



Equipping pastors to abide in and feed their congregations from God's Word.

### Ministry of Multiplication

We have been excited to see the ways God has allowed the ministry to grow and adapt to the changes brought on by COVID-19.

Word-of-mouth has become one of the primary ways new people hear about the ministry. There is no longer the option for Facilitators to speak at conferences, nor can there be large gatherings where hundreds hear about RP at the same time. This is actually opening the door for more people to be reached, as those who finish RP are taking up the responsibility of passing it on.

This model of multiplication is one that we have been trying to inspire in the local pastors for some time. The recent events have made it a need that the local pastors recognize and desire to join in to meet.

A Botswanan Bible College lecturer has decided to introduce his students to the Romans Challenge. He himself completed the challenge and has seen his life and walk with God benefit from it; there are now ten of his students who have

taken up the challenge through his recommendation.

In Kenya, there are key regional coordinators that Charles Naibei, the facilitator there, has found. These pastors are well connected within their region and able to network with others within that area. There are currently over 200 Kenyan pastors working to finish the Romans Challenge.

In Zambia, Zinga is in contact with several RP graduates who are also passing the challenge on to others they know. One of them, Joseph Tembo, is currently taking 31 other pastors through the challenge.

Another, Pastor Jimmy Banda, is reading and writing with 5 other pastors.

It is amazing to see the way that God is allowing the Romans Challenge to be a blessing to so many pastors who do not have access to Biblical training or resources.

Please pray for those who have taken on this challenge to be learning from God and

encouraged by the way He is working in their lives.



*South Sudanese RP graduates gathered to pray for the ministry to be reaching new pastors*

### Ethiopian Unrest

Please join us in praying for our brothers and sisters in Ethiopia. The past several weeks have been filled with unrest in the country.

In the past month, 128 people have been killed and thousands displaced. Rival groups are being riled up to fight one another, and Muslims have been pushed toward killing Christians.

Our Ethiopian facilitator specifically asks for prayer for the Churches in rural areas. With both unrest and COVID, it has been challenging for the small rural churches to continue amidst the hardship.