

R-E-P CHRISTIAN MISSION

OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL

REPORT 2022

Hopping from Year 2021's theme of being God's Co-Workers (1 Cor 3:9), we landed into Year 2022 with a strong determination to "Serve God Faithfully" with all our gifts (Rom 12:6-12) to ensure we build on the gains of the previous years as we take heed to fulfill the evangelism ministry entrusted to us by the Lord Jesus Christ.

The Apostle Paul, mindful of challenges in Ministry, charged Christian leaders of his time to focus intently on fulfilling the ministry or work given them by the Lord, the challenges notwithstanding. (Col 4:17 and Acts 20:24)

He indicated that the challenges he encountered did not deter him from preaching with joy, the Gospel of the Grace of God.

Year 2022 was a very difficult one for us. However, we sailed through in faith. We re-visited a number of our community evangelism sites, including those at Obeyeyie and Sychar to encourage the souls witnessed to earlier. We engaged the staff of some companies in prayer and exhortations, joined the Scripture Union in campus missions and kept our facebook and various whatsapp pages active with the good news of salvation through Jesus Christ.

These activities were powered by prayer sessions and scriptural exhortations, mainly on our WhatsApp platform.

In the course of the year, we grappled with a number of challenges which slowed us down a bit. Two of these challenges were:

- Members personal issues which made commitment to REP activities difficult.
- Drastic reduction in the inflow of freewill offerings.

However, in the last quarter of the year, we drew strength from the anchor scriptures of our theme and bounced back to action. Determined to strengthen our spiritual foundations, we restructured our prayer schedule and increased the frequency of planned exhortations on our WhatsApp platform. We also strengthened our relationship with some of our Ministry Partners and made concerted follow ups on all our members. We also started reviving earlier efforts towards enhancing our online presence and particularly using social media platforms to preach the Gospel.

All these efforts, doubtlessly inspired by the Holy Spirit and largely driven by God's amazing grace, set the tone for a wonderful 10th Anniversary program which relaunched the ministry on a higher ground. Out of the Anniversary came a revival, a commitment and a posture to press on with the good work of evangelism. God's grace is indeed amazing!

Pastor Robert leading in salivation prayer after the clean up at Obeyeyie



1. Community Evangelism

In various communities, we normally partner with local churches and other missionaries to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ, through house-to-house engagements, outdoor crusades and film shows, medical outreach programs, community clean-up campaigns and many more. Periodically, we follow up on souls reached out to, ensuring they are established in the Lord and active in local churches. We ride on the back of these community outreach programs to demonstrate God's love to the people by donating food items, clothes, foot wear and many more. Occasionally, we help the community people, especially the female folks to start petty trading or expand their existing businesses.

Major Activities in 2022

- 1. We partnered with the church of Pentecost to embark on house-to-house evangelism at Sychar.
- 2. We undertook a planned evangelism follow-up exercise within Obeyeyie and Amasaman communities. This greatly strengthened the brethren in the faith.
- 3. We partnered with Mission Now Or Never (MNON) to embark on missions in various communities in the Northern Region.

Achievements

- 1. We were able to reach out to about 60 people with the gospel through the sychar program.
- 2. Overall, more than 400 souls were reached with the gospel in three different communities in the Northern Region of Ghana.

- 1. We had challenges sometimes mobilizing people to the mission field when the need arose. The harvest is indeed plentiful but the labourers were few. We will continue to pray to the Lord of the harvest to equip us with more human resources. We have identified the need to train and resource believers resident in the communities to effectively take up the evangelism follow up roles.
- 2. Our financial resources were limited so we couldn't do much of what was planned for the year. We have since then developed various fund raising strategies to boost the work of the Ministry in this new year.



sharing the Gospel with one of the student groups during mission

2. Campus Evangelism

R-E-P Campus evangelism basically reaches out to schools, especially secondary and tertiary educational institutions, with the Gospel of our LORD Jesus. It is evident that people in that age class (15 - 22 years) are more vulnerable to the strange and evil demands of modern society and therefore need to be empowered with the word of God and prayer to resist the schemes of the devil.

At the Senior High School (SHS) level, we partner with the Scripture Union (SU) and at the tertiary level, our key ministry partner is the Ghana Fellowship of Evangelical Students (GHAFES).

Major Activities in 2022

In 2022, we partnered with the Scripture Union to minister on various occasions at two major senior high schools. Occasionally, we were invited to these schools to share the Gospel during their SU meetings or general church services.

In April, we joined the SU for a 3-day, massive Missions program at one SHS in Accra. It was a big success, much to the glory of God.

Achievements

- 1. We witnessed a lot of students surrendering their lives to Christ and many rededicating theirs to the same LORD of lords.
- 2. Through the power of prayer and the word of God, many of these students were liberated from the grip of pornography, masturbation, homosexuality and other sinful practices.

- 1. Also in this ministry sector, we had serious human resource challenges.
- 2. The financial constraint reared its head here as well. This limited the volume of work we could have done. A firm resource mobilization strategy is in place now to ensure that God's work continues unhindered.

3. Workplace Evangelism

Workplace evangelism is fundamentally an outreach program at various work places. The focus is on weekly, early morning prayer and exhortation sessions with the staff of corporate entities. We highlight biblical principles that mould the right attitude for productivity at the workplace.

Major Activities in 2022

We preached the Gospel at various workplaces, distributed tracts and had prayer sessions with the staff of those organizations.

Achievements

New souls were won, many rededicated their lives to Jesus Christ and many more were strengthened in the faith, in spite of all the pressing challenges they were facing.

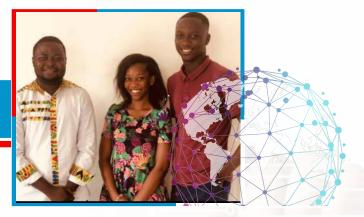
For some organisations, a good number of the staff were so greatly inspired that they began showing extraordinary openness for the word of God, which they received with unspeakable joy.

- 1. Most R-E-P personnel could not participate because they also had to go to work. This limited the number of organisations that we could visit per week.

 To overcome this challenge, we have plans to train and encourage one or two staff members of all partner companies to lead the morning devotion sessions.
- 2. Some staff of the partner organisations could not attend the morning devotion because they usually started work from home or from clients' premises.

 We will develop the content of our evangelism flyers or tracts to address the needs of people we cannot engage face-to-face.

A section of the media Evangelism team. what a joy to serve the Lord.



4. Mass Media Evangelism

It is a means of reaching out to people with the Gospel of Jesus Christ by leveraging on the power of the Internet, notably social media platforms. Social media has become a converging point for people of all age groups and races. It has the power of information transfer to anywhere on the globe in a flip moment.

It basically entails developing relevant biblical content in various forms (write-ups, audios, videos, pictures, etc), and then posting them on social media handles.

Major Activities in 2022

We shared numerous biblical posts on REP Whatsapp platform and on our Facebook page.

Achievements

- 1. We leveraged on social platforms for weekly prayer meetings (Zoom, Google Meet and WhatsApp)
- 2. Majority of executive meetings were held on same platforms.
- 3. Members shared their thoughts and Christian contents on our WhatsApp page.
- 4. In the last part of the year, we did some video posts on our Facebook platform which reached some hundreds of people.

- 1. We encountered network signal losses during online prayer meetings so we changed from zoom to a more stable application (Google meet)
- 2. There was inconsistency in posts on Facebook page so we have planned to work towards a specific number of posts per week.
- 3. Initially, there was a low viewer reach on Facebook so we made budgetary provision to sponsor contents to reach greater number of individuals.



REP10th Anniversary Program (Section of attendees)

The 10th Anniversary Program

This two-day program, held in December, 2022 really gave us an extraordinary experience. From the extended night prayer segment through the general discussions to the breadbreaking bit, we never missed the open-heaven blessings, the rich fellowship of the brethren and the inexplicable joy in our hearts which in turn strengthened us supernaturally for the task ahead in 2023.

There couldn't have been a better time to relaunch the ministry, with a renewed pledge to our core commitments. Undoubtedly God used the 10th anniversary program to remind us of the original pillars upon which we must build the ministry.

As the fresh breeze of revival began swirling in our hearts, we took immediate steps to do the following:

- Complete work on our website,
- Secure air-time for an REP radio program,
- Reorganize the existing evangelism structures for effectiveness,
- Embrace creative action plans for fundraising and
- Generally expand the frontiers of our operations.

Truly, it is God who works in us both to will and to do of His good pleasure. Out of the divine inspiration of the 10th anniversary celebrations, we have undoubtedly received divine empowerment to stretch our performance beyond limits in 2023, transforming more lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

R-E-P CHRISTIAN MISSION				
INCOME STATEMENT 2022				
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INCOME				
Balance Brought Forward from 2021	4,040			
Freewill Offering from Board & Partners				
Freewill Offering from Members	3,400			
Others	4,540			
Total Income	21,180			
EXPENDITURE				
Allowance for Part-Time Staff	5,100			
Commun <mark>i</mark> ty Evangelism	2,550			
Campu <mark>s</mark> Evangelism	400			
Workp <mark>l</mark> ace Evangelism	500			
Mass M <mark>edia Evangelism</mark>	200			
Tracts, Flyers & Other Stationery	500			
Donation <mark>s</mark> to Ministry Partners	5,100			
REP 10th Anniversary Program Source EVANNGELISM	3,520			
Miscellaneous	1,320			
Total Expenditure	19,190			
Balance (Bank & MoMo Accounts)	1,990			

R-E-P CHRISTIAN MISSION EXPENDITURE BUDGET FOR 2023				
Community Evangelism	7,560			
Campus Evangelism	2,592			
Workplace Evangelism	2,880			
Mass Media Evangelism / Radio Prog	45,652			
Tracts, Flyers & Other Stationery	1,200			
Donations to Ministry Partners	12,000			
REP Publicity	3,100			
REP Social Responsibility / Welfare	13,500			
Evangelism Trai <mark>nin</mark> g Workshops & Conference	8,000			
Business Wor <mark>ks</mark> hops & Seminars	22,500			
Admin Exp <mark>en</mark> diture	5,400			
Total Expenditure	124,384			