



Changing lives in Sri Lanka's prisons

- We have supported Harvest Ministries' outreach events attended by 3,250 inmates and staff in Mahara, Trincomalee, Kandy and Anuradapura
- Each program combined music, food, entertainment and the gospel message
- About 1700 openly and boldly confessed Jesus as their personal saviour
- Thanks to Helston Light and Life Church for their sponsorship in this outreach
- Although in lockdown, the prison ministry team are still supplying emergency food to prisoners and the poor in the community



Bringing hope and transformation

Changing lives in Madagascar through education



Extra chairs had to be bought for the students

- In March, 33 students graduated from the Life Skills Course; 28 gave their lives to Christ and 15 signed up for Bible study units
- As the next courses have been postponed due to lockdown; the Academy staff are updating teaching materials and distributing food bags to the poor

Our challenge in 2020

We are excited at the opportunities God is giving us to change many lives in the developing world. Whilst we appreciate your prayers and help in achieving this, we also need to increase our supporter base.

At the start of this new decade, could you introduce your friends and family, particularly the younger generation to share our vision? Could you pass this newsletter to somebody and encourage others to visit the website and sign up for a digital version, or return the enclosed reply slip, so we are able to keep in touch with them?



Our challenge for you during lockdown:

- Pray for our partners and trustees
- Contribute financially; use your time and talents to raise funds
- Use social media to direct others to the website
- Share the newsletter with two friends
- Encourage two friends to sign up for the next newsletter
- Inspire the next generation to change lives

Current opportunities to change more lives:



Beds urgently needed

- New beds and bedding for children at Le Triomphe orphanage, Madagascar
- Next Life Skills course at TMH Academy once lockdown is lifted and replicating the course in Antananarivo, the capital
- Partnering with Victor to reach more remote communities by boat
- Model farm in Sri Lanka to improve local farming techniques, food supplies and help raise funds to support a specialist children's home for survivors of abuse and treatment for child soldiers recovering from the civil war

You can now make donations through Amazon Smile or Easyfundraising; this will generate a gift for TMH every time you shop online at no cost to you.

Vehicle helps Victor to change lives in Madagascar

In the 16 years since we sourced a 4x4 vehicle to help Victor in his ministry, he has

- Planted 60+ churches in the bush around Tamatave, on the east coast, which now serve over 10,000 people
- Trained local leaders to oversee the churches
- Facilitated the formation of a number of small business enterprises e.g. bee-keeping, and has encouraged the development of the local economy and therefore a sustainable income stream for many families



Roads are challenging but faster than walking

His vision is to reach more remote villages, only accessible by river; this requires a boat for teams of 6 on weekend mission trips. TMH is looking to partner with him to achieve this goal.

Young artist uses her talents to change lives in Madagascar



Old thatch no protection from monsoon

- When her year group was challenged to raise money to renovate homes for 5 poor families in Antananarivo, Kara, (age 13) sold her masterpiece on eBay for £100
- Thanks to the girls at Abbot's Hill School, who held cake sales, did chores and dog walking, the new metal roofs will not leak in the next wet season. Each family will also soon have a bed, instead of sleeping on mats.

We look forward to sharing photographs of the completed work in our next newsletter.

Restructuring to increase effectiveness in the new decade

The trustees are delighted to announce that Ian Pounce (a trustee since 2009) has agreed to become the Chair of Trustees, whilst Nigel Kiernander, who has ably led TMH since he founded the charity, will concentrate on his role as Director.

Ian brings a wealth of experience

- He has worked for a number of years in the charity/care sector at director level
- Having worked in a missional business in China, he still dreams in Mandarin occasionally
- Gained a Masters degree in Contemporary Mission Studies from All Nations College and recently completed an MBA with the Open University
- Ian is married to Susanna with children aged 15, 13 and 9
- To relax, he enjoys touring the UK with his family in their caravan



We are grateful for Nigel's untiring work and commitment since 2004



- After running his own company for many years, he has used his business experience and skills to initiate and oversee many projects to improve the lives of the poor and disadvantaged
- He has helped to change the lives of many in Ghana, Cambodia, Sri Lanka, Romania, Madagascar and Kenya, with projects in education, water and sanitation and occasional emergency relief
- He continues as Director of TMH, looking forward to serving for many years ahead whilst living in Cornwall with his wife Angela