



2021 MISSION SUMMARY

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A Message from the CEO



Do Not Become Weary

Dear AE Members, Partners & Friends,

These last two years have been a testing time for us all, particularly those who have lost loved ones or have struggled with the health impacts of COVID-19. There have also been many of us who have had difficulties coping with the financial impacts of the pandemic.

In spite of it all, we have pulled together across our various locations to support each other as we get through these challenging times. I want to thank each one of you – staff members, support offices, partners and friends alike – for all your efforts in 2021. You have held up African Enterprise so courageously and steadily through prayers, hard work and financial giving. Thank you.

In 2021, we were pleased to have successfully conducted 11 missions in the different cities across our offices in Africa, giving us opportunities to reach the unreached through Proclamation and Social Action. In total we shared with 12,234,806 people and of those, 46,440 made commitments to follow Christ.

A few highlights from the missions in 2021 have been the many moving testimonies from the discipleship programs and community development actions that have led to lives transformed and hope renewed, the Bonga project that champions equipping the youth with useful skills, and the exciting progression in leadership development.

As we begin 2022, I pray and encourage you to not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up (Galatians 6:9).

There is much to look forward to this new year, especially as we prepare for all the activities related to our 60th Anniversary celebrations as African Enterprise. Please continue to keep us in your prayers and in your giving.

May the good Lord strengthen us as we follow in His footsteps. We are united in keeping hope alive to achieve our mission to evangelize the cities of Africa in word and deed.

Dr. Stephen Mbogo

International Team Leader/CEO



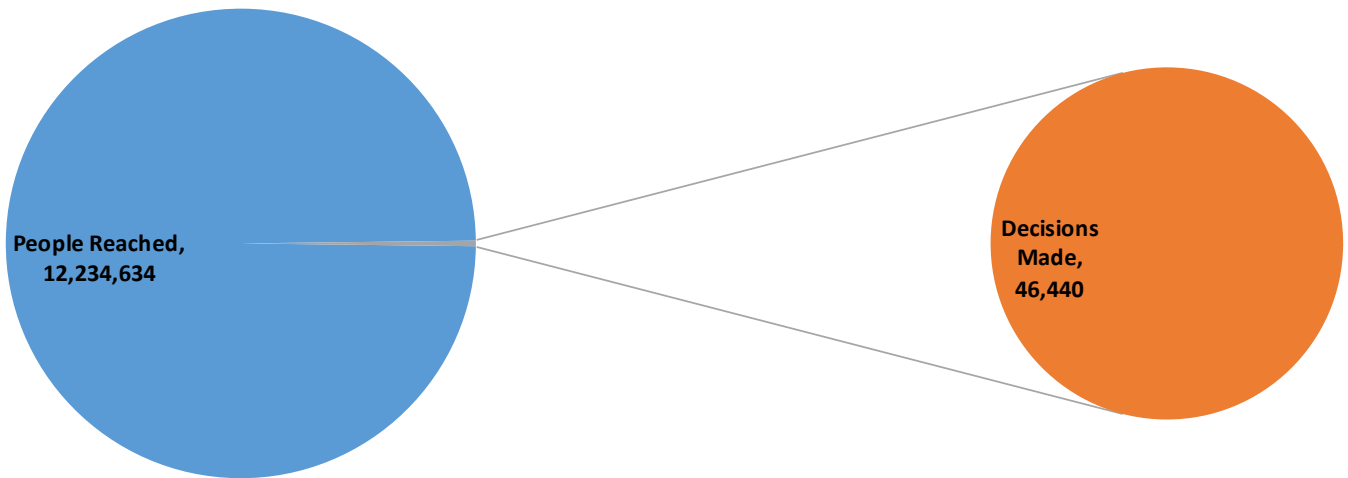
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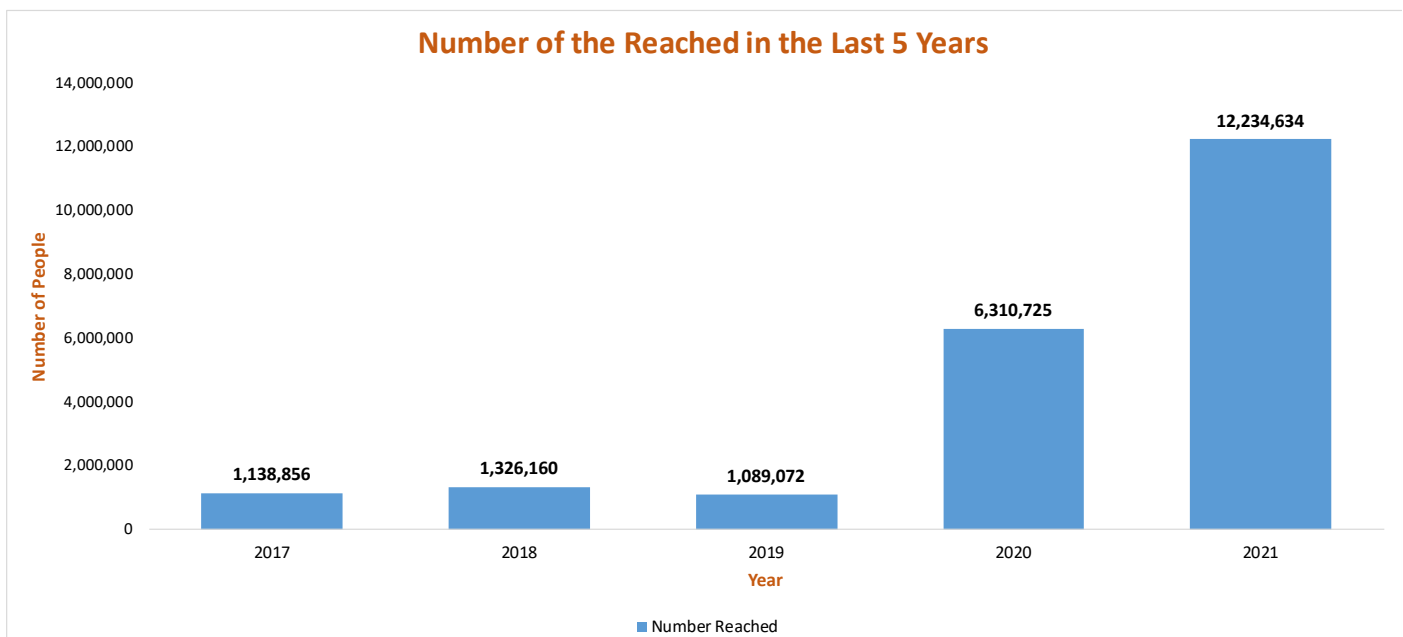


Our Impact in 2021

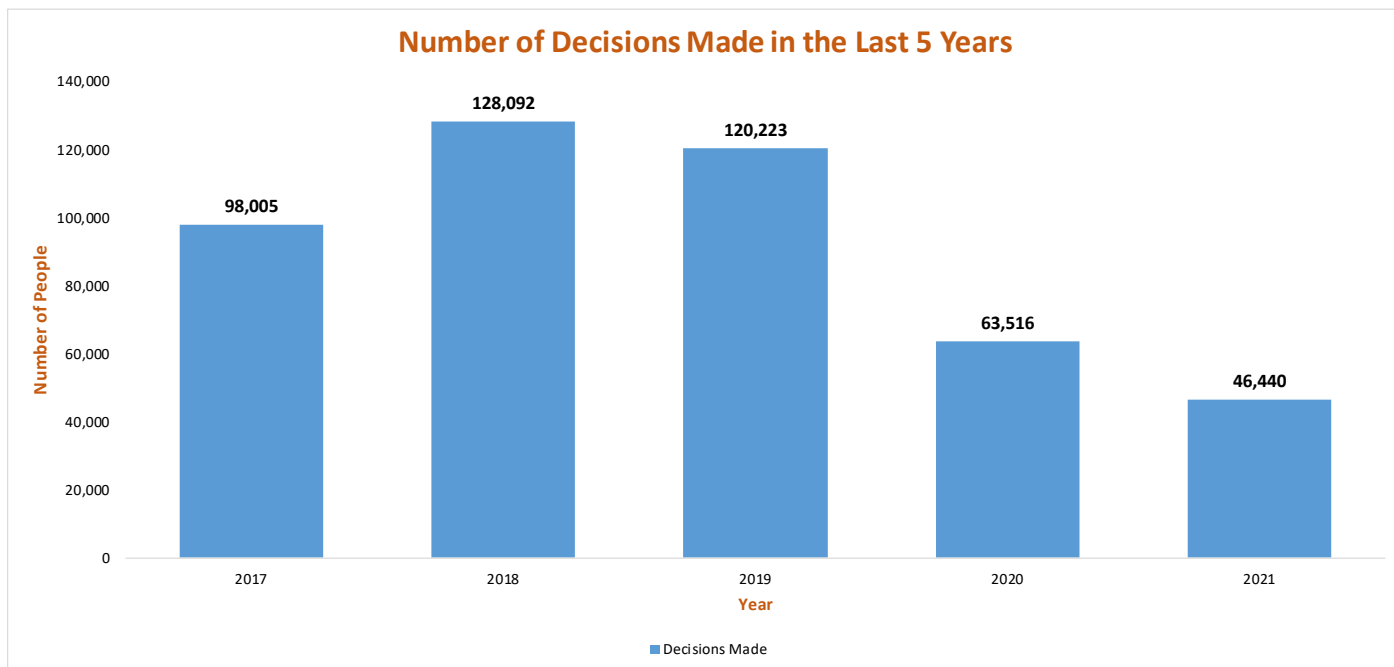
12,234,634 people were reached in 2021
with **46,440** of them making a decision to
follow Jesus Christ.



Over **22 million** people
reached in the last **5 years!**



Over **450,000** commitments to salvation made in the last **5 years!**



Our Strategic Pillars



Stratified Evangelism and Discipleship



Community Transformation



Peace Building and Reconciliation



Youth Empowerment



Capacity Development and Governance



Transformational Leadership Enhancement



*Holding True
Pressing On*

AFRICAN ENTERPRISE

60th Anniversary

Major Celebration Dates

AEE Uganda: 1st - 7th August

AE South Africa: 12th - 22nd August

AESAR: 25th August - 4th September



Alcohol Brewer Transformed by the Gospel



After her husband passed on, Susan Akinyi lived a miserable life and experienced multiple hardships. Her esteem died. She got so desperate that she started going out with her dead husband's friends.

Many people resented her and did not want their families to interact with her. She also used to sell illicit brew in her residential area and often had a share of it, usually getting drunk by 11am each day.

During the Mombasa West Mission in July, missionaries visited at her area of work before she got drunk although she had already started preparing the day's brew. Undeterred by the brewing, the missionaries spoke to her for over an hour as she listened passively. Consequently, she was convinced that she did not live a good life and was not a good example to her kids and other people in the society.

In tears, Susan immediately requested to be led into salvation. The missionaries prayed with her and gifted her with a bible and fliers with teachings for the new converts.

In a follow-up initiative about 3 months later, Susan said that since then, she'd not brewed alcohol nor drunk it as she had been changed. She affirmed that she did not have any urge or will to drink alcohol again.

Susan is now happy and proud of her new life and the change ever since she received Christ has been immense and many people are now associating themselves with her. She has also developed great relationships with her children. She is now looking to start another business which is ethical to be able to care for her family.

She has learned to pray and submit to God and everything is just getting better for her in this life of Christianity. She now aims at being a catalyst for change for people in her circle and plans to evangelize and lead them to Christ. Susan attends Church every Sunday at Deliverance Church.

AEE Kenya is now planning for an 11-day mission in the southern part of Mombasa in 2022. The team targets to host more than 2000 missionaries for the 2022 mission.



God's Faithfulness in the Midst of a Pandemic



“COVID-19 has been one of the major challenges I have had to face in my life. Life during the pandemic was extremely hard. My business went down and my income plummeted,” says Felix Mwaba from Zambia.

Before the pandemic, Felix had a stable business and a steady income. He was able to save about K50 (US\$2.50) daily and conveniently met the other family needs. With the pandemic, unfortunately, his daily income went down to K20 (US\$1 and he could hardly make ends meet.

Some of his seven (7) children dropped out of school due to lack of fees and the family was forced to move into an unfinished house to avoid rent expenses.

AE Zambia and Jesus Cares Ministries paid a visit to the area where Felix’s shop was located in Mandevu, and as was his custom, he was drinking ‘Chibuku’, the local opaque brew as a way of forgetting some of his frustrations and woes. As fate would have it, as the team set up the sound equipment for evangelism, they placed the loudspeakers right at the entrance of his shop.

When Rev. Charley Hampande stood up to speak, Felix begun to feel that the message was directed at him. He says it was as if Rev. Hampande knew him personally and all the activities he was involved in - drinking, smoking, drug abuse, womanizing among others.

He remembers the preacher saying that God remembered every sin we commit, even the sins we commit in the dark and in the privacy of our heart.

It was a great relief for Felix when he learnt that God loves him in spite of all he has done and that if he repents his sins, God would forgive and transform him. “That day, I decided to turn away from my sins and follow Jesus Christ. Since then, I do not drink nor smoke.

That evening, I announced to my wife, who is already a believer that I had accepted Christ as my Lord and Savior and she was overjoyed.”

The following Sunday, Felix and his wife Chisenga went together to the local Pentecostal church where Chisenga is already a member.

AE Zambia and Jesus Cares Ministry gave facemasks, buckets and liquid soap and for Felix, that was a demonstration of God’s love. “When you are struggling as I was in the last few months, it is very difficult to prioritize buying a mask over buying food,” he observed.

Although the challenges of COVID-19 continue, Felix is encouraged because he feels the situation has improved in the months. He is particularly grateful that he and his wife are learning to pray and trust the Lord even in this difficult time of COVID-19. “I am sure that God who is faithful, will see us through,” he affirms in faith.



Discipleship Impact Testimonies

Life Transformation Through Discipleship



I found the discipleship program to be transformational. My life has been greatly impacted by the courses of the program. It has stirred up my spirit to read the Bible and for ministry by getting involved in training others.

I received Jesus Christ 7 years ago but real-life transformation started to happen after joining the discipleship program. Now, whenever I am out of work, my first place of visit is my church.

I feel a closer relationship and family hood with church members and especially with the students I met at the discipleship program.”

Eyobed has completed the 3 rounds of the discipleship program and he is now taking part in training students of grades 5 and 6 in the discipleship program in Ethiopia.

Eyobed,
Ethiopia

Evangelism & Discipleship in Word and Deed



Following the KAYONZA mission in Rwanda, we have been blessed to have 7 new converts in our church and they are going through the process of discipleship for their spiritual growth.

We hope to help them in this journey as we have been doing to others. We have helped young girls who faced unwanted pregnancies and after preaching to them the gospel, we bought goats for them to start businesses. We have another group of new converts that we gave 30 Bibles.

We are intentional to help these new brothers and sisters in Christ in their growth both spiritually and economically.

We are expecting to gain more experience from AEE Rwanda concerning the trainings that help the church to be transformative in the community

Pastor Gatera,
Rwanda





1. AEI collaborates with the Association of Evangelicals in Africa (AEA) in pursuit of the evangelisation of Africa



2. A family in Ghana follows the Good Friday Broadcast in April 2021. The broadcast was translated into 39 languages and broadcast in 186 countries.

3. Hosted a Masterclass for Political Leaders in November 2021, facilitated by Rev. Dr. Steve and Prof. Rosemary Mbogo

4. Participants from 32 Countries who participated in Proclaim Congress 2021 in Nairobi Kenya. 48,392 people from 62 countries followed virtually.



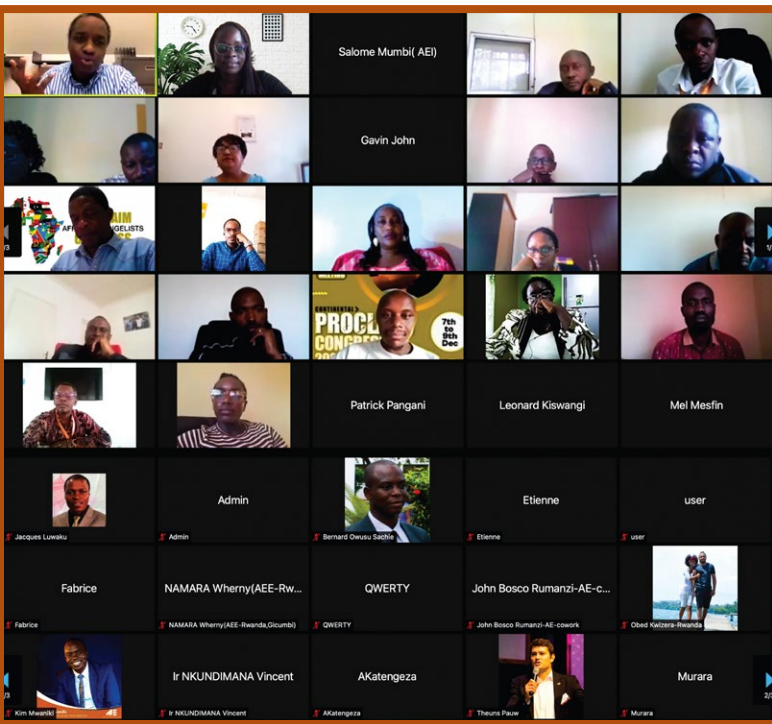


5. Launch of the Trauma Healing Programme in South Sudan in August 2021.

6. Members of the AE Partnership during one of the quarterly Corporate days of prayer.



7. Participants during the Advanced Missions Training in November 2021



8. Representatives from 11 countries during Community Transformation Group (CTG) Training in March 2021



Women in Motorcycle Repair Industry



Growing up with a single mum in Kamwilungu Village in Uganda, Lugolole Agnes, 23, was unable to proceed with studies beyond her O-levels. Her mum, who was divorced when Agnes was 1-year old couldn't afford her fees.

After 8 months out of school, she conceived and gave birth to a baby boy. Unfortunately, her life turned more miserable when the father of the child denied the responsibility.

In 2018, Agnes went to visit her Aunt in Kamuli District where she met a girl identified as Nangobi who was repairing Motorcycles to earn a living. Agnes got interested in the art but the high charges and requirements for skills training from the Artisan who trained Nangobi frustrated her desires.

A year later, Agnes' dream came true after being enrolled as Motorcycle Cycle Repair and Maintenance apprentice at Faluku Motor Spare garage in Kiyunga under Technical Vocational

Training Education Training (TVET) project by AEE Uganda in partnership with Stromme Foundation.

"I'm proud to be the first girl to do Motorcycle Mechanics in Kiyunga. I have started getting clients before even completing the training because most people want to see how girls repair motorcycles.

I feel empowered and motivated; thanks to AEE in partnership with Stromme Foundation that is sponsoring my training. I do encourage other girls to come and do motorcycle repair because it's not for men alone," recounts Agnes.

Agnes is currently under motorcycle repair skill-net but she hopes to use her savings to buy a tool box and establish her own garage for Motorcycle repair and mechanics in Kiyunga Town Council, purposely to earn money for supporting her mother, her personal development and to educate her son after completing the training.



Covid 19 Response: AE Ghana Donates Hand-Washing Devices to Odorkor Schools



African Enterprise Ghana made donations to Odorkor Cluster of Schools in Accra to help combat the spread of the novel coronavirus. 12 hand-washing devices together with liquid soaps and paper towels were donated to the Schools in June 2021.

The hand-washing devices were designed to be controlled by the foot to discourage the children from having body contact with the machine when washing their hands.

AE Ghana Board Chairman, Rev. Dr Nii Amoo-Darku led the Team in the presentation. Dr. Nii observed that “Covid-19 still exists, and most often we see pupils washing their hands by opening the tap with their hands, and after washing they use the same hands to close the tap. That kind of handwashing should be discouraged because we must prevent ourselves from having contact with people and objects.”

The board chair also took the opportunity to share the gospel with a section of the students and teachers who were present. About 700 people heard the gospel. He prayed for the students and the teachers.

The donated devices are going to serve 1,500 students in the school. The event was covered

by three media houses: Kantaka TV, Ghanaian Times graphic company and Kesben FM Radio.

AE Ghana’s Team Leader Rev. Ben Sachie introduced African Enterprise as a “Christian Organization which works with the Churches in spreading the gospel in word and deed.” He added that AE believes that in spreading the gospel, the organization has to look at the special needs of people so that they can assist them.

“As the Government of Ghana opens schools, we believe that our kids still need to follow the coronavirus preventive protocols though many people in the country have stopped adhering to those regulations. We hope these devices can serve a purpose and prevent the spread of the virus among these kids because they are our future generation,” he added.



The Headmistress of School, Mrs Juliana, on behalf of the teachers and the School, expressed profound appreciation to AE Ghana for the donation and promised to ensure that the devices were handled with care and used for the intended purpose.



Transformation of a Dilapidated ECD Block in Bukahna School, Uganda

Bukahna Primary School in Bukooma, Uganda is home to 1279 pupils, 64 of whom are enrolled at the ECD Centre. The school is one of the 5 schools that AEE Uganda selected to support under ECCE Project after needs assessment. The school had a dusty, dilapidated ECD block that had discouraged the parents from bringing their children to learn at the centre.

“We had a nursery school section which was not well established because the classrooms were in very bad shape; a dusty floor, doors had no shutters, poor small windows and the wall was very rough making the whole environment not conducive for the learners.

This caused low enrolment in the ECD section and the enrolled pupils were constantly suffering from health complications caused by dust. We needed this ECD block to be renovated to create a conducive environment for our pupils but parent’s contribution was very low, so we were unable to,” says Mr. Charles Nabeeta, the school’s headteacher.

This prompted AEE in partnership with Stromme Foundation to consider the transformation of the block into a conducive learning structure. The project, together with the School Management Committee, mobilised the community members for local resources contribution like sand, marram and water which were supplementary to the resources offered by the organisation which were all used as material for the renovation of the block.

The whole building was renovated hence creating a conducive environment for the learners and it immediately increased the enrolment of learners under ECD to 85.



After
Renovation

Before
Renovation



Youth for Youth: Standing Up Against Drug & Substance Abuse

The rising of alcohol and drug consumption levels among the youth in Malawi prompted African Enterprise Malawi to engage five university students in the fight against the act; Three from the University of Malawi (UNIMA) and two from the Malawi University of Business and Applied Sciences (MUBAS). The five took the lead role in an awareness campaign in November 2021 in different areas of Lilongwe.

AE Malawi Team Leader, Dr. Cornelius Huwa pointed out that the organisation decided to run this campaign because it had been observed that a lot of young people had been abusing drugs leading to low levels of productivity and poor development, hence a need to have it tackled.

“It could have been anyone, however, we have decided to involve university students because they are young and can relate better with the target audience. I also believe these internship programs will be useful to them (students) as well as to AE as an organization”, he said.

He pointed out that this opportunity would give the students a chance at gaining experience while effecting change in the society, expressing that it is an opportunity for the students to bring in fresh ideas on how to tackle the prevailing problem.

One of the students, said that as a youth and university student, he is happy to be part of a team that brings change to his fellow youth. He added that being a university student, he is very conversant with issues of alcohol and drug abuse as he sees his peers abuse drugs and battle

its effects. He believes with this knowledge; he will be able to bring awareness effectively to the communities in Lilongwe.

Mental Health Awareness

In another initiative, AE Malawi in partnership with Dance for Change Club (a club that advocates for social change using dance) had a mental health awareness session with the Lilongwe University of Agriculture and Natural Resources students.

The attendees' willingness to learn made the talk on mental health awareness more effective, and the performances by Foxfires Malawi made it more colourful and memorable.

Mrs. Tamanda Nazimera, speaking after the performances, said “University students have mental health issues because of the many situations they find themselves in on campus, for example, the pressure to excel, relationship issues and also pressure from family and friends.”

She continued to advise the students on the importance of taking care of their mental health and highlighted why it is important to speak out when they find themselves in difficult situations.

The director and founder of Dance for Change, Blessings Chazemba, in an interview said, “The event was a success, all thanks to God and also to African enterprise for the help they rendered during the event”. He further extended interest to continue working with African Enterprise Malawi in bringing behavioural change specifically in the youth.



Foxfire Testimonies During Graduation in Kenya



I am a law student in the Kenya School of Law. I am so delighted to have been part of the foxfires team in 2020.

It was not an easy year since we had to halt our ministry and tenure in the foxfires program and stay home. However, this did not deter our determination to reach young people.

With the help of the Foxfires leadership, we were able to start online ministry while at home. This gave me the opportunity to be the change agent I am meant to be. I commit to make his name known for as long as I live.

I am a change agent!

Shalom Shikuku,
Foxfires Kenya, 2020



Being in the Foxfires Team in 2021 has been a great experience! My greatest highlights have been in school ministry. It has been so humbling to see the young people seriously take heed to what I would say in relation to the area of address.

I am also so grateful to God for great guardians I have, great AE staff who have mentored us and a great program that has exposed us to the world.

I am so happy that as I go to the university, I will maintain a very high morale towards reaching the young people with the GOOD news.

This is my solemn vow.

Bella,
Foxfires Kenya, 2021

AEE Kenya Foxfires team reached 18,170 people in 2021 and 921 of them committed to follow Jesus Christ!



The Two Wings of African Enterprise's Plane

As a Field Office Coordinator in AEE Rwanda's Bugesera office, I could plan with the staff to go to the field and engage in different activities, aiming to preach the word of God to the community we serve. Due to limited skills in preaching, I didn't know that whatever we preach to people should solely reflect Christ, regardless of the bible verses we used. I only considered that it is written in the bible and it is the word of God.

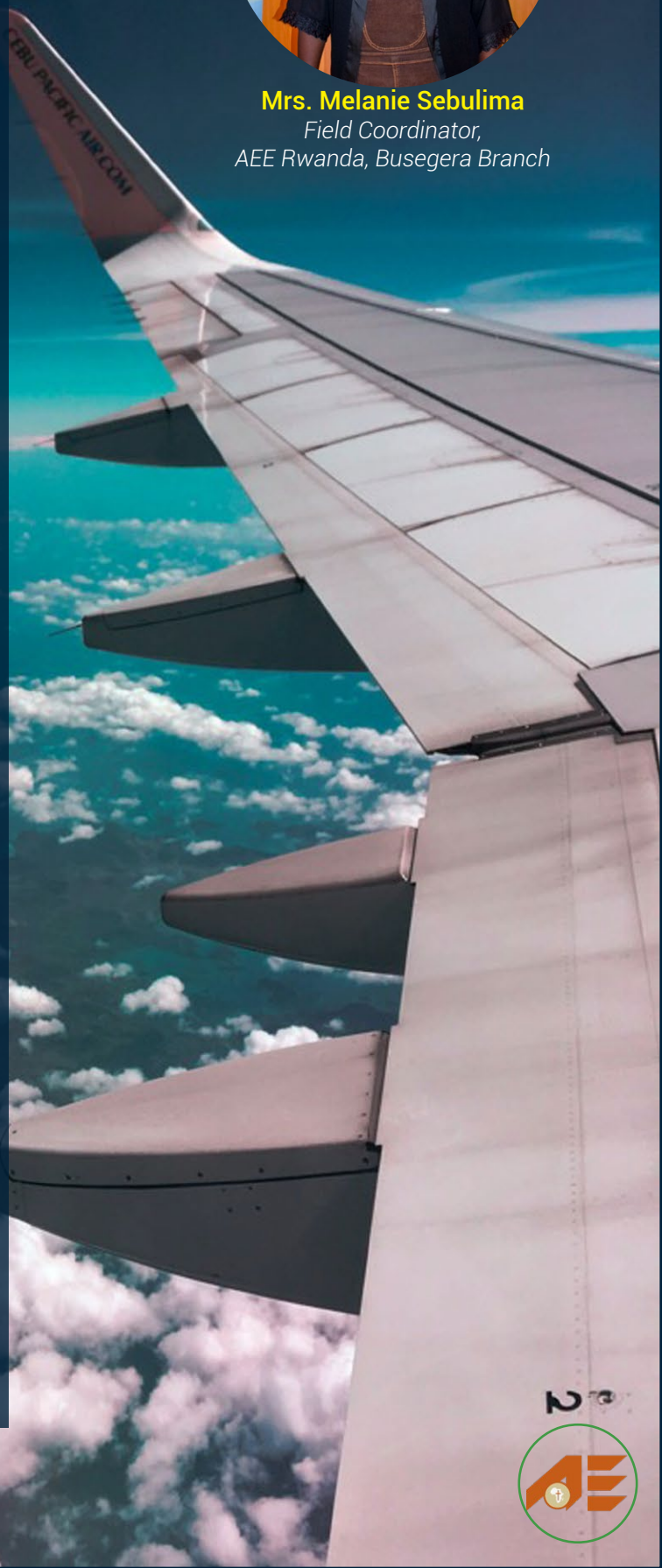
AEE Evangelism department in Rwanda organized a two-day training in October 2021 at our office to empower AEE Staff in Bugesera branch to preach the pure gospel of Jesus Christ through building the faith that stands on the power of God, not wisdom of men. AEE Bugesera staff have had an undeterred passion to preach the gospel and have done the best to keep doing so.

What stood out for me in the training is an emphasis on AEE's two wings – proclamation and demonstration (word and deed). The trainer compared AEE's evangelism model with the two wings of an aero plane. I established that in my ministry in Bugesera, there is unbalance between word and deed and this shows that I concentrate much on deeds and rarely give attention to the word.

After the training, I realized that the word of God I have been sharing with the community members would have brought bigger impact to the community if I had the required skills on preaching. I'm convinced that I should always put Jesus at the center of the message I preach to the people. Thanks to the capacity building initiatives by AEE Rwanda.



Mrs. Melanie Sebulima
Field Coordinator,
AEE Rwanda, Busegera Branch



Leadership & Capacity Building

Ministry Training in South Africa

AE South Africa organized the second of our training modules in May and focused on helping trainees gain an overview of both the Old and New Testaments.

The trainees also took time to learn how to interpret the Bible through the use of Hermeneutics, and understanding the importance of using the process of exegesis to interpret the various genres and contexts found throughout the Bible.

The students put into practice some of the knowledge they gained over the two days through practical exercises in their local churches and meeting on a regular basis with a ministry mentor.

The next module was scheduled for July, where students were to focus on the place of prayer and preaching in ministry. The module was however postponed due to riots in the country.



Hope Through Trauma Healing Initiative in South Sudan



AEE South Sudan has continued to roll out Trauma Healing Programs in schools within Juba. This has led to the establishment of Trauma Healing Clubs in different schools where students express themselves and also participate in trauma healing activities.

In September 2021, students and teachers at Juba Day Secondary School conducted a Prayer and Worship service as part of trauma healing initiatives. The school has a Trauma Healing Club formed in August 2021 with a minimum number of 20 Students as members, and more joined with time.



The AEE South Sudan team have appreciated club members at the school for doing a lot in changing lives of students through Prayer, Stories, Songs and Bible study; bringing healing to the wounded hearts from traumatic experiences.

At Mayo Girls' Primary School, Madam Joyce Christopher, a teacher and a project beneficiary, testified to the Trauma Healing Club members in September 2021 that the Trauma Healing Book taught her many things and has brought healing in her life and she hopes with the Grace of God that her club members will be healed too.

Viola, an 18 years old girl in P.8 Class at Juba One Girls Primary School became the first Girl who has shared her stories and testimonies with the club members and she said through speaking out, she felt healed and free from all the pains; especially the pain caused when her mother got sick, admitted in the Hospital and was poisoned to death in the hospital by a certain woman who came to see her in admission room.



Margaret Santo, 14, was always on punishment at Mayo Girls Primary School for offenses like fighting in the school, insulting friends and gossiping. On Friday 15th October 2021, the school administration dismissed her from the school since she couldn't change.

Before she left, the Trauma Healing Club had a program in the school which she joined and when they were praying, Margaret broke down in pain. After the program, the Project Officer for AEE South Sudan Mawa Charles alongside two teachers sought to find out why she was crying and eventually prayed with her.

Her dismissal from the school was lifted and her life and behavior was transformed. She is now committed as a member of the Trauma Healing Club at the school.



Bridge Encounters for Reconciliation in South Africa

The worst violence that South Africa has experienced in its 27-year democracy took place from 9-18 July 2021 as civil unrest broke out in KwaZulu-Natal and Gauteng, sparked by the imprisonment of former President Jacob Zuma for contempt of court.

The resulting riots and looting saw 342 people lose their lives, 3,407 arrests, the disruption of food, fuel and medical supplies, the destruction of property in excess of R25 Billion and placed more than 150,000 jobs at risk.

African Enterprise, together with Heartlines and the KZNCC (Kwa-Zulu Natal Christian Council) have partnered to do their bit in helping to reconcile communities most affected by the events that took place in July through a story-telling workshop (Bridge Encounter) built around a three-tier framework of Ask, Listen, Tell.

The facilitated process helps individuals and communities replace suspicion, fear, prejudice and racism; with understanding, respect, trust, and acceptance.



Thus far almost 50 Church and community leaders made up of various race groupings have attended the 1½ day engagement designed to give them practical insights to help rebuild social cohesion in their communities.

Each participant also received various tools and resources to take back into their communities and churches to effectively carry on the work of reconciliation. When we move from division to embracing the values of understanding and ultimately trust, we will transform our society and begin to create a society healed from its past, justly governed by its people, reaching its full and sustainable economic potential.



I feel that there is a great need for healing in our communities and for building bridges across nationalities, races and in helping to further unite the Church.

Sithembiso Ntshangase,
Anglican Ministry, Durban



I can say without doubt that the approach is brilliant and different from all other workshops I have attended, and thanks to the tools and structure of the workshop I will now be able to approach people to conduct topics on rebuilding trust and reconciliation without fear of hurting them in the process. As a result of the training, I have already engaged with the traditional council where I live to start these talks.

Knowledge Mzimela,
Harburg, KZN



This workshop and process has started a healing process for myself. As I listened to the stories of other people around me, I realized that I was no longer alone. There are those around me with similar stories and together we can start the process of healing because there is more that we have in common than what divides us.

Delisile Makhoba-Kunene,
Tugela-Majuba Christian Council



ABOUT US

Our Vision

To be the most faithful and effective catalyst for holistic urban evangelism in Africa

Our Mission

To evangelize the cities of Africa through word and deed in partnership with the church.

Our Core Values

Authority of Scripture

We hold the Bible as the ultimate source of truth.

Excellence

We are committed to achieving best outcomes.

Commitment

We are committed to honoring God in all we do.

Integrity


We reflect integrity in all our work, in our accountability to supporters

Unity

We believe in unity in Christ.



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