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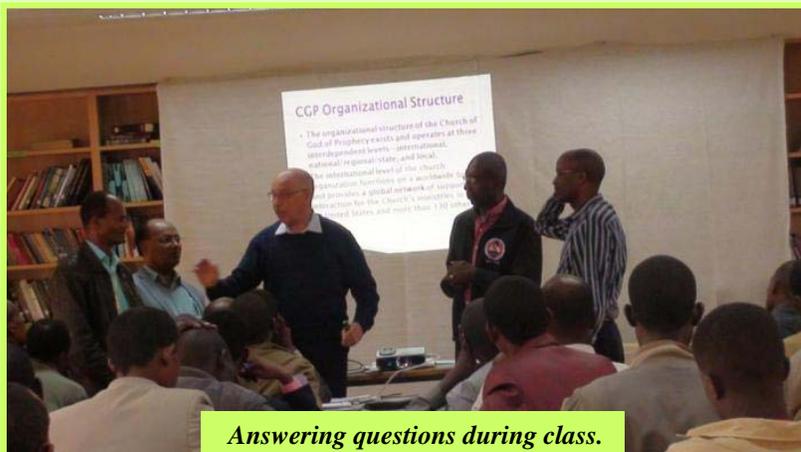
SOPAS IN ETHIOPIA!

Bishop David Bryan and Bishop Adrian Varlack brought great instruction and inspiration during our first-ever School of Practical and Advanced Studies in Addis Ababa. Bishop Bryan's teaching on Theology and training in Administration will prove very helpful for our churches throughout the country. I cannot tell you how the ministers responded to Bishop Varlack's presentation of the Church of God of Prophecy. He chronologically walked us through the Church's history and his wonderful perspective was truly stirring. I will not soon forget the time we all spent weeping together in the presence of the Lord. The ministers left with a connection to our movement like they have never had before.

Of course, it was not without its' challenges. Bishop Masilela was turned away at the airport due to visa issues and could not join us. We rented our conference space from the Presbyterian Church in



53 ministers completed SOPAS Term 1.



Answering questions during class.

Addis Ababa. The space was comfortable and adequate except for trouble with the loss of power and water. These frustrations did not deter the Lord's strengthening of our leaders.

We have initiated a plan to carry the training we received into the districts throughout the country. I

appointed a small committee which I call the EFA (Entrusting Faithful Ambassadors) to spearhead the preparation and fulfillment of this vision.

Beyond this, we are prayerfully considering what the next step will be for our School of Theology. Our desire for a more permanent and structured school remains. Thank you for your prayers on this point.

We are so thankful to all those who contributed in some way in making this event a reality. Certainly, much thanks goes to the team at CBL, but many other people served as our advocates along the way. A number of individuals and churches contributed to the costs, as well. You know who you are and you know we appreciate you.

NEW PASTOR IN GANJI AREA

Kasahun Fekadu was installed as a pastor in the West Wollega area of Ganji. Previously he worked as an evangelist and he has personally planted five churches in this area. In our country, pastors oversee a number of churches. This was not simply an appointment I made. The ceremony was attended by many churches in the area and included a covenant of sorts between the Pastor and the congregations to faithfully serve and follow one another. We are excited to see the work of the Lord advance as His people respond in faith to him. Kasahun is just one example of this.

IRON SHEETS FOR FIVE CHURCHES

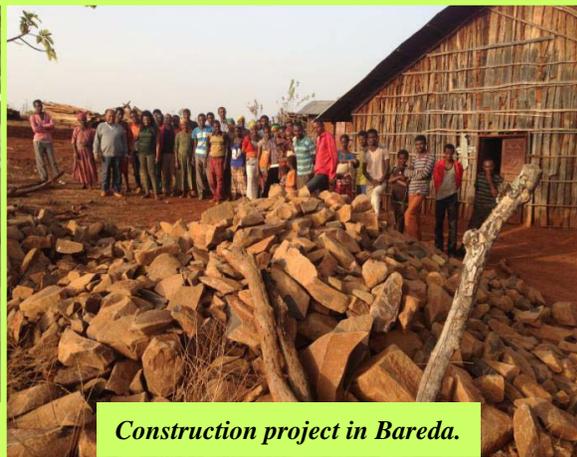
Our list of 15 churches in need of iron sheets is now down to 10 as we were able to provide funds to five churches for their roofing. Although we were only able to contribute \$500 of the estimated \$1000US to each congregation, we are confident this will help meet the need. Two Harvest Partner churches made this gift possible. Thank you for continuing to pray and work with us to provide for our brothers and sisters.



Pastor Kasahun and family at dedication.



Giving instructions in Gimbi.



Construction project in Bareda.

MINISTERING TO OUR CHILDREN

In addition to our traditional ministries, we are supporting 80 children with school materials and clothing across 7 of our districts. As an example, the two children in the photo have no father and their mother is sick with Elephantitis. The older one is now developing symptoms. Supplying them with materials for schooling is wonderful, but we are longing to do more. We are currently looking into possibilities to provide treatment.



A few of the children we are supporting.

Sincerely,
Fekadu Ayele, Overseer Ethiopia

Thank you, Harvest Partners, for your faithful support to Ethiopia through your prayers, encouragements, and financial support. You are truly impacting this nation with the Gospel of Christ, and we appreciate you so very much.



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