

IN HIS NAME PRESENTS

# XIKUNDU

*Highlights from our crusade in September 24*







# INTRODUCTION

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The community of Xikundu lies in the north of the Limpopo Province of South Africa and is inhabited by the Tsonga people. There is much witchcraft, ancestral worship, broken family units and substance abuse. In the months preceding our crusade there, held from 19-22 September, our team was hard at work preaching the Good News in both Xikundu itself and its surrounding villages. They ministered on the streets and in the schools, evangelising door-to-door, holding marketplace outreaches and executing mini-crusades.

The mass crusade itself was spectacular, although not without its challenges. A cold front swept across the country, bringing with it icy temperatures and excessive snowfall, highly unusual for this time of year—or in South Africa, for any time of year! While no snow fell in Limpopo, the freezing weather and drizzling rain was unyielding. Thankfully, although we were driven indoors to a large, nearby church on the worst of the evenings, giving the people and our sound equipment some respite, the services otherwise continued with zeal. Wonderfully, the people were so hungry for God that they flocked to the crusade field regardless of the unrelenting cold and precipitation!







# M I R A C L E S

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Every Gospel message resulted in a floodtide of men and women, young and old, pouring forward to ask Jesus to be their Lord and Saviour. The personal details of the new converts were collected and follow-up material given to them. In total, between our pre-crusade outreaches in Xikundu and the crusade itself, 8,573 people were recorded to say, "Yes!" to Jesus. How glorious! The pastors are thrilled and eagerly involving them in the local congregations.

Prayer for the sick and those in need of deliverance was followed in every service by a steady stream of testimonies. Edward is a 65-year-old widower. Over thirty years ago, he was in an accident and since then, his knees had been terribly painful and his mobility restricted. Every day was a struggle. "I experienced the power of God," he expressed. "I am healed! My life is going to change completely!" Edward kicked his legs on stage, showing off how easily his limbs bent and flexed. Mthavini is a 74-year-old widow and grandmother. Several years ago, her eyesight began deteriorating rapidly and she started having such intense back pains that she could not walk properly. The Lord did a complete work, restoring her sight and invigorating her body. "I am now able to see and walk and will be able to do things for myself," she expressed. "I thank my God for this deliverance!"





# HEALING

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Susan is 25 years old. She has been terribly ill for several months. “I could not eat,” she shared. “Whenever I ate, I would vomit.” During prayer, she felt the power of God touching her. “I could feel my whole body shaking. It felt like there was electricity going through me,” she voiced. “Now, I am delivered. I thank the Lord Jesus for healing me!” Khensani is a 34-year-old mother of two. One year ago, she started having serious chest problems, her lungs feeling sore and tight. She coughed constantly and had to prop herself up with pillows at night to help her sleep. Her bad health made employment impossible. Tests revealed nothing, no medication helped and she was tired of going from clinic to clinic. During prayer, Khensani felt the pain leaving her chest. She can now breathe easily and all tightness has vanished. “I have such inner peace,” she shared. “I feel like a load has been lifted!”



Miyelani is a 58-year-old teacher. She had been suffering from severe arthritis. “I had to rely on others to help me with many things,” she shared. During prayer, Miyelani felt her body growing hot as the Holy Spirit touched her. She collapsed on the ground, overwhelmed by His presence. When she had recovered enough to get up, she was overjoyed to find that she could do so without any assistance or pain—something she had not been able to do in a long time.







# DELIVERANCE

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Helen is a 44-year-old mother of three. She had been a believer for many years but had not yet been filled with the Spirit. She had also been battling to swallow for three years. It felt as if something was blocking her throat and it was very painful. During the final service, Helen was both healed and baptised with the Holy Spirit. As she was filled with Him, her throat opened up and she spoke in her heavenly language for the first time. "Since this crusade started, my life has dramatically changed," Helen expressed. "This crusade has brought healing and peace to my family. Thank you very much!"





# FIRE FALL

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We taught on the Holy Spirit baptism during the final service and how to partner with Him to be used by God. We then prayed for everyone to be filled with power from on High. The Lord moved mightily and we had a glorious time in His presence. We also awarded Certificates of Appreciation to the pastors and volunteers and prayed for all the prayer requests that had been submitted during the crusade period.









# THANK YOU

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Heartfelt thanks for your support that made this crusade possible. The name of our Jesus was lifted on high and thousands were saved, healed and delivered. Xikundu has been significantly impacted!







### ADVANCING EVANGELISM

Our Evangelism Expo was a resounding success! It was held from 1-2 August at Redemption Church in Johannesburg. We welcomed hundreds of believers who explored over fifty booths and attended a variety of engaging workshops. The ministries represented were all either evangelistic in nature or somehow relevant to the advancement of evangelism in South Africa.

### CONNECTIONS FORGED

Pastors had the opportunity to forge connections with these ministries and learn how to amplify soul-winning in their churches. Congregation members discovered practical tools to become more effective soul-winners in their daily lives. Aspiring evangelists were able to grow in their calling and build the relationships necessary for continued development. Business people were introduced to organisations in need of their support.





# U P C O M I N G

Invitation Events



**AWAKEN CONFERENCE, ORLANDO, FLORIDA, 8 OCTOBER**

**CHAMPIONS ASSEMBLY, DAVENPORT, FLORIDA, 13 OCTOBER**

**THE VOICE CONFERENCE, ORLANDO, FLORIDA, 20 OCTOBER**

**CHURCH IN THE SON, ORLANDO, FLORIDA, 20 OCTOBER**





# U P C O M I N G

Gospel Crusades



Our teams in Ethiopia and South Africa will continue to move into the rural communities, equipping believers for soul-winning and holding village crusades.

We will also hold a mass crusade in Gimbi, Ethiopia from 5-8 December. Gimbi is located in the west of the nation in the Oromia Region and populated by a jumble of Muslim, Ethiopian Orthodox and Evangelical inhabitants. The region itself is challenging due to the civil unrest and its people are in desperate need of the Prince of Peace.







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