

# 2023 Annual Report



*“Sharing the love of Jesus Christ through the gift of reading”*

The Spirit of the Lord is on me,  
because he has anointed me to preach good news  
to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom  
for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to  
release the oppressed. (Luke 4:18)



**Global Literacy Mission**

# REPORT FOR JANUARY TO DECEMBER 2023

## From the National Director – Phoebe Park



When the world experienced great unexpected difficulties, there were no activities during the Pandemic. But as the Pandemic ended by the grace of God, the work of the literacy is slowly gaining vitality. Because of the extremely low illiteracy rate in Korea, we focused on Teacher Training Workshop in the field of missionaries in Korea and overseas missionaries rather than illiterate education. We look forward to God's amazing things to do in the future.



## Teacher Training Workshop in Korea

### Literacy is a powerful tool for evangelism and church planting

A total of 17 people, including Korean Christian leaders, a Pakistani missionary, attended the TTW on May 29, 2023 at the Osam Power Church in Anyang. Many Koreans were involved in multicultural ministry.



## Teacher Training Workshop in Korea



Although the pandemic has not been fully resolved, the TTW was held on July 15, 2022 at Osam Power Church. Missionaries Jeon, Dae-woong and Park, Hye-sook, who work in Bangladesh, attended TTW before the pandemic, but did not use it. At the end of the pandemic, they started Literacy ministry in Bangladesh. When they saw the explosion of the gospel, they actively promoted TTW when they came to Korea. A total of 14 people, including Korean missionaries who are staying in their home countries, church leaders, a Chinese missionary and a Vietnamese missionary, attended the TTW, and everyone felt that education for the illiterate was a powerful tool for missionary work, vowing to be loyal to spread the gospel.



Missionaries Jeon, Dae-woong and Park, Hye-sook, who work in Bangladesh, actively pushed for another TTW while they were in Korea. A total of 15 people, including Korean missionaries staying in their hometowns and Korean church leaders, attended the TTW. The missionary who preached in the remote areas of the Himalayas also showed interest in Primer Construction.

## Teacher Training Workshop from Cheon, Daewoong in Bangladesh



### Literacy is a powerful tool for evangelism and church planting

On August 26 and September 23, 2023, a TTW was held in Bangladesh at YWAM School and Ro semawi, attended by couples from Silet, the easternmost part of Bangladesh, from Kosabaja, and from Shimol. Missionary Park Hye-sook and Rose Moyo also showed practical demonstrations. Through Literacy education, churches are formed in many places, and some Hindu believers gather to meet the gospel and receive Jesus as their Savior, which is a great hope for the poor and widows.



*Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age. (Matthew 28:19~20)*

## Literacy is a powerful tool for evangelism and church planting

Literacy teachers who have completed TTW are teaching illiterates here and there in Bangladesh, where they learn to write without complaint, whether in hot, cramped rooms or outdoors. The place where we gathered by accepting the gospel through literacy education is turning into a place of worship.



## Post-training practice in Bangladesh



Lalram Bawm

Ok, we My wife Rosemawi and I we are working, start Literary program from February at Wari Narinda with 13 Women's they are two believes and 11 Hindus and another group with 6 they are all Muslim at Saidabad this Saidabad people's are not committed but Narinda Telugu women they are very committed and hungry for Christ

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Women's Education Program			
L: Ramani Pahar, P/O: Ramu, P/S: Ramu			
Dis: Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh			
SL: NO	NAME	AGE	VILLAGE
1	Ropali Nath	36	Ramani Pahar
2	Anita Dabi	37	Ramani Pahar
3	Potima Dey	37	Ramani Pahar
4	Joya Rani Dhar	35	Ramani Pahar
5	Potu Bala Dhar	19	Ramani Pahar
6	Mohochana Akter	48	Ramani Pahar
7	Tisna Dey	26	Ramani Pahar
8	Anjona Dhar	38	Ramani Pahar
9	Parul Sil	40	Ramani Pahar
10	Soborna Dhar	39	Ramani Pahar
11	Kolpona Sharma	46	Ramani Pahar
12	Basonti Dhar	79	Ramani Pahar
13	Shika Dhar	47	Ramani Pahar
14	Nila Dhar	54	Ramani Pahar
15	Anita Bala Sharma	55	Mora Para
16	Priya Dhar	19	Ramani Pahar
17	Zinu Rani Dhar	34	Ramani Pahar
18	Shopna Nath	42	Ramani Pahar
19	Sojata Dhar	46	Ramani Pahar
20	Songita Sharma	35	Ramani Pahar
21			
22			
23			
24			
25			
Total Women's :20			
Total Hindu Women's :19			
Total Muslim Women's: 1			
2: The number of womens may increase in future.			



Lalram Bawm

1, Narinda , We do class weekly two times 2 hrs times with 13 women  
2' Saidabad 1 Man and 5 women weekly one time every Saturday 2 hrs humbly say they are not faithful come so not regular

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## Teacher Training Workshop from Moon, Geumim in Nepal



### Literacy is a powerful tool for evangelism and church planting

A TTW was held on 15 October 2023 at the NKIC in Kathmandu, Nepal, where a total of 21 people received certificates, from which literacy teachers are produced each year.

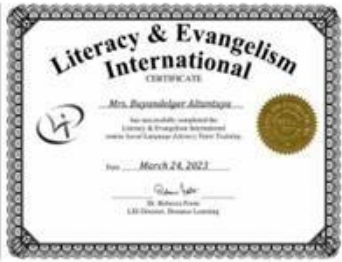


On October 19, 2023, TTW was held at Adarsha church in Chitwan, Nepal, and 36 graduates were completed.



And On October 26, 2023, TTW was held at Thori Parsa in Nepal and 15 people completed it.

## Ministry in Mongolia from Kim, Gamaliel



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On March 24, 2023, Altantuya obtained the certificate of literacy teacher.



Missionary Kim, Gamaliel completed the first and second volumes of 'Light of the Truth', Pyongyang Primer for North Korean.



Gamaliel and Grace are teaching children to write through after-school education.



## Teacher Training Workshop in Thailand



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A TTW was held at Buriram C.G.T. Theological Seminary in Buriram, Thailand, from 21 to 24 November 2023.



Choi, Ilhwan, a missionary, translated the lectures.



The seminary students participated hard for four days.



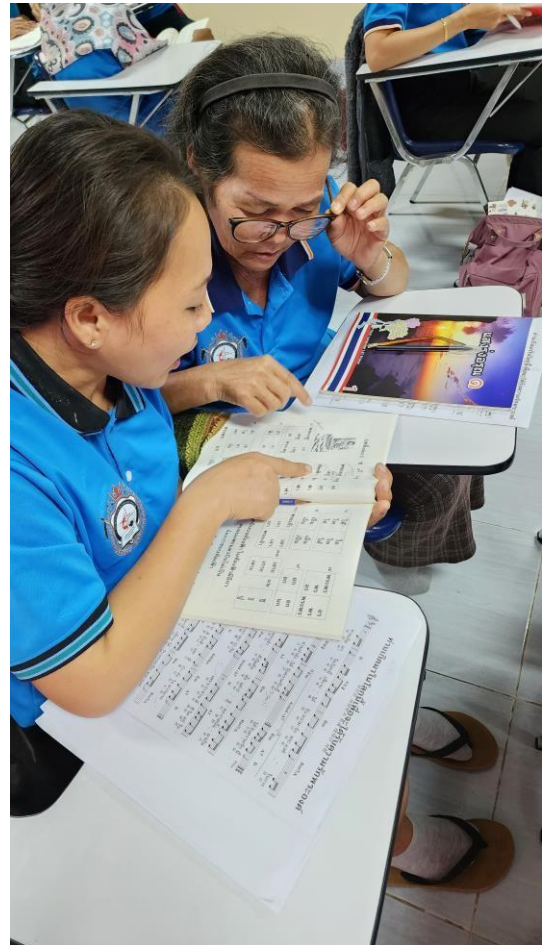
Fourteen seminarians completed the course.



Reading guidance training



Individual Test



A two-people practice



## Post-training practice in Thailand



She is teaching her illiterate neighbor.



She teaches the children regularly.



She teaches the foreign tourists.



## Teacher Training Workshop from Baek, Jin Shik in Indonesia

At first, Penny and Leda missionary attended the TTW led by the Indonesian missionary Baek Jin-sik, and after teaching, they teach writing to the children of the Lauze family. Now, three teachers from the Lauze tribe are teaching in kindergarten. Missionary is praying and preparing to build a school..

## Teacher Training Workshop from Chancy in Mozambique

*Blessed is the one who reads the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear it and take to heart what is written in it, because the time is near.  
(Revelation 1:3)*

### Mangochi prison literacy class



God reopened the literacy education in March this year, which was closed in March 2020 due to the pandemic and closed for two years. Allowed the guard in charge to train three police officers and six inmate teachers to restart the literacy class. A total of thirty-two learners were taught, and for the first time female inmates joined the literacy class, and within two weeks half of the learners were able to read and write. There are a total of 102 students.

In June 2023, we trained 54 teachers at a church-planting school in Nampula, Mozambique, who began reading and writing classes in several villages in northern Mozambique, where they come from.

There is a growing need for literacy classes in very remote areas, which necessitates increased funding to train volunteer teachers in three villages, and to purchase primers and stationery.

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From July 10 to 13, 2023, Pastor Maxwell and Chancey trained students at a church planting school in Nampula, Mozambique, led by Pastor Ademola and his wife Bilha. In another, the TTW was conducted with pastor Welsh Sawari and a total of 24 students, who had to drive 1,060km round trip from Mangochi to Nampula.

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## 2023 Member Nation Gathering

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(Acts 1:8)*



Phoebe Park participated in the '2023 Member Nation Gathering' held in Belo Horizonte, Brazil from October 20 to 26, 2023 as the president of LEI (Literacy Evangelism International) Korea.

More than 40 leaders from 15 member countries of LEI (Ghana, Malawi, Nigeria, N. Macedonia, USA, Benin, Burkina Faso, Brazil, Ukraine, India, Canada, Kenya, Republic of Congo, Togo, Korea) shared the ministry of each country so that it can expand the ministry, and encouraged each other.



Phoebe Park gave a presentation on the current ministry and future direction of the Global Literacy Mission (GLM)

Dr. Rice, the president of the LEI USA, prayed for her.

She also reported on the activities of those who have attended Teacher Training Workshop and the ministries of missionaries (Bangladesh, Mongolia and Nepal) who are active abroad.



Phoebe Park also explained about the Korean alphabet picture book which is illustrated and written by her. She wanted to use the proceeds for the literacy ministry.

## 28th General Assembly of GLM

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On November 28, 2023, the 28th General Assembly was held at Osam Power Church. Prior to the General Assembly, Dr. Kim Nam-hyun's retirement ceremony was held. He founded GLM in 1999 and has made primers for 16 countries (Korea, Mongolia, Nepal, Thailand, Laos, Vietnam, Cambodia, Indonesia, China, Russia, Lahu, Myanmar, Philippines, Kazakhstan, Sri Lanka, Hmong) in Southeast Asia as the president of LEI Southeast Asia for the past 25 years and devoted himself to the literacy ministry..

Pastor Park Bok-ae(Phoebe), who serves as the GLM Education Director, took over as the president of LEI Korea and Southeast Asia after Dr. Kim Nam-hyun.



## Upcoming Ministries 2024

### Education and training of domestic and foreign TTW mission leaders

**Goal:** 1,000 people at home and abroad

Bangladesh TTW: 2024. 2. 7~16 / Phoebe(Bokae) Park, Hyesook Park, Daewoong Jeon

Laos Theological Seminary: September 2024 / Phoebe(Bokae) Park

Briram C.G.T. Seminary, Thailand: October 2024 / Phoebe(Bokae) Park, Ilhwan Choi

Mozambique MULIKO Literacy Education: 2024 / Chancy

Mongolia: 2024 / Gamaliel Kim, Maria Kim

Nepal: 2024 / Moon, Geum-im

Indonesia: 2024 / Jinshik Baek, Seunghyun Ahn

## Statistics 2023

Statistics 2022		Statistics 2023	
Teacher Trained Abroad	76	Teacher Trained Abroad	109
Teacher Trained at Home	26	Teacher Trained at Home	11
Primers printed for use	200	Primers printed for use	300

## Financial Report 2023

Income		Expenses	
Carry-over money	₩13,599,271	Missionary expenses	₩11,540,000
General Income	₩11,050,000	Programs	₩5,663,500
International program support	₩3,300,000	Management & Admin.	₩5,301,660
others	₩1,450,000	Reserves	₩7,620,176
Interest	₩6,065		
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>₩29,405,336</b>	<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>₩29,405,336</b>

## To Donate as a Partner

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