迦納生命河靈糧堂 River of Life Christian Church in Ghana

加入成為分堂:2004年3月 地點 Location: Accra, Ghana (and other cities) National Director: Rev. Texford Aryee-Tagoe 分堂:共21間分堂 官方語言:英語



簡要介紹

迦納原是英屬殖民地,獨立後日益繁榮的經濟和民主政治 體系使其成為西非的區域大國,迦納約有三千萬人,涵蓋 各種種族,語言和宗教團體,基督教徒佔人口的百分之七 十。在加入生命河的大家庭之前,現今迦納生命河靈糧堂 的主任牧師 Rev. Texford 已於2003年拜訪灣區時,來到生命 河參加主日崇拜,並認同生命河靈糧堂的異象與使命。生 命河於2004年初差派了一個短宣隊到迦納拜訪 Rev. Texford 和他的教會,親自見證這個教會是一個充滿愛的教 會,雖然當時他們沒有自己的教會建築,物質上也有很多 需要,但是牧者和同工及會友卻同心建造,興旺福音。生命 河於2004年3月正式接納 Rev. Texford 的教會成為分堂。目 前他們在首都Accra及周邊地區,共拓植了18間分堂,並成 立了學校,積極傳揚耶穌基督的福音給非洲迦納的未識之 民,也藉著工人的訓練及會友的見証來擴展教會,他們的 異象是將福音廣傳鄰邦,並於2020年正式差派 Rev. Kwarko 到東非莫桑比克建立分堂。在這次充滿艱難及挑戰的季節 ,相信神為他的再來預備道路。就在2024年,他們成立了第 21間分堂,並差派Richard Kwasi Harrison牧師來帶領。感謝 主,目前迦納分堂,每週日有高達1700人聚會,大家在2024 年欣喜地見證了迦納教會的聚會人數達到了新的高峰,是 一個令人鼓舞的里程碑。求神不斷保守迦納,讓他們持續 增長!

Brief Introduction

Ghana was originally a British colony. After independence, the increasingly prosperous economic and democratic political system made it a regional power in West Africa. There are about 30 million people in Ghana, covering various ethnic, linguistic and religious groups. Christians account for 70% of the population. In 2003, before joining the ROLCC family, Rev. Texford, now the senior pastor of ROLLC in Ghana, was visiting the Bay Area and came to ROLCC to attend the Sunday sermon. Afterward, ROLCC sent a short-term mission team to Ghana to visit Rev. Texford and his church in early 2004. They witnessed this church as a church full of love, although they did not have their own church building at that time, and they lacked many material needs, however the congregation, including the pastor, coworkers and fellows together built their church and spread the gospel. Therefore, in March 2004, ROLCC officially accepted Rev. Texford's church as a daughter church. Currently, including

the main worship place in the capital, Accra, they planted 18 branches throughout Ghana, and established schools for people in need. They actively spread the gospel of Jesus Christ to unidentified people in Ghana, Africa, and through the training of workers and the testimonies of congregation, they have extended the gospel and the church. Their vision is to spread the gospel to neighboring countries, and in 2020 they officially sent Rev. Kwarko to Mozambique, East Africa, to establish a branch. In this season full of difficulties and challenges, believe that God will prepare the way for his return. Just in 2024, they established the 21st branch church and sent Pastor Richard Kwasi Harrison to lead it. Thank the Lord, the Ghana branch currently has up to 1,700 people gathering every Sunday. Everyone is happy to witness that the number of people gathering in the Ghana church has reached a new peak in 2024, which is an encouraging milestone. Pray that God will continue to protect Ghana and allow them to continue to grow!

代禱事項

- 請為迦納新分堂的開始和新上任的Richard Kwasi Harrison禱告。求祢降臨在迦納新分堂的每一位成員 和牧師身上, 賜下智慧、力量和恩典, 使他們能夠合一 地走在祢的道路上。求祢賜給新牧師智慧和洞察力, 讓他能夠認識和了解教會的需要, 並以溫柔和慈愛的 心靈來牧養祢的羊群。願他的講道充滿祢的真理和生 命, 能夠鼓舞和激勵人們走在信仰的道路上。
- 2. 求祢保護迦納新分堂免受一切試探和攻擊, 讓它成為 一個堅固的堡壘, 福音的燈塔, 照亮迦納的每一個角 落。願祢的名在這個地方被尊崇和榮耀, 直到永遠。

3. 求主帶領教會在拓植、建堂上能不斷突破, 並求主供 應建堂所需的一切經費及資源。

Prayer Request

- 1. Please pray for the opening of the new branch in Ghana and the new appointment of Richard Kwasi Harrison. Please descend upon every member and pastor of the new Cana branch and grant wisdom, strength and grace so that they can walk in Your way in unity. Please give the new pastor wisdom and insight so that he can recognize and understand the needs of the church and shepherd Your flock with a gentle and loving heart. May his sermons be filled with Your truth and life, and may inspire and inspire people to walk on the path of faith.
- 2. Please protect the new branch in Cana from all temptations and attacks, and make it a strong fortress and a beacon of the gospel, illuminating every corner of Cana. May your name be exalted and glorified in this place forever.
- 3. Pray that the Lord will lead the church to make continuous breakthroughs in church planting and church building, and that the Lord will provide all the funds and resources needed for church building.