



A double edged ministry...



On this photo, Enos Tumusime (2nd from left), is meeting with a small group of students from UR-Rwamagana.

In our previous newsletters, we shared about the impact of student ministry to students. However, since we are talking of the gospel, this is the kind of ministry that impacts both the beneficiaries and the facilitators.

The testimony of Tumusime Enos, a campus staff in STEM

I am Enos Tumusime. I graduated in 2018 from UR. Currently, I serve as a campus staff for UNIK (former INATEK), IPRC-Ngoma, UNILAK-Rwamagana, UR-Rwamagana and CIP-Kayonza. The unplanned call to serve full time among students was confirmed to me in CMAGRAL conference August 2018.

Challenges

After saying yes to this call, as hard as it was, I had to get my family and friends on board. I thank God for this was less hard than I had anticipated. My parents did not quarrel at all and a number of my friends supported me, even financially.

Preparing to go to the campus, as a staff, was not an easy process. I had to fundraise and to say no to some job opportunities at the same time. I was fearful for how I will live.

Lesson learnt

God is the one who calls and sustains those who respond to his calling. Throughout this year, my fear for life has overruled by God's

unfailing provision. God used different people in different times. In all this year, I had never lacked in anything.

God did not call me mainly to serve rather to be nurtured. Throughout this year, I have learned what it means to live by faith.

Thanksgiving and prayer requests

I thank God for my supporting team. Pray that God will give them grace to keep up and for more people to commit.

I thank God for the ministry that keep growing among students. Pray that God will call more people to serve him in this area.

Pray for student's hearts to embrace God's big plan to rescue them and to use them in the rescue of others.

Consequently...

After prayerful consideration, I am extending my term in STEM to one more year. ▼ Enos



Graduates...

Orientation training for finalists (OTF)

As a two-fold ministry, GBUR serves both students and graduates. OTFs are the way for GBUR to assist students as they shift from students to graduates.



Alex, graduate coordinator, giving OTF at GBU-UNIK

While OTFs are given to one GBU at a time, July 5-7, 2019 GBUR will organize LIFE AFTER CAMPUS. A three-day conference bringing together finalists from all GBUs to learn how to live missional lives outside campus.

Ministry of presence

Among other ministries, GBUR graduates offers a ministry of presence to their respective GBUs assisting in different activities.

Recently, in order to encourage GBU, graduates from GBU-INES-Ruhengeri visited this GBU and had a meal with them. While graduates from GBU-UR-Nyagatare come together and raised a sum of 218,000 Rwf to support a Kairos course for students in this GBU.

In the same line, GBUR salutes graduates from different GBUs who are contributing to different farewell parties among students. It is encouraging for students to see their graduates coming back to support the ministry.



Graduates from INES sharing a meal with GBU

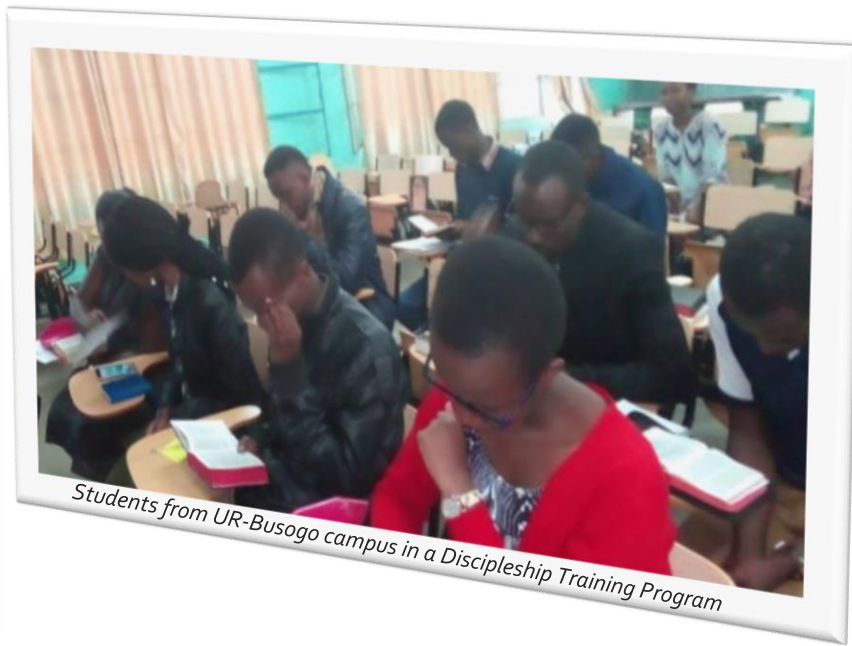


Graduates from UR-Nyagatare coming together

Discipleship Continues

Discipleship Training @ Busogo

It happened from Friday 24-26, May. After the training, Madeleine Mugisha, ▶▶▶▶▶ a first year student in food science, shared: *"One of the things I have learned in this training is IBS: Inductive Bible Study, I have discovered how it is done, how one can read the Bible and benefit from it by herself without anyone explaining to her. Before, I didn't know I can understand the Bible. I thought it requires a lot of things. I have learned that the Holy Spirit lead as one reads. I have also learned that the good time to do Bible study is in the morning because you need the word of God to lead you throughout your day."*



Students from UR-Busogo campus in a Discipleship Training Program

Discipleship Training at UR-Remera Campus



After the training, Nzayisenga Clenie, a student who is not a member of GBU, who were simply visiting shared: *"Before this training, I use to worry about my eternal life. But in this training, I have discovered that whoever has the son (Jesus Christ), has eternal life."*

While Annet Mukagatsinzi said: *"I have learned how to live a balanced life. set apart time for friends and families, pray and Bible reading, physical exercises and other activities to make me spiritually, mentally, and emotionally stable."*

It happened on 3-5 May, at UR-Remera campus. 63 students attended. Salvation, Self-leadership, Scripture engagement and Evangelism were among the topics covered.

Friendship evangelism training



It happened on May 4 at IPRC-Ngoma and. With the aim of encourage the participants to do evangelism as a lifestyle.

After the training, Rubagumya Aimable, a student who participated, shared: *"Before this training, I didn't value unbelievers to take time to reach out to them with the word of God. In this training, I have learned that man is not justified by works but rather faith in Christ alone. I have also come to realize that sharing the gospel is the main duty of every believer. And, as a student I must start at the campus where I am. Therefore, I commit to pray for my friends and colleagues at the campus and to reach out to them."*



Aimable Rubagumya IPRC-Ngoma

As we conclude this brief update for May,

We continue to give all the credit, glory, and praise to our Lord God almighty for all these and much more that could not be mentioned here.

Furthermore, we are also thankful for the continuous prayer and support of our esteemed graduates. May God bless you.

Special thanks to the whole GBUR staff team and Associate Training Secretaries. None of these could have been possible without your hard work.

What's next?

The ministry continues. Therefore, keep praying, giving and joining in the ministry!

Very specifically, from Friday 5th July, 2019, GBUR will organize, *LIFE AFTER CAMPUS*, a three-days conference for fresh graduates to equip them on how to live missional lives after the campus. While details will be shared soon, start praying and plan to support.



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