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MALAWI

Location: Zomba

Mission: Theological Education & Music Ministry

Volker is the Executive Director of one of PCI's long-term partners: TEEM (Theological Education by Extension in Malawi).

A recent survey of our 200 plus lay training students, indicated that the course that we offer should be supplemented with short courses.

We are now reviving our preaching course which we offered throughout most of TEEM's 37 year history.

The course was completely revised and contextualised ,and we are about run it as a pilot course here in Zomba, before offering the course to a wider audience.

The timing is very interesting. I am doing a study course on theological education at the moment and we have just finished the module on "Designing and Delivering Theological Training."

The timing is very exciting, I learned so much in the course and now as an institution we have the knowledge how to careful craft relevant, contextual and learner-focused courses, so that those who take the course can be transformed through their learning.

It seems as if God was waiting for the module to finish before challenging us to revive the preaching course.



Praise to Him! The course will be very practical, reflective and based on good news preaching, which will help in preparing preachers to spiritually empower their congregations.

Prayer Points

- Praise the Lord for His timing and for challenging and preparing TEEM to revive an old course.
- Pray for wisdom and insight while we are preparing the material for the pilot course on preaching.
- Pray for our outreach that we can identify the good group of students to join us for the pilot course.

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