

Opportunities

TO SERVE IN OUTREACH & EVANGELISM



AT THE HEART OF ALL WE DO

It's no surprise that with our desire to reach the unreached with the gospel, much of our work involves outreach & evangelism. Methods vary from people group to ministry area, but sharing the good news of Jesus is at the heart of all we do. The way we reach out to women on an Indian Ocean island might be different to the way we seek to evangelise young Samburu men in rural Kenya but our vision remains the same; to see people turning to Jesus for their salvation.

All in Africa need to know the freedom there is in Jesus, including those caught up in witchcraft, ancestor worship & animism, as well as those who are adhering to other major world religions. We long to let all Africa's people know that they can have life, in all it's fullness, for comfort rather than fear of breaking taboos and working to earn favour in the eyes of their gods. We long to tell them of the joy there is to be found in Christ, and the redemption that he offers.

To do this, people who are passionate and eager to share Jesus, need to go to those who have never heard. This may mean going to some of the world's hardest to reach places, physically and spiritually but can also mean sharing hope where there is none. Could you be part of this work?

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WHO ARE AFRICA INLAND MISSION?

Africa Inland Mission are an evangelical, interdenominational organisation with the vision of, 'Christ-centred churches among all African peoples.' We exist to help churches in Europe send mission partners to Africa, to partner with the African Church in reaching Africa's unreached peoples with the Good News of Jesus Christ.



WHAT IS TIMO?

TIMO (Training in Ministry Outreach) is AIM's two-year training programme with a team approach to learning. It's main focus is to reach the unreached with the good news of Jesus Christ and plant churches that plant churches...



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WHAT CAN I DO?

LONG TERM

Twelve months to a lifetime... If God is calling you to use your skills of evangelism and relationship building in Africa we would love to partner with you and your church. You could join as part of a two year TIMO team (eu.aimint.org/timo), an ongoing focus team, be part of pioneer ministry amongst the unreached or work to support the existing African church in their work. If you are interested in finding out more, please contact us at personneladmin.eu@aimint.org or **0115 983 8130**



SHORT TERM

We have so many opportunities and ways for you to get involved in evangelism and outreach. TIMO Quest teams provide a unique method of getting short term, hands on experience, as well as through our individual placements. If you're taking a year out, a career break, early retirement, or just simply wanting to offer up time to serve God, you can apply either as an individual or as a team of two or more for 3-12 months service. If you are interested, contact us at shorttermadmin.eu@aimint.org or **0115 983 8128**



BUT I DON'T FEEL CALLED TO GO...

"And how can anyone preach unless they are **sent**?" Paul in Romans 10:15 reminds us that senders play just as important a role as goers. We are always thankful for the many people who don't go, but faithfully help send others. One vital way that all believers can be involved in overseas mission, is to pray. Visit www.aimint.org/eu/pray for prayer resources to help you pray for the work in Africa. If you would like to financially support the work in Africa, please visit www.aimint.org/eu/give

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AMONGST THE LAARIM

Jacob Borgelt works amongst the Laarim people in South Sudan. He shares the physical challenges of getting around but the opportunities to sit and share the living hope of Jesus Christ.

EAST INTO THE HILLS

While I was in Loryok this last time, Pastor David asked if Angelo (a Laarim man) and I could join him in visiting some of the people on the eastern side of Camp 15. The trail led us through a bit of a forested area and about forty minutes later we reached a Laarim village of about 100 people. After briefly sharing a bit with them about what our purpose was in living amongst the Laarim, we were told that there was another settlement if we continued eastward. Pastor David said that since we have already come out so far, we should continue forward since it may be his last opportunity to see what was in the area. We pressed on for a couple more kilometers until we



finally reached the base of the hill that we needed to ascend to reach the next village. The path was steep and the hill was high so made it to the top winding. We found the village along with some beautiful views of the surrounding hills and Loryok in the distance. When we approached the village we could see children around, but they went and hid themselves after seeing us. Despite Angelo being with us, the children were probably still afraid of the white-haired Kenyan and white person who had come with him. Though most of the adults had gone down to cultivate, we did find one of the mothers who then called the children to come meet us. We sat together and David and I shared a little bit about God's word, with the help of Angelo who translated for us.

The Laarim of South Sudan live in the rugged Boya Hills. They raise cattle, and consider raiding cattle a sign of valor and honor. They have a long-standing feud with the Toposa over cattle. They are animists with some Catholic influence and communicate with their ancestors through prayers and offerings.