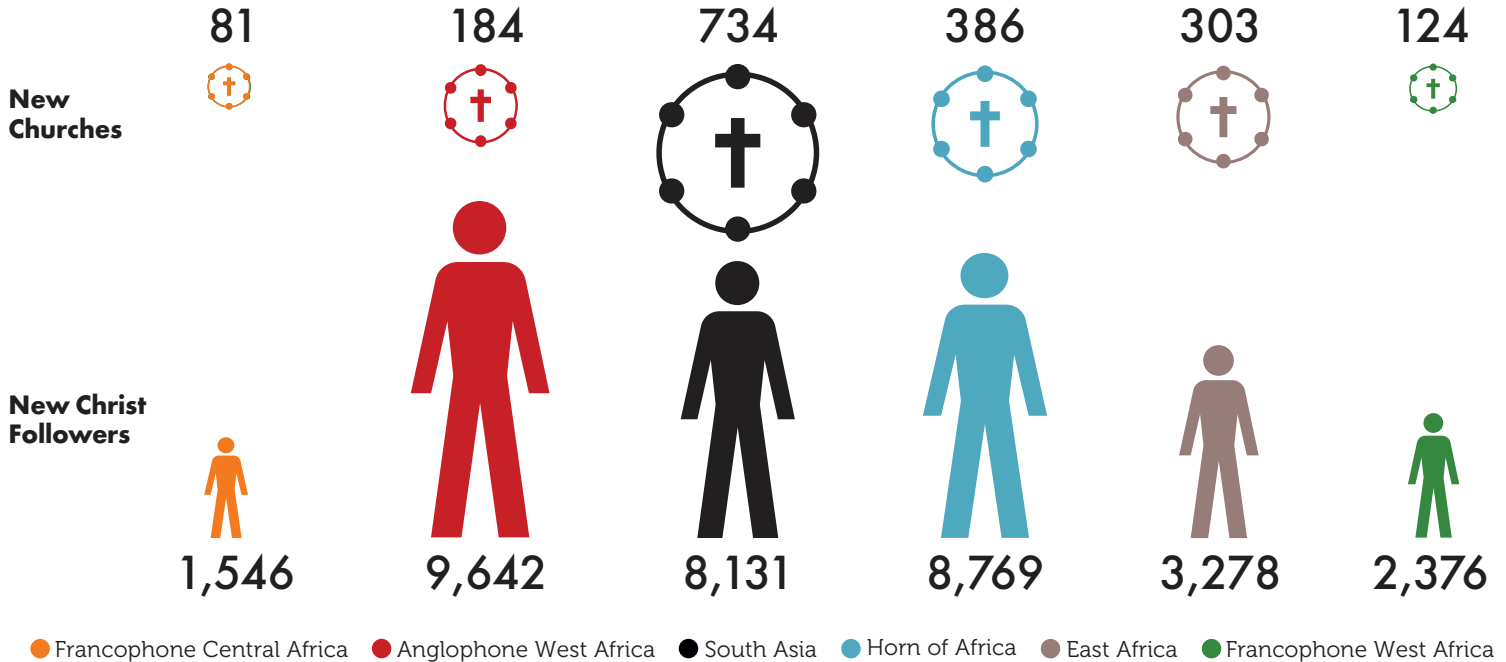
Three years ago, I suffered from severe stomach pain. I went to the hospitals, but the cause of my illness was never revealed. Then, to remedy my situation, I went to traditional healers who gave me herbal medications. Despite this, my case got worse by the moment. Every effort I made to get my healing failed. Many friends and relatives did not believe such an overweight person could be reduced to the size I was at that moment. I couldn't remember having two or three hours of sleep at a time. It was a terrible situation.

I decided to seek any form of healing, including asking people from the discovery group to pray over me. I did not want to die, especially when my children were young. One morning, as I rested, I had a dream. I heard a voice telling me to go to the church for prayer if I wanted to get well. Fortunately, I found a church meeting

80 meters from my house. Upon my arrival, a group of young brothers and sisters helped me sit on a chair and had a brief interview with me. After I had explained my problem, the leader asked to pray for my speedy deliverance. During the prayers, I fell down and felt something heavy coming out of me. When I got up, I noticed my body was not as it was before I arrived. It was my deliverance time, and I give God the glory. I was healed miraculously. I was baptized, and I am currently a follower of Christ and a church planter.

My transformation has not been faced without a challenge. When my brothers learned I became a follower of Christ, they pushed me out of our home and called me names because they said their father's real child would never follow Christ. In good faith, I accepted it and decided to be with my new family of believers. One thing is clear that I have found the path in life, and I am happy. My two girls and I are so glad living on what I make. God is blessing us. I am praying for my family to have the same encounter I had. To God, be the glory.

2ND QTR 2020 DMM OUTCOMES: NEW CHURCHES & NEW CHRIST FOLLOWERS



2020 GOAL:

8,785 new churches
with 104,060 new
Christ Followers

Total Q1 Results: 2,202 New Churches and 39,898 New Christ Followers

Total Q2 Results: 1,812 New Churches and 33,742 New Christ Followers

2020 TOTAL YTD

4,014 new churches
with 73,640 new
Christ Followers