



Pastor Unity Msame and his staff hosted just over 400 young people for their 17th Christian weekend conference. Many kids shared their personal testimonies of all the ways God has been working in their own lives. They participated in teaching, break-out sessions, and worship concerts. A parent contacted Pastor Unity after the conference to tell them that their son wants to attend the winter

conference so badly, he would like to give up his Christmas present if it meant he would miss! We believe this says a great deal about the importance of this ministry in the lives of the teenagers in their community!



A new outdoor kitchen building was recently completed, and equipped with a new stove and refrigerator to facilitate the feeding of a nutritious, hot meal to each of the children attending the Voice of Victory school five days a week. In many cases, this is the only meal that many of these children receive on a regular basis. They have also been able to tile the floors in the classrooms, providing a much cleaner, more comfortable environment for the children.

Plans to build two, new, 2-story classroom buildings for the VOV school are still in the works, but the wheels of progress turn very slowly as they wait patiently on the availability of a surveyor, and for their legal system to provide the foundational documentation needed to start the construction drawings. Please pray!



The medical clinic continues to thrive as an incredible ministry to the community. They have been reaching out to people from every tribe and religion in the area, and the Lord is using their very committed, loving staff to spread His love and saving grace to each one of them! We are grateful for the substantial grants we have received to help fund the startup costs of the Voice of Victory Dispensary, and continue to pray for the funds necessary to pay staff salaries and purchase medicines. We are working to develop some businesses that will fully fund the clinic and

school on a long-term basis.



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The "Bfresh" packaged water plant opened for business in 2015 with ten employees and four service routes. The demand quickly surpassed production, so they have had to build an addition to their current warehouse and purchase additional equipment in order to meet the ever-increasing demand for clean, bottled water. Profits from Bfresh are starting to help fund Beyond the Word Radio, a national Christian radio station, as well as other ministries sponsored by Kwame Nkrumah, and his wife, Naana, in the remote, northern Volta region of Ghana.



A dedication celebration for both the radio station and water plant was postponed for several months as Kwame and his crew continue to build the additional warehouse space to accommodate the growth. Over \$1.1 million has been sent for this project since 2014, so we are organizing a site visit to help celebrate their tremendous progress and to ensure a very important and appropriate level of accountability.

Travel funds are part of the necessary overhead to ensure good stewardship of what the Lord has entrusted to us. While we're there, we will also visit the 20-acre site where Beyond the Word hopes to construct the Graceland Christian Academy and Conference Center.

We are also exploring a new relationship with an organization Julia connected with during an international human trafficking conference in London last November. They are helping rescue children held in slave labor by human traffickers in the fishing industry on Lake Volta.



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