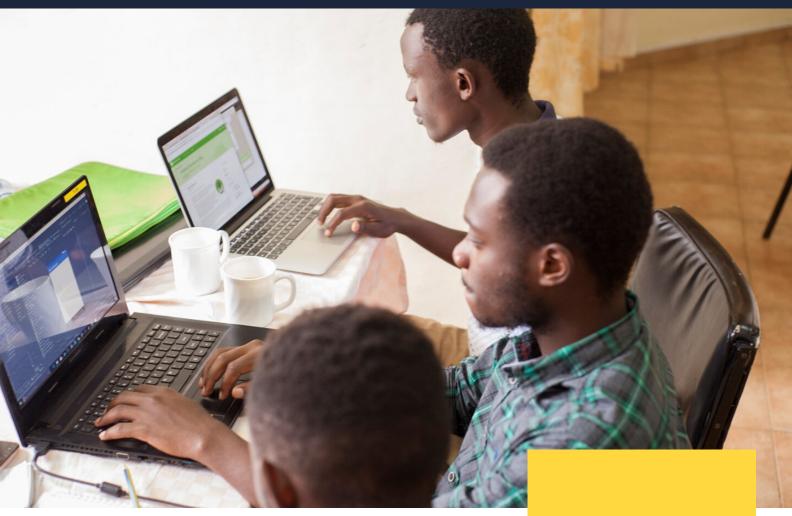
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HOPE 2020

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We trust that this newsletter finds you and your loved ones well. We have been praying for you as the whole world grapples with the effects of the Corona Virus pandemic. Our prayer for you in this season is, "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit" (Romans 15:13).

Since the outbreak of COVID-19, in Wuhan, China, the world has increasingly been gripped by fear as the virus spreads. In Malawi, though the country is yet to record a confirmed case of COVID-19, normal life has been disrupted. All learning institutions have been closed and gatherings have been limited to a maximum of 100 people. International airports will be shut from 1st April 2020.

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OUR RESPONSE TO THE CRISIS

1s there Hope? - YES!

Despite businesses being disrupted, normal social life and even churches being affected, the greatest pandemic during this season seems to be the pandemic of fear. People are so afraid as they think about both the direct and indirect impact that the disease will have, both during the pandemic and after it has passed. The world has a great need to hear the message of hope – hope that only the Lord can give.

Hope 2020 is a project to spread hope in Jesus Christ to people in Malawi and beyond via digital means during and after the COVID-19 crisis. 1 Peter 3:15 exhorts believers to "...Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have..." God has blessed LIFE Ministry with Digital tools such as the Jesus Film products which are fully online, other short films, Apps like Godtools, and several websites that enable believers to creatively engage people online, hold conversations on the current crisis and other life concerns, and eventually share the good news of Christ. For those that receive Christ, we will use Digital tools to disciple them, and equip them to reach others.

The good news is that any believer can be equipped to become a Digital Missionary. LIFE Ministry has tailor-made trainings for churches to incorporate digital tools and strategies in their ministry. We hope to provide this training for many churches during this period. The project will run from 1st April – 30th June, 2020.



PRAYER POINTS

- Pray for many believers to commit to become Digital Missionaries who will spread hope and share the Gospel during and after the COVID-19 crisis.
- Pray for open doors as we approach TV and radio stations requesting for opportunities to air Jesus Film and other evangelistic/discipleship films during the Easter period. We target to expose at least 2,000,000 people to the Gospel between April-June 2020 via social media and mainstream media.
- Pray for opportunities to provide Digital Strategies training for many churches.
- Pray for many people to meet Christ via social and mainstream media and be discipled.
- Pray for resources to carry out the Hope2020 project.

For more information on how to become a Digital Missionary or to organize Digital Strategies training for your church or group, call or text or WhatsApp us on +265 992 192 192 / +265 882 742 193.