

DELHI BIBLE INSTITUTE
Transforming North India
Uplink November 2009

Word Fest

Word Fest was challenging, thought provoking with the Word of God being central

The Annual Word Fest for the University students of Delhi was held from 5 to 11 October. The course included a study on the book of Judges, Vision casting, Christianity Explored and Substance abuse. 39 students attended.

Ladies Retreat

81 ladies attended the retreat titled 'Nothing is impossible for God'. They were taught on the subjects; Eve who believed an impossible lie, Sarah who believed an impossible promise, Hannah who prayed an impossible prayer and Mary who was given an impossible task. Rose Marie Miller, Ruth Ann Batstone, and Sunita Howell were the resource persons.

Couples Seminar

13 couples participated in the one day seminar and learnt on various issues including 'Marriage requires repentant relating' and 'Enhancing intimacy in marriage'. Stu and Ruth Ann Batstone from World Harvest Mission were the resource persons.



Bible Camps for Children

Three two day camps were organized in Mt Carmel School and Faith Academy school for 472 children. The camp included lessons, craft, games and movies. This is an ongoing ministry with Bible Bhavan

Christian Fellowship among the children of the city of Delhi.

Excellence in Christian Leadership



In this bi-annual event Dr. Sunil Raheja, DBI team coach, equipped the team, members of Bible Bhavan Christian Fellowship and staff of Samarpan in a three day training. The course included Leadership is Stewardship, Leveraging your past, Getting your systems right,

Principles of hiring and firing, Foundation for Leadership, Leading different personalities, Principles of getting job done, Power of partnership and Your decision determines your destiny.

Missionaries Training

Dr Victor Chaudhary, Board member of DBI, had a 3 day training on 'New Thinking on achieving the goals of DBI'. 33 missionaries of DBI learnt new initiatives on how to impact North India through their work

Regional Bible Training

75 were trained in Uttar Pradesh, Delhi, and Uttarakhand.

Partnership events

Delhi Bible Institute in association with Global Christian Life Center hosted **Billion Soul Summit**, a one day seminar on strategic ways of reaching the unreached



people groups of India. The seminar was attended by 138 pastors and lay leaders .

Gloria Shaw and other prominent women leaders organized a three day Women's Conference - **'Empowered Women for such a time as this'**.

500 ladies came together to hear from Donna Gains, Author and TV Personality and Iva Mays, Missionary to South Africa.

Word Conference

The Word conference this year will be held on 20 and 21 November. We expect about 600 pastors to join us. Rev. Edward Lobb and Dr Willie Phillip are the main speakers. We appreciate your prayers that this conference would renew the vision of these pastors for Biblical preaching

World Book Fair 2010

We again plan to participate in the World Book Fair, New Delhi, from January 30 to February 7, 2010. Our vision is to introduce 200 thousand people to the Lord Jesus Christ by selling Bibles and books, distributing gospel tracts, contacting people and enrolling them for our courses.

Needs: For 150 volunteers. The cost of this outreach is USD60,788. We were able to raise USD 14,400 and get 5000 Bibles. We have ordered Bibles and books on long term credit from Operation Mobilisation. Please pray and participate in this strategic outreach that reaches a community of educated people that normally do not come under the scope of the gospel.

Medical Mission Trip

The medical mission trip is held annually in January with the purpose of assisting the Church in India in caring for the medical needs of the missionaries, students, staff, and their families, and to assist in National lead medical outreach.

US and UK Medical Missions teams would be comprised of physicians, dentists, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, nurses, dental hygienists, and other support staff. The medical team will travel to Delhi Bible Institute and be involved in the following activities:

Comprehensive physical exams with diagnosis and treatment

- Referrals for further diagnostics and evaluation by specialists (if applicable)
- Comprehensive dental exams and possible treatment (referrals for further treatment, if applicable)
- Disease screening (including tuberculosis, parasitic infections, diabetes mellitus, hepatitis, HIV, etc.)
- Health education (clean food & water, hygiene, preventative health, maternal/child health, etc.)

If you are a medical personnel and are looking for an opportunity to invest your talents, we invite you to be a part of this team which would visit the centres in Delhi, Dehradun and Lucknow.

