



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

New Regional Facilitators

Cameroon National Facilitator Achine Divine was thankful to hold his very first Regional Facilitators gathering with four pastors in November. It is the aim of the Romans Project leaders to have the National Facilitators train and equip commissioned pastors to become Regional Facilitators, who will then share the challenge with the pastors in their regions. Appointing Regional Facilitators is especially necessary in the geographically larger countries, and in those where travel can be difficult due to weather, terrain, political instability, etc. Achine went on to report that the gathering was very successful. The pastors renewed their personal commitment to the RP and shared ideas for how to encourage other commissioned pastors to multiply themselves.



Achine pictured with Pastors Peter, Prevailer, Joel, and Ralph

Praise God that each of these pastors were able to see themselves as a tool in the hands of God for the expansion of the RP ministry, and pray for their vision to commission at least 500 pastors by March 2024.

Encouraging News!

We received word of a 72-year old Nigerian pastor, Kahifa Simon, who was among the first group of pastors to hear about and begin the Romans Project challenge in 2015. After the sudden and unexpected passing of Titus Turaki, the Nigeria National Facilitator at the time, we lost contact with Pastor Simon who had not completed the initial challenge. Achine in Cameroon reconnected with him a few months ago and encouraged him to finish the challenge - and he did! Pastor Simon was among a group of 109 pastors who were commissioned in Doula on November 26. This shows the tremendous value of follow up and encouragement which the facilitators do so faithfully.

Praise God for giving Pastor Simon a renewed desire to complete the initial challenge he started nearly nine years ago. Pray for connections with other pastors who may have lost contact with the RP at that time.

Report From Sierra Leone

Alpha Samuels, the Sierra Leone National Facilitator, reported in early December that in the past week "his country has been under serious security tension following an attempted coup which led to the loss of so many lives, jail break, and unrest." Alpha then went on to tell of the progress he is making in his work for the Romans Project, including encouraging pastors to "keep the fire burning and fight toward the completion of the

challenge." There are plans being made for a gathering later this month, and Alpha said the pastors are really looking forward to it. What perseverance and an excitement for the RP in the midst of this tumultuous time!

Please pray for peace and stability in Sierra Leone, and for God to protect and enable Alpha to reach more pastors with the RP

2023 Year-End Results



With the close of another year of ministry, it is exciting to look back on some of the advances that were made for the Romans Project in 2023. There are 334 Invitation/Commissioning gatherings, with an estimated 8852 pastors invited and 2944 pastors commissioned. We say estimated because there are some gatherings still to come in December, and these stats may not include the invitations that facilitators give through personal interactions with fellow pastors. Still, these are amazing results and we give God all the glory and praise!

Please pray for the ongoing growth of the Romans Project and for the impact of the challenge in the lives of pastors and their congregations in 2024.

