



Exhibitor Guide

EMMANUEL & GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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Welcome!

Dear Emmanuel and Grace Family and any visitors who join us today!

This missions weekend is a dream come true. I'm so excited it's happening!

On Thursday we celebrated our Lord's victorious ascension and remembered that He left us with a job to do. Last night our young people heard all about answering God's call from one of the missionaries and now today we have a number of organisations present:

- to Awaken you to what God is already doing in the world...
- to give you an opportunity to Connect with what is being done.
- to offer Testimonies of what God is doing
- so that you can do what you can to Support the work that is being done in His name.

So here's our passionate hope and prayer:

That you, as individuals and families, would step up to the call that Jesus makes to us to be world-changers through setting up a relationship with one or more of the organisations that are here today.

Welcome (continued)

Here's how:

1. Start off with a quiet prayer asking God to open your heart and show you where He wants you to be involved.
2. Move through the displays and stands. Be aware that some stands may seem flashier than others, but you need not only to be looking to outward appearances or needs that may seem more emotive than others, rather listen for God's prompting.
3. Take your time – move slowly and thoughtfully – help yourself to tea and coffee and eats half-way through. Take time to pray about what you have seen and heard.
4. At the end take a moment to reflect (If you are here as a family – huddle together chat about your experience.)
5. Make a decision to start a journey with one (or at the most two) of the organisations. Make sure you have all the info you need and start thinking about the ways God could use your Time, Talent, Treasure and Prayers for the organisation you have adopted.
6. Fill in one or two of the cards included and hand it to your chosen organisation(s).

This will be one of the most significant steps you will take in your spiritual journey!

Don't forget to come and hear Mike Hack from OM at our services tomorrow!!!

With much love,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Theo".



A Bible for Everyone!

A Bible for everyone – not just for people who read or for those who can afford to buy a Bible. Our focus at the Bible Society is on providing affordable and accessible Bibles to all South Africans. We do this through our publication programmes – translation, productions and distribution – which are all made possible through our fundraising programmes.

It is the task of the Bible Society of South Africa to provide affordable Bibles for everyone in their own language and in suitable formats so that all may experience the life-giving message of the Word.

The Bible Society serves all people by making the Bible available to churches, church organisations and individuals. The Bible is available in all South Africa's 11 official languages. To ensure the Bible is accessible to everyone, the Bible is available in different formats.

Account: Bible Society of South Africa

Bank: ABSA

Account: 260 220 748

Branch: Universal Branch

Branch Code: 632-005



Training of Community Leaders in South Africa

The Centre for Contextual Ministry at the University of Pretoria is a training centre that was established by the University to focus on the training of community leaders in South Africa, Africa and beyond, for contextual engagement in their communities.

CCM's target group is community and church leaders – including non-profit and civic leaders, public servants, business people and care-givers – who are committed to healthy communities and want to be equipped for more effective community practice.

We help participants in our programmes to relate their faith and spiritualities contextually, shaping their personal and professional practices in ways that will help facilitate multiple individual, congregational, organizational, neighbourhood and broader systemic transformations.

We offer training in four clusters focusing on leadership development, organizational and congregational development, the pastoral work of healing and counselling, and urban and community transformation.

At the roots of all the training offered by CCM is the fostering of faith and vision, values and meaning, critical consciousness and collective discernment, life and practical skills.

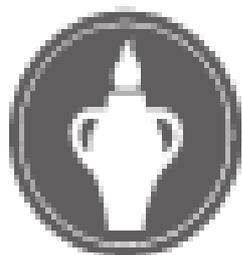
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The Gideons International

Saving the lost through the distribution of God's Word

The Gideons International is an interdenominational association of Christian business and professional men who are members of Protestant/evangelical churches. Our members are dedicated to saving the lost through personal witnessing and the distribution of God's Word in more than 190 countries around the world. We predominantly share Scriptures in schools and colleges, prisons and jails, hospitals, and medical offices. As well as hotels.

Having God's Word can lead people to faith in Christ, and those new Christians can then grow by studying their Scriptures and even use them to share their faith with others.

Bibles for individuals or placed in selected public locations where people who may be searching for answers will encounter the Word of God.

The majority of Gideons live and serve in their local communities:

- As they know the local language and customs.
- They know where the hotels, schools, prisons, hospitals and other locations where Scriptures need to be distributed are located.
- Sometimes, we're able to establish local groups of Gideons in countries where traditional missionaries aren't allowed to go.

Account: Gideons International in SA

Bank: FNB

Account: 624 168 847 91

Branch: 252 046

Ref: East Pretoria

Branch Code: 04252602



Rendering services to children orphaned or made vulnerable as a result of HIV/Aids

Kids Care and Support Trust (KCST) is a non-profit community based organization, which was registered in December 2003 under the auspices of St Joseph's Care and Support Trust and became an independent entity in September 2008. KCST renders services to children orphaned or made vulnerable as a result of HIV/Aids in three different peri-urban townships namely: Rethabiseng; Refilwe, and Zithobeni in the greater area of Bronkhorstspuit and Cullinan areas. 100% of our beneficiaries are from previous disadvantaged areas and 99% of the beneficiaries are black children from rural areas. The programme reaches over 670 children of ages 0-18 years who are either infected or affected by HIV and AIDS.

This community based project started due to the masses of children left orphaned or vulnerable due to the devastating effects of HIV/AIDS pandemic. Our drop-in centres give much needed support to children and provide an environment for children to realise their full potential under the guidance of Child and Youth Workers. Also in partnering with other stakeholders/ organisations such as the Department of Social Development, Kids rights etc. KCST helps children who are in need to access these services.

Account: Kids Care and Support Trust

Bank: FNB

Account: 621 790 980 43

Branch: Bronkhorstspuit

Branch Code: 632-005



Evangelising the world

Operation Mobilisation (OM) is an international and interdenominational faith-based missions organisation. We see ourselves as an integral part of the church and we are committed to strengthening the church through mobilising people from all walks of life into world missions. Currently there are over 3,000 people working in over 110 countries, serving with OM. We provide on-the-job training and send out short-term and long-term international teams by land and by sea. Our aim is to see churches planted among the least-reached people groups of the world.

Our vision is to see lives and communities transformed and our mission for accomplishing this vision is serving the church through training and ministry in order to send 500 new workers to evangelise the least reached by 2025.

Today there are between 350 missionaries represented by OM South Africa either working locally or in a foreign country.

Donations can be made online via:

<http://omsouthafrica.org/give>



Personal Lifeline for Seafarers

The Sailors Society is a nationwide organisation. Wars and other tumultuous situations in the country occurred over the years which formed the Society into what it is today. However, one aspect remained paramount – the services to those at sea and in the ports.

The Sailors' Society provides a personal lifeline for seafarers on board ship and when they step ashore. Our Chaplains – the very lifeblood of our charity – are at the core of our mission and ministry to merchant seafarers.

Ours is a compassionate and caring Christian ministry for merchant seafarers. Their work is demanding, tough and often dangerous. Life away at sea is constantly isolated from normal humanity and is lonely and forbidding. In our ecumenical mission to seafarers we strive to bring humanity to their lives and impart a real sense of belonging. Through service, example and word we seek to make Christ's love for mankind real for all whom we meet in our work.

Account: INTERNATIONAL SAILORS' SOCIETY SA

Bank: Standard Bank

Account: 051172216

Branch: Glenwood Branch

Branch Code: 04252602



The Salvation Army has an active and vibrant outreach

The Salvation Army is an integral part of the Christian Church, although distinctive in government and practice. The Army's doctrine follows the mainstream of Christian belief and its articles of faith emphasise God's saving purposes. Its objects are 'the advancement of the Christian religion... of education, the relief of poverty, and other charitable objects beneficial to society or the community of mankind as a whole.

In response to our calling from God, The Salvation Army has an active and vibrant outreach, whether through its faith communities or its community work. Thousands of people – ranging in age from new-born to the elderly – depend on the outreach of The Salvation Army, through soup kitchens, homes for children, rehabilitation centres, or home-based care for the sick and elderly, to mention some of the ways in which we care for people. Without the support of The Salvation Army, life would be that much more difficult and sometimes unbearable for many of them.

Account: Salvation Army Beth Shan

Bank: FNB

Account: 621 795 795 64

Branch Code: 250 545



Making God's Good News know to children, young people and families

Scripture Union South Africa is part of an international, inter-denominational, non-profit organisation. We are a specialist youth movement focussed on relational, contextual evangelism to non-Christian children and teenagers. Our goal is the development of whole persons, balanced in their spiritual, social, mental and physical growth. It is these young people who will shape the future of South Africa.

Working with the churches, Scripture Union aims:

- to make God's Good News know to children, young people and families, and
- to encourage people of all ages to meet God daily through the Bible and prayers

so that they may come to personal faith in our Lord Jesus Christ, grow in Christian maturity and become both committed church members and servants of a world in need.

Account: Scripture Union Gauteng North

Bank: Standard Bank

Account: 011 812 079

Branch: Brooklyn

Branch Code: 011245



Caring for and empowering the Disadvantaged and Destitute

We are an organisation dedicated to finding solutions to the problems of urbanisation, rampant poverty and homelessness. We aim to empower individuals and communities to become active participants in their own upliftment. We believe that true upliftment is not achieved by recognising a man's weaknesses, but by helping him to realise his strengths.

Mission: To develop projects and programmes which promote responsibility, dignity and skills whereby Individuals and Communities will be developed and uplifted.

- Woodlane Village
- Farm/Training Centre

In 2004 a farm was purchased in the Tshwane area outside Cullinan. Currently the infrastructure is being developed with the purpose of being able to facilitate training for the duplication of Upliftment Projects in the long term as well as providing practical Skills Development for those we employ and where possible, mentor.

Account: Tswelopele Step by Step

Bank: FNB

Account: 62053139103

Branch: Olympus Branch

Branch Code: 258155



WILLOW CREEK ASSOCIATION

Follow your “holy discontent”

The Willow Creek Association (WCA) is a not-for-profit organization that exists to maximize the life-transformation effectiveness of local churches. We do this by stirring up and calling out the core leadership of churches around the world, encouraging them to follow their “holy discontent” as they build life-changing communities of faith. We then equip these leaders with next-step solutions to impact spiritual transformation of their people, their communities, and the world.

Redeem and restore this world

At the core of the ministry is deeply held belief that God’s ordained plan to redeem and restore this world for Christ is through the church. In fact, we believe that is the hope of the world.

Account: Willow Creek Ministries

Bank: Standard Bank

Account: 201 715 376

Branch: Northcliff

Branch Code: 6305 (006305)

We are COMMITTED:

- to be a FAMILY of God's People
- learning to FOLLOW Jesus every day
- making a DIFFERENCE in our neighbourhood

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