

# Houses of Hope Ministries International

## **Newsletter May 2024**



#### **Dear friends of Houses of Hope Ministries International**

The past few months have been busy with several special events. In January and February, we started working on the program for the year 2024, which was broadly on paper.

At the beginning of 2024,
Apst. Cennick completed his
Master of Theology studies.
His graduation ceremony
was on March 9, 2024. A
very special day for him and
his wife and also a
memorable day for Houses
of Hope Ministries
International. We believe
that good spiritual education
for our leaders is necessary
to serve as pastors, elders,
deacons and leaders in our
local churches in Ghana and





internationally. In 2023, Ps. Emmanuel also obtained his BA Theology.

### Paasconferentie 2024

In addition to coordinating the weekly activities in the various House of Hope churches, organizing an Easter conference requires a lot of preparation. This includes determining the theme, arranging the program, inviting speakers, and handling the financial aspect can also be quite a puzzle because we have to work with a limited budget. Furthermore, it's also a major logistical operation because people from different parts of Ghana, as well as from abroad, need to travel to the conference location. Additionally, accommodation, meals, and all that comes with it must be arranged for all conference attendees.



This year, we were honored to receive three international guests who served during the Easter conference; Bishop Humro and Apostle Humpfrey from Charisma Ministries Int. Suriname, and Jeroen de Jong, the elder from Evangeliegemeente Reveil in Lelystad."

This year, our Easter conference was held in Sunyani, the third largest city in Ghana. We purposely chose our church in Sunyani because Pastor Emmanuel, his wife, and his team have gone through difficult times in recent years. The simple wooden temporary church building would not be the most ideal location, but that's just a matter of human thinking.



For we have seen a mighty movement of God's Spirit during the days of the Easter Convention. People have been converted, others have been filled with the Holy Spirit on the spot and began to speak in new tongues, people have also been set free from demonic powers and others have been healed!

But also the unity and togetherness as believers were strengthened and it is an encouragement to see how it works out in our different churches. We see motivated young and older Christians. Every week people come to repentance and start serving the Lord.



#### Nieuwe initiatieven

Through our relationships with church leaders in various countries, new initiatives are being formed. We are considering exchanging young Christians between our churches in Ghana and the churches in Suriname who have a desire to serve God in the mission field.

Apostle Cennick and I have been invited to speak at a conference in America, Aberdeen, a place near Washington, from September 2nd to 18th, 2024. The second leader of this congregation, Joel Santana, was present at our Easter conference last year.

In September, the "HoH-International Bible College" will start at our mother church in Accra, where students can pursue an education on various levels. Teachers from both inside and outside the country will be teaching there. Next year, 2025, we will hold our first interdenominational "HoH-Youth Convention" for the first time. This will be an annual returning youth conference held at our mother church in Accra.

We will also celebrate the 10-year existence of Houses of Hope Ministries Int. Ghana next year. We would like to draw extra attention to this; the form it will take is yet to be determined. The implementation of these plans will depend on various situations in Ghana and within our churches because life is still very hard for many people. We practically support brothers, sisters, and families who are at risk of getting stuck without our help.

Thank you very much for your prayers, gifts, and donations. It is through your support that Houses of Hope Ministries Int. Ghana has grown to another spiritual level and has had an impact on other ministries in Ghana and beyond.

We pray and believe that God will provide and bless us with the necessary finances to further develop this ministry, both practically and spiritually, in the coming months. Will you join us in prayer?

Kind regards, on behalf of our teams in Ghana."



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Help ons belpen!!!

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