

AGAPE INERFAITH MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL INC
Annual Report 2020

Introduction

This report will center on the mission activities of Agape Interfaith Ministries International (AIM) primarily in the state of Telangana, India in the year 2020. Like America, the Covid pandemic in India was severe. The economy was shut down, workers were sent home, ordered to stay inside with the exception of securing necessities. The people groups AIM serves are very poor and live from day to day and quickly the issue for AIM was hunger and the provision of food and necessities. Again, God was faithful in granting physical protection for our workers and the window of opportunity still remains open in many areas of this ministry. We are grateful for God's provision to reach and serve the poorest of the poor in this land.

Background

The targeted people group are India's Dalits, commonly known as the "untouchables" in the social system. The main geographical area that AIM serves is the State of Telangana. This region covers 44,000 square miles of hot, dry interior land with a year-round growing season and an abundant, rechargeable ground water supply. This is home to 35+ million people, 70% who get their livelihood from agriculture and live in hundreds of rural villages. The main religions are Hindu, 89%, Muslim, 9%, and Christian 2%. Thirty four percent of the population are illiterate and the average age is 25 years. During British rule until 1953, Telangana was ruled by Muslim sultans and was considered a backward area. The main city in Telangana and capital city is Hyderabad with eleven million people. Hyderabad is a high-tech center with a state of the art regional airport. The rural villages, city slums and beggar communities in this region are the main areas AIM serves.

Evangelism and Church Planting

Due to the pandemic, formal church services were discontinued. Cell phones are common in rural India and pastors used the social media to present their sermons to their parishioners. In addition, the use of house churches was greatly expanded where people could meet in small groups.

In 2020 eighty nine pastors and fifteen Bible women were under AIM's umbrella of support. These pastors and Bible women have a total of 210 organized churches under their care. Twenty-four of these pastors have sponsors and the remainder are supported out of a common fund. As a result of their efforts 91 new believers were baptized and joined the AIM family in 2020. Fifty-eight churches and 1035 house churches were planted in 2020. In addition, 401 women's prayer cells are organized to run every day in addition to weekly cottage prayer meetings.

Only ten churches have an onsite parsonage. Pastors who do not have an onsite parsonage to live in must rent living quarters likely from a non-Christian landlord. This also may be some distance from the churches they serve thus creating a problem with transportation. Several of our pastors have no personal motorized transportation and are in need of a motorcycle. It needs to be noted that the people groups AIM seeks to serve low cast individuals, the poorest of the poor. This system is deeply embedded in the culture of rural India and is not likely to change soon. Although India is an emerging third world country with a rising standard of living, this occurrence is bypassing these low cast people groups leaving them in their plight of poverty. Therefore, we present these needs to the reader.

Child Evangelism

Summer Bible Schools were greatly affected by the Covid pandemic in that large gatherings were forbidden, with groups no larger than 10. That said, summer Bible Schools were conducted with 22,184 teachers in 3,884 villages in 2020. This is a major undertaking for AIM India who partners with other like-minded churches and faith-based organizations covering 383 counties in the states of Bihar, Orissa, Chatsghad, Karnataka, Maharastra, Telangana and Andhra Pradesh. These events take place in the hottest parts of the summer when public schools are closed. Planning and training begin in February with 22,184 teachers trained. As a result, 274,861 children received the Gospel; 171,430 would be considered non-Christian children and 175,894 children were attending for the first time. In addition, 39,218 adult parents attended. Fifty-eight new churches were planted.

A second ministry in the area of child evangelism is after school Bible Clubs. These clubs meet daily after school. Students receive assistance in their school studies, have a Bible study, participate in recreational activities and receive treats. Hindu village leaders value education very highly and are accepting of these clubs for the reason that club leaders are willing to help students in their academics in addition to other activities. It is estimated that once a village the after-school club is organized; the village will be ready for a junior church plant in 18 months. The Covid pandemic had a negative effect on the attendance of these clubs. AIM India in partnership with Mission India facilitates the operation of 40 clubs and in addition operates 21 after-school Bible Clubs independently.

Dayanilayam Orphanage

Dayanilayam (house of mercy) orphanage was home to 180 girls and boys in 2020. Due to the pandemic, there were no new admissions in 2020. The children live in separate structures and dine in a common area. The children are total orphans, semi orphans, children abandoned by their families, and poorest of the poor families who cannot afford to care for their children at home. They come from tribal areas, down trodden slum and rural areas and other poor cast backgrounds from 17 counties in Telangana State.

Home for the Aged

Renovation and repair work on Anna Unruh Home for the Aged was completed in 2018. A compound wall was built, the premises are now secure from animals and trespassers. Additional coconut trees and flowering shrubs were planted which makes the grounds pleasant and beautiful. Eight elders now reside there with an additional thirteen for daycare. Residents are blessed with morning devotions, worship, prayer, good food, and a good place to rest. The complex has its own water well, fruit trees and gardens. The home has one care taker and one cook.

Medical Ministry

Health care disparities, loss of life due to poor and low-value care in India is pervasive in rural India. Elders have become the most neglected population in rural India as well as urban areas. AIM is bringing

hope to rural residents through medical ministry and elder care ministry. People are experiencing God's love through these ministries. AIM operates The Mary Louise Memorial Hospital. This is a small rural hospital in the village of Tharigoppula. A staff of 1 visiting doctor, one full time pharmacist, 2 full time helpers delivered treatment to 200 patients in 2020. AIM is partnering with Unicorpus Health Foundation in the city of Hyderabad for specialized and advanced care for patients from the villages. The doctors in Unicorpus have a Christian world view and a great passion to serve the underserved. Due to the pandemic, many people were reluctant to come to the hospital for treatment, and virtual visits are more accessible to patients for now. Outpatient treatments were provided for approximately one hundred people. A two day health camp was provided for AIM pastors and their wives, with Unicorpus Health Foundation physicians.

The final approval process for a four year nursing program will take 12-18 months. AIM has approval from local and state governments and are currently waiting for the final approval from the federal government.

Christian Education

AIM provides Christian education for grades one through ten. In addition, Preston Junior College offers a two-year junior college degree program. A teaching staff of 12 and non-teaching staff of 2 provided services to 79 students at Preston Junior College. Agape Good Shepherd High School enrolled 263 students in both English and Telugu medium. The school is run by 18 teaching and 2 non-teaching staff. Due to Corona, no new admissions were allowed in these schools.

Remarks

You will note on the GSSB Income Statement included in this report an additional entity in 2020, that being "Abundant Life Churches" with grants of \$128,411. These grants were funded entirely by Outreach Map, a 501 (c) (3) charity located in the State of California. Outreach MAP and its mission station in India are under the leadership and direction of Paul and Caroline Wig. Paul and Caroline are the son in law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K M John. Their mission activities are in the States of Telangana, Maharastra and Chhatisgrah, India. They oversee 124 pastors and church planters, 135 weekly worship centers, 140 house churches.

Agape Interfaith Ministries International was organized in 2001 as a 501 (c) (3) charity. The business model begins with the premise that this is God's mission directed by His Spirit; we are His servants. The model seeks to maximize the donors purpose; that being his or her support of a mission. Everyone is a missionary. Officers and directors serve at their own expense. Travel to and from India is borne by the traveler. The only asset AIM has is a bank account which is held mostly in directed funds. No office space is owned or rented, officers and directors work out of their homes. The only rent AIM pays for is a post office box and a safe deposit box. AIM's goal is to be transparent with our supporters and partners; therefore, included in every annual report will be an income statement and a balance sheet.

AIM's sister organization, Agape Interfaith Ministries (AIM India) is located in Jangaon, Telangana, India. AIM India is a charitable umbrella organization that oversees, facilitates and operates all the ministries discussed in this report. AIM India is also registered with the government of India under the "Foreign Contribution Regulation Act, 1976" (FCRA). To get this registration is time consuming ie several years and often difficult for Christian organizations. The registration allows AIM India to receive foreign funding without any taxation. Currently AIM is in the process of getting this registration renewed for another five years. AIM India's books and financial records are audited annually by a certified public accounting firm.

AIM wishes to express our deep gratitude for your continual support, prayers, and willingness to serve. Without you, none of this would be possible. In addition to individuals, groups, and churches, the following mission organizations partnered with AIM in 2019: Outreach Map, Trans World Missions, Sevabharoth Mission India, I AM Your Servant Ministries, Back 2 Back Ministries, Cross Cultural Mission Society, IBOTA Netherlands, Globus Relief, CURE International, and TECH.

The window of opportunity is still open to a huge mass of hurting people who need to hear the good news, who need to replace despair with hope. God has placed AIM in a unique position to carry out this mission. What a blessing to have this part in the building of the Kingdom of God. Keep us in your thoughts and prayers and may God Bless you.

Prayer Requests

As we look into the future, AIM India faces many challenges. Jesus reminds us in Matthew 19:26 "with God all things are possible". This has been the case in the past and will continue in the future.

As of this writing Coved 19 Virus is active in India and effecting all of AIM's mission activities. Pray for God's wisdom and protection in dealing with this.

Pray for the final approval for the four year nursing program from the federal government.

Pray that God will continue to keep the window of opportunity open in the areas we serve and wisdom and discernment in dealing with acts and threats of acts of local hostility.

Pray for physical protection and safety for our pastors, Bible women, staff, facilitators and workers in Bible Schools and Bible clubs.

Pray for wisdom and discernment under the guidance of the Holy Spirit in planning, managing, a sense and dealing with the attacks of Satan, discouragement, etc.

Pray for funds to complete churches and structures in various stages of construction.

Pray that God will continue to raise up organizations, churches, groups, families and individuals who will partner with us in this mission.

Pray that the government of India will grant AIM a renewal of our FCRA permit for another five years.

Praise God for His blessings, protection, guidance, grace, and bringing us this far.

Giving

Since AIM does not have a central meeting place or weekly or monthly scheduled meetings, it is next to impossible to do business in a physical since. We wish to review ways you can support AIM:

Mail a check. The address is AIM Int, PO Box 123, Ottawa, KS 66067

Use a direct deposit service with your bank. Schedule a date certain when you want to transfer funds from your bank to our bank. Our bank takes no fees for this service. To do this you will need to fill out a form. To request a form, contact Gordon Goering, 1705 Magnolia Village, Moundridge, KS 67107, text no. 785 230 4620 or gordongoering@gmail.com.

You can use an online pay service. AIM has an account with PayPal. You will need to set up an account with PayPal or Venmo, you can then search for and select AIM India, then designate the amount and hit send.

AIM website: friendsofaim.com; password: Luke15

May God Bless You All

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors, Donors, and/or Management of
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I have reviewed the accompanying balance sheet of A.I.M. International, Inc. (the "Organization"), as of December 31, 2020, and related statements of income, retained earnings, and cash flows for the year then-ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements solely on basis of my audit.

I reviewed the financial statements in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards determining, in my opinion, that they are accurate and free of material misstatement. On a test basis, I examined evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. I evaluated the accounting principles utilized by management, and assessed the overall financial statement presentation and accuracy.

In my assessment, the financial statements referred to above do present fairly and accurately the financial position of the Organization as of December 31, 2020. Based on my review, these financials do accurately portray operations and cash flows for the year ending 12/31/20, in accordance with generally accepted, prudent and accurate accounting methodology and principles.

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A.I.M. International, Inc.
Income Statement GSSB
For the Twelve Months Ended December 31,2020

Receipts	2020	2019
Receipts- Pastors	32,876.40	23,115.00
Receipts-Orphans	38,509.79	29,327.05
Receipts-Construction	42,104.50	32,729.48
Receipts-CBC	7,000.00	14,200.00
Receipts-Pastor Sponsorship	16,645.00	12,500.00
Receipts-Office	1,105.00	1,144.04
Receipts-Education	2,000.00	.00
Receipts-Medical	40,195.00	20,395.00
Receipts-Other	6,140.00	8,460.04
Receipts-After School Clubs	7,000.00	12,649.88
Receipts-Home for Aged	3,500.00	6,255.00
Receipts-Administration	5,985.00	7,170.00
Receipts-Abundant Life Churches	128,411.00	127,223.00
Total receipts	331,471.69	295,168.49
Disbursements		
Disbursement-Pastors	30,000.00	24,000.00
Disbursement-Orphans	38,500.00	22,929.15
Disbursement-Construction	41,104.50	36,548.98
Disbursement-CBC	6,000.00	10,500.00
Disbursement-Pastor Sponsorship	14,995.00	13,595.00
Disbursement-Office	1,050.03	1,145.55
Disbursement-Education	2,000.00	.00
Disbursement-Medical	32,750.00	18,235.00
Disbursement-Other	5,740.00	10,936.06
Disbursement-After School Clubs	7,560.00	7,380.00
Disbursement-Home For Aged	3,600.00	3,600.00
Disbursement-Administration	4,800.00	5,550.00
Disbursement-Abundant Life Churches	128,411.00	127,223.00
Total Disbursements	316,510.53	281,642.74
Receipts minus Disbursements	14,961.16	13,525.75

A.I.M. International, Inc.
Income Statement CSB
For the Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2020

Receipts	2020	
Receipts- Cash Contributions	3,070	
Total receipts	3,070	
Disbursements		
Disbursement-Transfer to AIM Int. GSSB	3,060	
Total Disbursements	3,060	
Receipts minus Disbursements	10	

A.L.M. International, Inc.
Balance Sheet
December 31, 2020

ASSETS

Current Assets	
Checking-Garnett State Savings Bank of Pomona	45,599.17
Checking-Citizens State Bank of Moundridge	1,144.75
Accounts Receivable	0.00
Less: Allowance for Bad Debts	0.00
Total Assets	46,743.92

LIABILITIES AND EQUITY

Current Liabilities	
Designated Fund-Pastors	3,457.68
Designated Fund-Orphans	8,112.15
Designated Fund-CBC	4,702.31
Designated Fund-Pastor Sponsorship	3,676.39
Designated Fund-Office	61.31
Designated Fund-Medical	9,669.36
Designated Fund-Other	964.77
Designated Fund-Home For The Aged	3,230.32
Designated Fund-After School Clubs	7,909.88
Designated Fund-Construction	1,000.00
Designated Fund-Administration	2,815.00
Designated Fund Education	.00
Designated Fund- Abundant Life Churches	.00
Total Liabilities	45,599.17
Equity Accounts	
Citizens State Bank	1,144.75
Current Year Income / (Loss)	0.00
Total Capital Accounts	0.00
Total Liabilities & Capital	46,743.92