

PERSONAL GOALS FOR 2023

- Complete Gospel Coaching Training with CMM (Church Multiplication Ministries)
- Travel to Kenya (June), Colombia (August) and Peru (November) to teach Bible Institute classes
- Continue to minister to World Reach missionaries, pastors and church leaders through coaching relationships
- Assist in curriculum development and enhancement with other World Reach Teachers and Staff
- Develop Prayer and Financial Support from friends and churches

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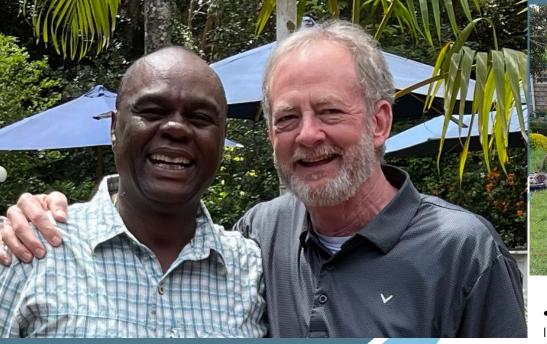


WORLD REACH

REACHING THE WORLD
WITH THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST
THROUGH THE LOCAL CHURCH

As World Reach missionaries...

We provide grace centered Bible teaching for pastors and church leaders so that churches may bless their communities with the Promise of Life in the Gospel of Jesus Christ.



Dear Friends,

It's hard to believe I've been full time with World Reach since January. As a pastor, your job is "mostly reactionary," you keep up with your congregation and their day to day struggles along with the ministries of the church. Now, as a Global missionary, in addition to traveling abroad, my time is spent writing and gathering materials for curriculum development, teaching and coaching pastors and church leaders, and traveling to share this ministry with churches: Here's an idea of what the last 3 months have been like:

- •Since teaching at the retreat for Word Reach leaders in Colombia in February, I have had many Zoom and face to face coaching opportunities with pastors and friends. I am in the process of completing my "Gospel Coach" requirements for Church Multiplication Ministries.
- •A great deal of my time has centered on writing a class entitled "Knowing the God of Hope." This class fulfills the curriculum's requirement for "the Spiritual Life of the Believer" and I recently presented the material (which consists of 27 contact hours) to pastors and Christian leaders in Meru, Kenya. Earlier this Spring, I had an opportunity to "test drive" the material at a Men's Retreat at Redeemer Presbyterian Church in Athens, Ga. I was encouraged by the men's reaction as we reminded each other of our union with Christ and God's constant, loving activity in our lives. (Please continue on opposite page)



•In the Spring I participated in Westwood PCA's mission conference. This summer I will be in Johnson City, TN (Westminster PCA), Albany, GA (Northgate Presbyterian), Dothan, AL (Westwood PCA), Macon, GA (First Presbyterian) and Jasper, TN (Grace PCA). In September, I will return to Colombia for 2 weeks and wind up the year's teaching with a trip to Peru in November.

Here's what I am most excited about! As mentioned, I have had many opportunities to "coach" and mentor several brothers in Christ. So far, the Lord has given me eight men to work with! Six are "international coaching relationships" (3 in Kenya/3 in Colombia). What a privilege to be part of these men's lives! Please pray that the Lord would continue to grant us deep friendships as we encourage and remind one another of our union with Christ.

Please do this for me... Check out my website "Knowing the God of Hope Together" (ricksearle.com). This site for the students we serve and friends who want to know more about the teaching resources I am collecting and developing for World Reach. Would you please click on ...

"ABOUT"

and read the short explanation of our ministry with World Reach?

Also, please take note of the articles. I believe they will encourage you as you grow in the knowledge of God's great love for us in His Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Thank you, for helping us in this ministry with World Reach!