

Ministry Report for 2025

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1) University Ministry

I praise God for giving me opportunities to disciple the young Zionist men at different universities. At Vaal University, I met with Luyanda and Shandu this year. We slowly worked through the book of Colossians. While we were studying, Luyanda spoke out and said, "I want to follow Paul's example: We will proclaim Christ to our fellow Zionists."

I also praise God for his work in Phiwa at the University of Johannesburg, Doornfontein campus. Phiwa took leadership of the Zion group, since all saw him as the most mature among them spiritually. Though he was shy, he said that he would follow Paul's example: "If I were still trying to please people, I would not be a servant of Christ." Phiwa also started a Bible study with his fellow Zionists, and they studied through Galatians and Ephesians.

It was a joy to see God work through the Zionist Bible study at Wits University. The first few bible studies were all on how to be saved, through faith in Jesus Christ. Then they took a whole session discussing what the Bible says about ancestors. There were 20 students present! Praise God. I was also able to disciple Mokoena, as we worked through about half of the book of Revelation.

2) Outreach to Zion Churches and Evangelism

Sifiso took a bite of his sandwich, while sitting outside at Wits University. I greeted him in Zulu and asked if I could share a short message of God's love. I was able to encourage him to pursue Christ, in about a 10-minute conversation. After we exchanged numbers, he left for class. He texted me a few days later and said that this conversation really reoriented him to keep his eyes on God. He is now texting me, seeking help in how to grow in Christ. The door for evangelism on the university campuses is WIDE open.

I also was able to visit new Zion churches on Sunday afternoons. One Sunday, I showed up at a random elementary school in Soweto and found a Zion church worshipping in a classroom. You should have seen their faces, when a white guy walked in with a Zion robe on! I was able to share about ZEBS with them. A few months later, I, Paul Seelhammer and two pastors from Paul's supporting church, were able to visit this church again. We were all given a chance to preach the Word of God.

3) Home Assignment

I was in America from the last week of May through the first week of November. God gave me many opportunities to share about the Zionist ministries, at churches and at Christian

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universities. I also had an opportunity to preach at a youth camp and serve at Vacation Bible School. It was a blessing to be in the States, but I am happy also to be back in South Africa.

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