NEWSLETTER



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MINISTRY SUMMARY

October has been a month of meaningful engagements, fruitful conversations, and opportunities to proclaim, clarify, and defend the Gospel of Jesus Christ. From connecting with over 800 pastors and ministry leaders to engaging students in schools and addressing challenging questions on digital platforms, we continue to see the importance of creating spaces where people can ask difficult questions, think critically, and grow in their understanding of the Christian faith.

Here is a look at some of our highlights this month.



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SCHOOLS MINISTRY

Our schools ministry continues to provide opportunities to engage young people with the Gospel, encourage biblical thinking, and create safe spaces for difficult questions.

ASIFIWE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY:

Our engagement at Asifiwe International Academy has continued through the Alpha Course.
We began with the older teenagers as a pilot programme, with the intention of learning from the experience before potentially extending the sessions to younger age groups.

One observation from our engagements is that many students do not consistently carry their Bibles. This has prompted us to consider making Bibles available during our sessions so that students can follow along with the Scriptures and develop a habit of engaging directly with God›s Word.
We are exploring practical ways of doing this, particularly when the number of students is large.

GREENHILL ACADEMY KIBULI:

At Greenhill Academy, we continue to engage students through the Alpha Course. Each session begins with a video followed by discussions on the questions and lessons raised.
One of the themes explored this month was The God Who Heals, where we considered the question: Does God always heal?

We have witnessed growing interest, deeper engagement, and greater clarity among the students. The sessions are consistently well attended, with a full room and increasingly rich discussions.

MARIAM HIGH SCHOOL:

We continue to engage Christian students at Mariam High School, a Muslim-founded girls› school in the heart of Kampala.
The school provides opportunities for external speakers to engage students, but Christian students have had limited opportunities for dedicated Christian teaching and fellowship.

We have therefore been meeting with the Christian students, who number fewer than 200. Our sessions run for approximately two hours and incorporate the Alpha Course, biblical teaching, and open discussions.
The girls bring forward several questions, which we take time to explore and address from a biblical perspective.
This has been a particularly meaningful opportunity to teach the Gospel, strengthen the students in their faith, and encourage them to think through what they believe and why they believe it.



KIBULI SECONDARY SCHOOL:

At Kibuli High School, another Muslim-founded school in the heart of Kampala, we continue our engagements every other Friday.
The school has a sizeable Christian student community, providing an important opportunity for discipleship and apologetics.
We are also looking forward to introducing our Ugandan Gospel series to the students. Given the depth and length of the material, we hope to present it as a two-part series to allow sufficient time for engagement and discussion.

MENGO SECONDARY SCHOOL:

Our engagement at Mengo Senior School takes place every Wednesday at the boys› hostel, which is run by a Christian proprietor.
We use the Alpha Course as a starting point for discussions, creating room for students to raise questions arising from the videos and topics covered.
Rather than simply delivering teachings, we seek to create an environment where students can openly ask questions, examine biblical answers, and develop a clearer understanding of the Christian faith.

WATOTO HOME, SUUBI:

We had the opportunity to engage students aged 18 and above at Watoto Suubi.
What began as a rather timid interaction gradually developed into an enthusiastic and engaging discussion.

The students became increasingly comfortable participating, asking questions, and sharing their thoughts.
It was encouraging to see their confidence grow as the conversation progressed.

SHOMA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY:

We continue our engagements at both Shoma Christian Academy branches: Ntinda and Kasanje.
This month, our discussions focused on «The God Who Is Always Present.» Through the Alpha Course and guided conversations, we are helping students explore God›s presence and what it means for their everyday lives.







THEOLOGICAL TRAINING & MISSIONS

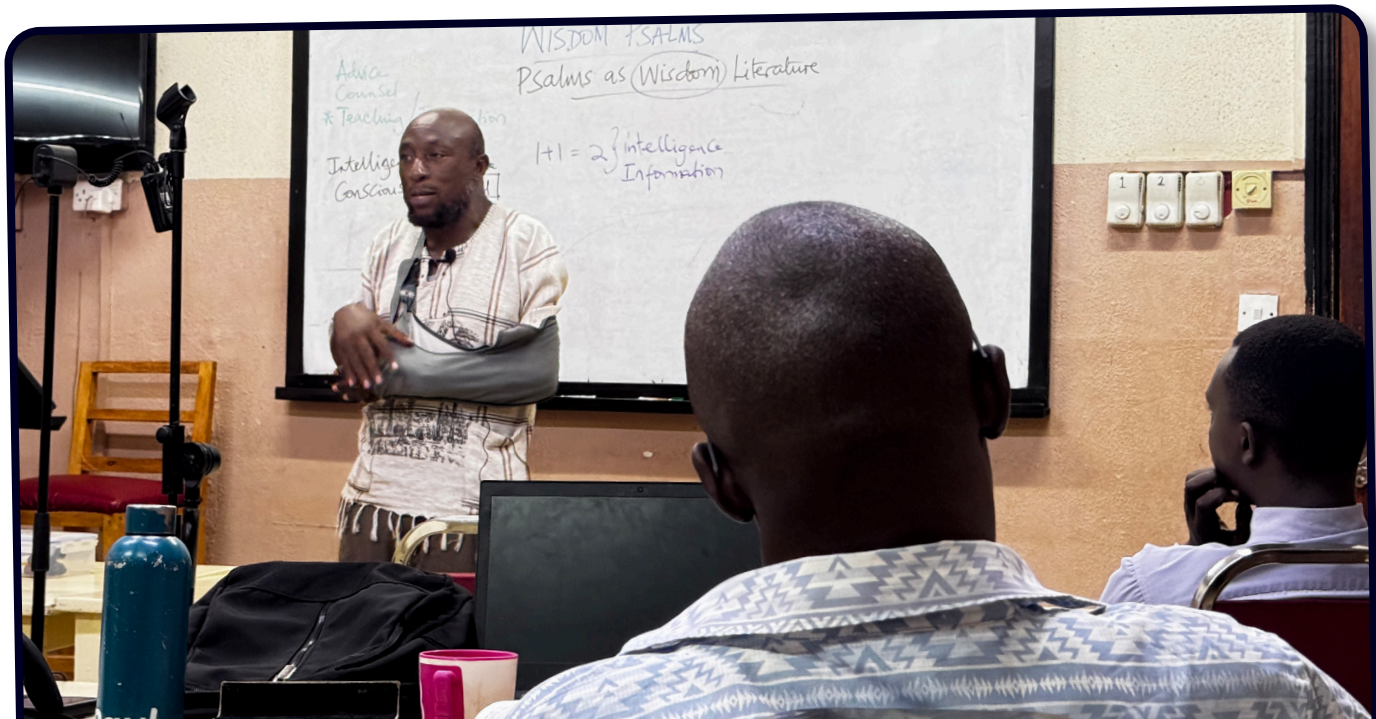
Our commitment to equipping believers and strengthening Christian leadership continues through our pastoral training initiatives.

SHEPHERDS ACADEMY – EQUIPPING CHRISTIAN LEADERS

The Shepherds Academy (TSA) programme is still ongoing, with nine students continuing their studies.
The students are currently in their final term of the year, which commenced in October.
We remain encouraged by their commitment to theological learning and the opportunity to equip them with the biblical knowledge and understanding necessary for faithful Christian ministry.

CALVARY CHAPEL BIBLE COLLEGE – STUDYING THE PSALMS

Our training programme at Calvary Chapel Bible College is also ongoing, with teaching currently focused on the Book of Psalms.
The programme has nine students: one in Year One and eight in Year Two. The current term is expected to conclude in mid-December, when the students will sit for their examinations.
Through these programmes, we continue to invest in theological education, biblical understanding, and the development of leaders who can faithfully teach, serve, and shepherd God›s people.



SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS & APOLOGETICS

GOD, SUFFERING AND THE ARTS SERIES – CALVARY CHAPEL

Our God, Suffering and the Arts series at Calvary Chapel has continued to be a rich and thought-provoking experience.
What began as a four-week series has extended beyond the initial schedule because of the depth and richness of the discussions.

We have explored the relationship between Christianity and the creative arts, moving from storytelling to music, poetry, sculpture, and other creative expressions. Our next focus will be visual arts, including videography, photography, and film.

Throughout the series, we are examining how the arts can communicate biblical truths and point us towards God›s sovereignty in creation and His redemptive work at the cross. Ultimately, the cross and the empty tomb remain the greatest picture of God›s redemptive story.

One key observation has been that Christians often underestimate the value of art and its influence on how we understand, communicate, and engage with the Christian faith. This series has challenged us to reconsider how creativity can serve the Gospel.



THE GOSPEL RENEWAL CONFERENCE.

We had the privilege of participating in the Gospel Renewal Conference, organised by Together for the City, a partnership of like-minded churches and ministries committed to serving and strengthening the Church.

The conference provided a valuable opportunity to interact with ministry leaders, share insights, build relationships, and connect with over 800 pastors. The discussions centred on pastoral and theological training, pastoral ministry, discipleship, and, most importantly, the centrality of the Gospel and how it can be faithfully proclaimed and spread.

We also had the opportunity to receive several books that will enrich our work and ministry.
It was an encouraging experience that reminded us of the importance of collaboration, continued learning, and strengthening those entrusted with leading God›s people.







MEDIA & DIGITAL MINISTRY

Our media ministry has remained active this month as we continue to use digital platforms to proclaim the Gospel, address difficult theological questions, and engage audiences beyond our physical ministry spaces.

VIDEO PRODUCTION AND SOCIAL MEDIA ENGAGEMENT

We managed to shoot a number of videos this month and continued to engage our audiences across Instagram, YouTube, and X.

We have also released several videos addressing challenging and often controversial questions within Christianity. These include:

1. **Miracles and Curses – Have Pastors Misunderstood God›s Power? – Examining how God›s power is understood, represented, and sometimes misrepresented in the Church.**
2. **Frank Gashumba vs. The Ugandan Church – Examining the criticisms raised against the Church and how Christian leaders should respond.**
3. **Divorce – Exploring marriage, divorce, and the biblical standard for Christian marriage.**
4. **If God Is Everywhere, Why Do We Have to Ask Him to Come? – Exploring God›sa omnipresence and what Christians mean when they invite His presence.**

These conversations form part of our continued effort to address questions that Christians and non-Christians are asking while encouraging biblical clarity and thoughtful engagement.

TIKTOK AND ZOOM LIVE SESSIONS

This month, we have also had opportunities to engage audiences through TikTok Live and Zoom discussions, addressing some of the more controversial and challenging questions surrounding Christianity.
These platforms are open to the public, which means our conversations bring together people from different religious backgrounds, perspectives, and levels of understanding.
One interesting observation has been the increasing number of outspoken atheists participating in these discussions. Some engagements have been particularly intense, with strong emotions and confrontational questions.

In one discussion, a Muslim participant remarked that he was glad not to be part of the Christian disagreements being discussed.
This highlighted an interesting reality: many of the debates and controversies attracting public attention are taking place within Christianity itself.
These interactions reinforce the need for Christians to understand their faith, respond thoughtfully to criticism, and distinguish biblical Christianity from teachings and practices that may misrepresent the Gospel.

We remain committed to using these digital spaces to encourage meaningful conversations, address difficult questions, and present the Christian faith with truth, clarity, and love.



CONCLUSION

We are grateful to God for the doors He continues to open, the relationships being built, and the lives being reached through these engagements.
We also appreciate the churches, schools, ministry partners, speakers, volunteers, and supporters who make this work possible

At Tru Tangazo Uganda, we remain committed to our calling:
To Announce Truth, Awaken Thought, and Affirm Faith.

Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect. — 1 Peter 3:15

Thank you for being part of the journey.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

1. God, Suffering & the Creative Arts Series at Calvary Chapel, Kampala
2. Schools Outreaches - SHOMA, GreenHill Academy, ASIFIWE
3. Scripture Union Uganda Annual Youth Camp - December
4. The Shepherds Academy - Term III of 2026
5. Calvary Chapel Bible College - Semester II of 2026 continues
6. Team Retreat

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