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# 2024 Global Report

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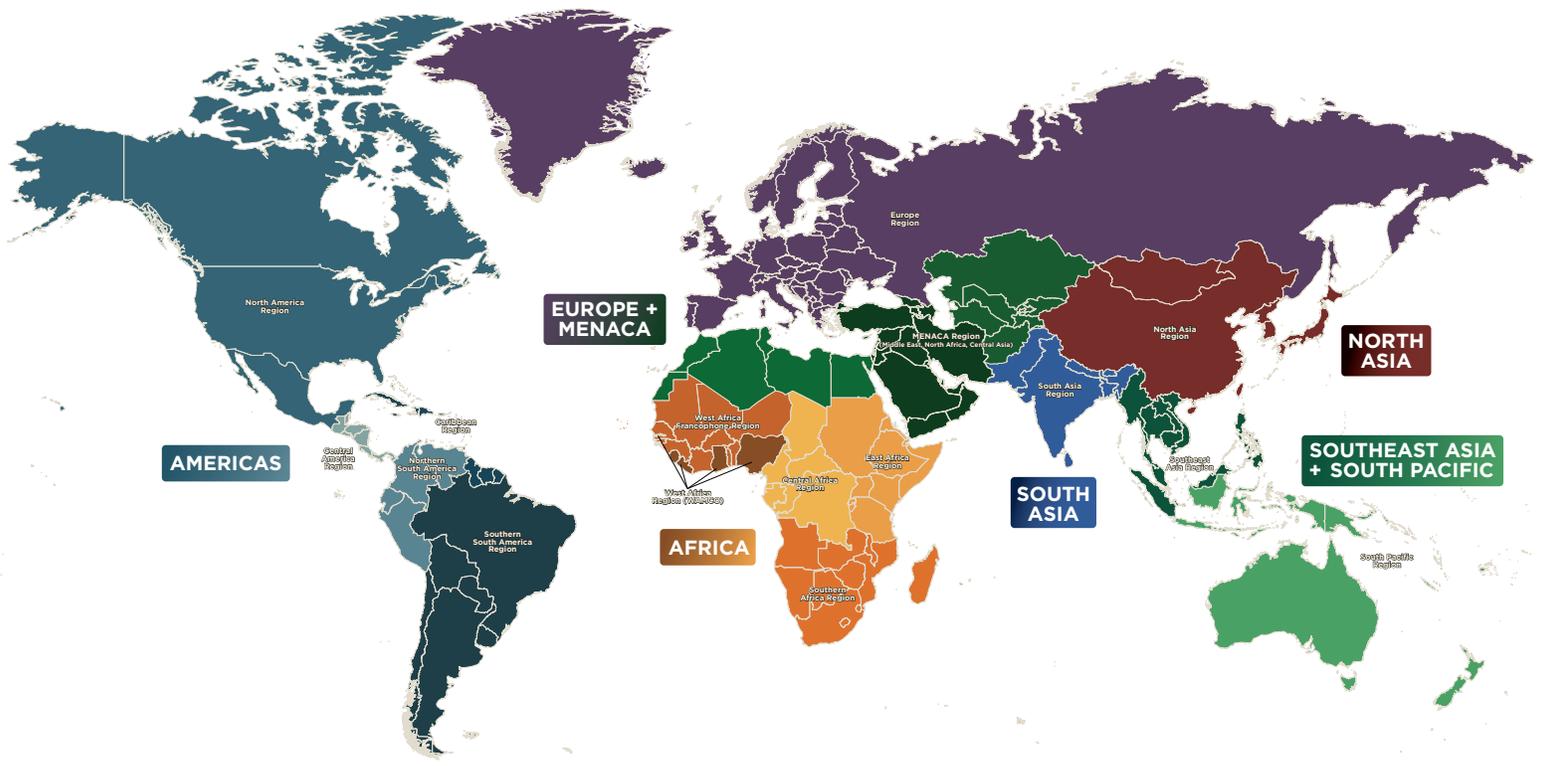
## 2024 Global Report

Welcome to the 2024 Global Report from Foursquare Missions International (FMI). This year's report highlights exciting developments in church planting, leadership training and discipleship across the globe—spanning South Asia and the Pacific islands, to Africa, the Americas, Europe, and into strategic regions like MENACA and North Asia.

Despite political challenges, economic hurdles, and ongoing persecution in certain areas, the global Foursquare family continues to expand. New training centers have been launched to equip emerging leaders; entire youth movements are flourishing, especially through Discipleship and Leadership Training (DLT); and dedicated church-planting efforts are reaching unreached people groups and diaspora communities worldwide.

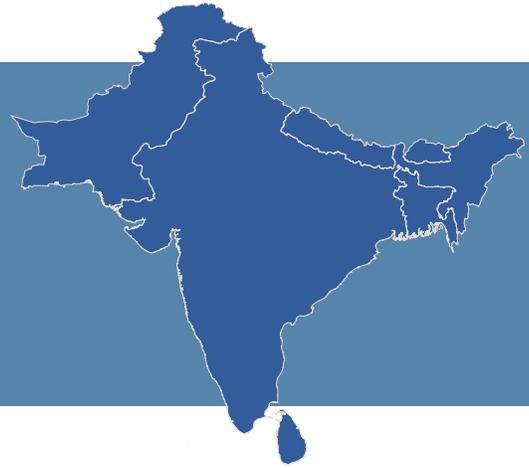
Within these pages, you will read of renewed vision, answered prayers, and unity among Foursquare leaders who are raising up workers to serve across every sphere of society. At the same time, you will discover stories of resilience in nations facing war, refugees seeking hope, and believers persevering under legal restrictions. God's faithfulness remains constant, and our shared mission continues unabated—bringing the Good News of Jesus Christ to the ends of the earth.

Thank you for standing with us in prayer, partnership, and support as you engage with this 2024 Global Report. We trust it will inspire your faith and illuminate the transformative work God is doing through the Foursquare family worldwide.



# REGION: SOUTH ASIA

George B, Global Associate Director (GAD)



## New Nations + People Groups

- A new Foursquare Training Center opened in a **South Asian nation\***, equipping students to minister among a large local refugee population.
- The **South Asian nation\*** with the largest displaced Afghan population has begun strategic ministry and outreach initiatives among them.
- In a **South Asian nation\***, 100% of Foursquare churches are among UPGs; current discipleship efforts include people from 25 different unreached groups.



*Foursquare training center opening.*

## Ministry Growth + Development

- A **South Asian nation\*** continues to show steady growth with a recognized training institute in a major city and new church-planting projects through the nation.
- The **Marriage and Leadership DLT Modules** were taught in all South Asia Foursquare nations, training at least 300 participants in 2023-24.
- A significant headquarters building was purchased in a **South Asian nation\*** and is being used for worship and training.

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Pastor James Samuel** (India) was re-elected National Leader for four more years and is effectively building teams and discipling next-generation leaders. He is one of our youngest national leaders and has brought fresh vision to the Foursquare church in India.
- An **FMI Worker\*** received a five-year business visa opened a restaurant that employs and disciples young people in a South Asian nation.



*DLT training in a South Asian Nation.*

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- **Dr. Romesh Bulathsinghala** is the new National Leader of Foursquare Sri Lanka, having been disciplined by Leslie Keegel since his teenage years.



*Newly elected president Foursquare Sri Lanka, Romesh Bulathsinghala with his wife Nirosha and Leslie + Belen Keegel.*

## NextGen

- Sri Lanka's English-speaking churches in **Colombo** have a strong young adult and emerging leader ministry, which includes music, arts, and marketplace outreach. They have two national youth leaders (Tamil- and Sinhalese-speaking), and intentional discipleship is ongoing among youth.

## Church Planting

- A **South Asian nation\*** planted two new churches and opened one new meeting place.
- Another **South Asian nation\*** added five new churches in 2024.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- **Sri Lanka's** peaceful presidential succession was an answered prayer.
- Growth in two **South Asian nations\*** has been encouraging, despite regional pressures.

## Challenges + Persecution

- All **South Asian nations\*** faced persecution in 2024, Foursquare churches were not directly attacked, but legal aid was provided for pastors under threat.



*South Asian Foursquare Believer.*

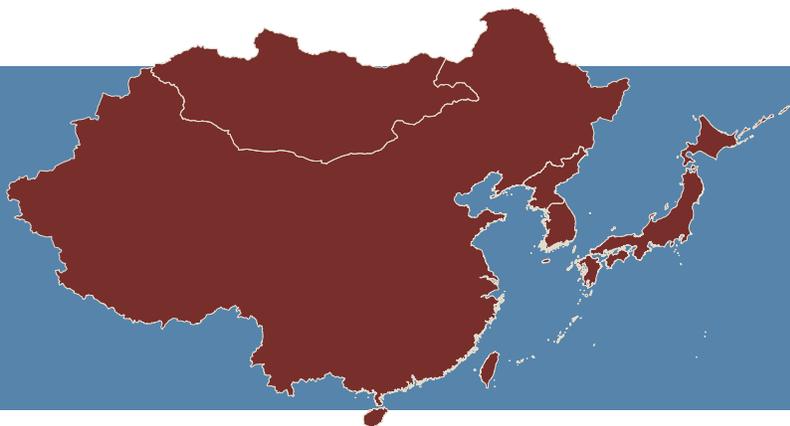
## Future Hopes

- Plans to open new work in **2 South Asian nations\*** and continue **outreach to refugees**.

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# REGION: NORTH ASIA + FOURSQUARE SINOPHONE NETWORK

*Bella Lavooi, Global Associate Director (GAD)*



## New Nations + People Groups

- **Mongolia** is being explored for a new Foursquare expression, with interest from Chinese and Mongolian communities.

## Ministry Growth + Development

- **Hong Kong** hosted DLT modules with about 200 congregations trained.
- Collaboration across **Japan, South Korea, China** and **Taiwan** fosters unity in leadership training.
- The **North Asia Women Ministry's** monthly prayer meeting led to the founding of Tree of Life Foursquare Church in Singapore and inspired Korean missionaries to plant churches in Japan.
- A missionary couple began training Chinese workers in theology and missiology in July 2024 as part of a **Development Project in a Central Asian nation\***.
- The Foursquare Sinophone Ministries in Seoul is a growing network that encourages Chinese pastors to plant churches, start couples' Bible studies, and launch campus ministries.



*Chinese Congregation*

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- A pastor has been imprisoned for almost two years on fraudulent charges.

## NextGen

- **North Asia Young Adult Praise Camp** grew from 85 to 150 participants.



*Chinese Congregation*

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## Church Planting

- Two new Chinese-speaking Foursquare churches launched in the USA: **Abraham Foursquare** (Walnut, CA) and **Hesed Foursquare** (Phoenix, AZ).

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- **Japan** is inviting workers from the Pacific District demonstrating renewed global partnership.

## Challenges + Persecution

- The imprisonment of clergy highlights strong government crackdowns on pastors and house churches in some North Asian nations.

## Future Hopes

- Aim for deeper unity among **Japanese, Korean** and **Chinese** believers for Kingdom advancement.
- Strengthening a **Sinophone Network** (connecting diaspora Chinese and mainland believers).



Members of the Foursquare Sinophone Network



North Asia Young Adult Praise Camp

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## REGION: SOUTHEAST ASIA

*Paul Vernon, Regional Coordinator*

### New Nations + People Groups

- A **Southeast Asia nation** became a focus in 2024, with five full-time workers using creative access to begin their work.
- A **Southeast Asian nation** is sending workers into a **neighboring nation**, planting two churches in villages and working toward a third.

### Ministry Growth + Development

- **Myanmar:** The church has grown and found more unity despite civil war.
- **Philippines:** Foursquare Philippines is rising as a missionary-sending nation, holding its first national Missions Conference in 2024.
- **Vietnam + Thailand:** Both nations increased their DLT emphasis in 2024, covering Stewardship, Leadership, and Family modules.

### Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Christopher Palmer** (Philippines) oversees a growing church and leadership training school; he is also pursuing a master's degree in theology from LPU.

### NextGen

- **Thailand** held its first youth conference in over a decade, featuring youth from 12+ nations (Beyond Borders event in Bangkok).
- **Vietnam** has plans for a national youth event in 2025.



*Foursquare Philippines Missions Director Rejulson Lagunero prays at their first-ever Missions Conference*



*Hundreds of young people at the Beyond Borders event in Bangkok.*

## Church Planting

- **Ministry Initiative:** A grant helped gather leaders from five nations for a future ministry push in a **Southeast Asian\*** nation.
- Discussions are underway for NextGen, missions-minded initiatives and empowering women in leadership.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- A second Foursquare fellowship was launched in **Singapore**, led by a Korean woman and her family.
- Continued deliverance from demonic oppression in villages in **Southeast Asia**.



*NextGen DLT in the Philippines.*

## Challenges + Persecution

- In one **Southeast Asian nation\***, local authorities pressure emerging leaders; training is sometimes held outside the country.
- In another **Southeast Asian nation\***, a rehab ministry lost its rental property; prayer is ongoing for a permanent site.

## Future Hopes

- Younger national leaders, more workers sent from Southeast Asia, and more representation of women on national boards.
- Nations taking greater ownership of DLT and modules for local churches.

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## REGION: SOUTH PACIFIC

*Jerry Stott, Global Associate Director (GAD)*

### New Nations + People Groups

- **Fijian Indians** remain an unreached people group.
- Four new outreach centers in **Fijian Hindu villages** are underway.

### Ministry Growth + Development

- **Region:** Major focus in 2024 on “**Holy Spirit Fullness**” (from DLT volume 2).
- **Solomon Islands:** Ongoing DLT support; building seven churches/schools in remote areas, with one under construction on the Russell Islands.
- **Fiji:** Developing plans for a new Bible school, missions team training center, and central church in Lautoka; over \$40,000 raised by the Hispanic District so far.
- **Palau:** The Micronesian nation invited Foursquare to address high depression and suicide rates among youth. Government support has opened the door for ministry.
- **Indonesia:** Continues fruitful church planting through hundreds of new Bible school graduates (2024).
- **Micronesia:** Development of pioneer works in Palau, Chuuk, Pohnpei, and Tuvalu.
- **Fiji:** Vehicle purchased to reach unreached Hindu villages.
- **Solomon Islands:** Raising funds for a radio station to broadcast the Foursquare Gospel.
- **Palau:** Purchased a vehicle to reach remote villages, establishing and growing Foursquare Palau.



*Bible school graduates in Indonesia*

### Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Kevin + Jessica Harkins** serve New Zealand Foursquare as church planters and lead teams and interns throughout the South Pacific.
- **Theo + Manju Nayagam** are National Leaders of New Zealand and lead DLT programs in the South Pacific, providing sacrificial planning and oversight.

## NextGen

- Over 1,500 Bible school graduates in 2024 are being sent out to plant churches (mainly in **Indonesia**, some in **Papua New Guinea** and **Solomon Islands**).
- Eight interns are serving short-term in **Fiji** and **Solomon Islands**.
- 140 tablets preloaded with a 2-year Bible school curriculum were distributed in partnership with the **National Hispanic District**.



*Digital tablets pre-loaded with 2-year Bible curriculum in Fiji.*

## Church Planting

- Key training initiatives in **Indonesia, Papua New Guinea, Fiji, Vanuatu, New Zealand,** and **Solomon Islands**.
- **Solomon Islands** was the primary target for church planting in 2024.
- Over **850 new churches planted** throughout the South Pacific in 2024.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- Teams from **New Zealand** experienced miracles and healings in **Fiji** and **Solomon Islands** (deliverances, baptisms in the Holy Spirit, mass healings).
- **Indonesia** also reports physical healings and deliverances in remote towns and villages.

## Challenges + Persecution

- The region faces typical logistical and financial challenges, though no widespread persecution was cited.



*School outreach event in Palau*

## Future Hopes

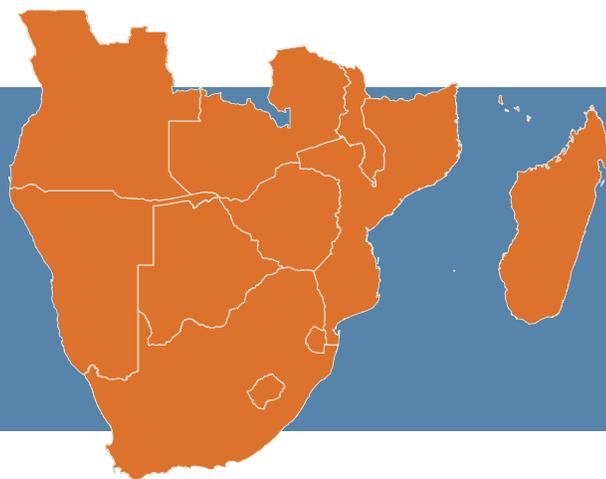
- Focus on church planting in **Fiji, Palau, New Caledonia, Solomon Islands,** and **Vanuatu**.
- Ongoing miracles and expansions in **Indonesia** and **other island nations**.



*Church planting in the remote area of Russel Islands of the Solomon Islands.*

# REGION: SOUTHERN AFRICA

*Jason Albelo, Regional Coordinator*



## New Nations + People Groups

- **Eswatini:** A Nigerian businessman initially planted a church there, but after his passing, his wife seeks guidance for next steps.
- Nations yet to see Foursquare work in the region include **Comoros, Mayotte, Réunion, Mauritius** and **Madagascar**.



*Outreach in Zimbabwe.*

## Ministry Growth + Development

- **Namibia** started a Global Council-certified School of Ministry in late 2023/early 2024 using DLT.
- **Malawi:** Ongoing efforts to reach 2.5+ million unreached (Yao people targeted via schools and Bible education in partnership with Water Wells for Africa and Foursquare Mission Press).
- **Regional:** Agricultural + WASH projects in multiple nations.
- **Malawi:** “Good News for Schools” program.
- **Zimbabwe:** Goat Project for Churches.

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Pastor Festus Negumbo** (Namibia) lost his wife last year yet continues leading the SOM; also enrolled in MASL at LPU.
- **Dr. Delinda Higgins** supports Namibia’s DLT School of Ministry.
- **Pastor Juliana Muskwe** (Zimbabwe) is a national leader who rescues and rehabilitates trafficked/abused women, raising them into ministry.
- **Zambia** licensed seven new female pastors, leading the region in women ministers.



*Pastor Juliana Muskwe, National Leader of Zimbabwe, with some of the women who are part of rehab + training ministry.*

## NextGen

- **Malawi** under Pastor Davis offers strong youth ministries and leadership pipelines.
- There has been an emphasis on equipping and releasing younger leaders across **Malawi, Zambia** and **Zimbabwe**.

## Church Planting

- **Mozambique** planted 10 churches in 2024, including one near Beira, the capital city.
- **Zambia** and **Burundi** partnered to plant a new church in Lusaka, reaching a Kirundi-speaking diaspora community.
- Additional church planting vision casting led by **Pastor Danny Bennett** took place at the regional meeting (November 2024).

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- Pastor Juliana's team in **Zimbabwe** has ongoing testimonies of women healed and restored from crisis situations.
- **Malawi's** government mandate for Bible education in public schools opened doors for Foursquare to minister to approximately 500,000 students. **30,000 Bibles** were sent from Foursquare Mission Press .

## Challenges + Persecution

- Governments increasingly require national headquarter facilities and recognized pastoral training.
- Persistent drought affects **Zambia, Malawi, Zimbabwe, Angola** and **Mozambique**, spurring water well projects.
- Economic struggles hinder Stage 2-3 national churches, and some countries still operate at Stage 1-2.

## Future Hopes

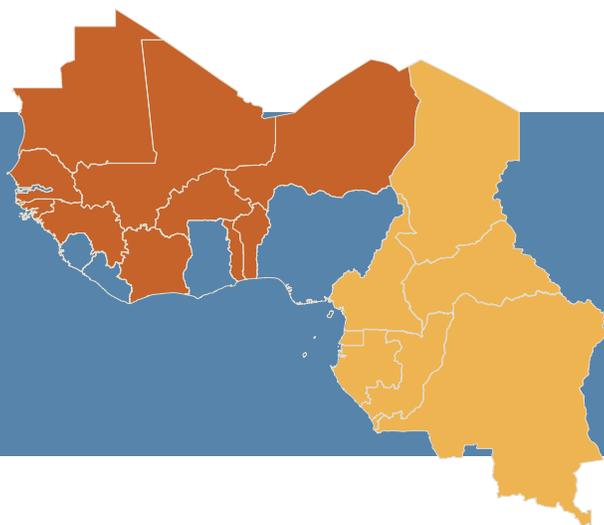
- More cross-regional partnerships for planting churches, especially in French-speaking island nations.
- Vision for leaders to plant new churches and focus on the next generation.
- **Angola:** The National Church has located property where they could build their headquarters building and are raising the needed funds to purchase the land.



*Bibles from Foursquare Missions Press being delivered to Malawi*

# REGION: FRANCOPHONE WEST AFRICA + CENTRAL AFRICA

*Daouda Traore, Regional Coordinator*



## New Nations + People Groups

- **Cape Verde** was reopened in partnership with Cote d'Ivoire, Guinea Bissau and Nigeria.
- **São Tomé + Príncipe** was opened through a partnership with FMI, Nigerian and DR Congo
- **Equatorial Guinea** was opened through a partnership with FMI and Nigeria.
- New churches planted among unreached ethnic groups in **Cote d'Ivoire, Guinea Bissau, Cameroon, Central African Republic (CAR)** and **DR Congo**.
- **Togo** still has eight major unreached groups. Please pray that doors open to reach these people groups.



*Installation of National Leader of Senegal,  
Pastor Maïke Ibatta*

## Ministry Growth + Development

- Regional DLT events in **Abidjan** (Francophone West Africa) and **Kinshasa** (Central Africa) focused on Biblical Stewardship.
- Youth directors in both regions were trained in **Children and Youth modules**.
- **Cote d'Ivoire** saw the greatest growth with 54 new churches in 2024.
- FDR assisted with flood victims in **Guinea** and **Chad**.
- **Congo**: Funds supported pouring the second-floor concrete for the School of Missions, preventing damage to the framing after work was interrupted. The job is complete..
- **Gabon**: Expanded church capacity from 60 to 110 seats.
- **Chad**: A damaged church was rebuilt and is nearing completion. A grant also funded a December 2024 outreach conference, training 500 believers.
- **Senegal**: A grant covered six months' rent for the "Restoration" church in Dakar and supported the National Church's property expansion for outreach and discipleship.
- **Niger**: In Niger, Pastor Sarah and a volunteer team lead a growing kids' outreach, providing food, stories, and activities twice a week for 120 children. Fifteen have already committed to Christ.
- **Niger**: A training center is being set up with essential equipment and a rented villa for one year. Small groups will train on-site, with sessions recorded for remote learners.

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Wade and Bea Preston** (Cote d'Ivoire) graduated 44 students from their School of Missions; 39 prayer cells emerged.
- **Mike and Kristin Gentry** approved as missionary workers to Cote d'Ivoire, currently fundraising.
- **Rev. Douza de Douza** (Guinea Bissau) planted two churches at home and sent missionaries to Cape Verde.
- **Rev. Alain Ekomi** (Gabon), in his early 30s, bought property for a national Headquarter and expanded the mother church.
- **Rev. Maïke Ibatta** (Senegal), also in his early 30s, began restoring Senegal's Foursquare Church.

## NextGen

- Youth conventions in **Cote d'Ivoire** (500 youth) and **DR Congo**.
- Training events in **Guinea Bissau** (retreats, door-to-door evangelism), **Cameroon's** youth department, **Gabon's** school of music and tutoring, **Burkina Faso's** six youth conferences, **DR Congo's** youth gang rehab.



*Children's ministry in Niger*

## Church Planting

- **Cote d'Ivoire:** 54 new churches in partnership with Grace Covenant and FMI.
- **Guinea Bissau:** Two new churches in Kassu and Paola.
- **Cameroon:** Two new churches planted despite a scarcity of trained pastors.
- **Central African Republic:** Six new churches in 2024, including one in a predominantly Muslim area (Bria).
- **Benin:** Four new churches planted in 2024.
- **DR Congo:** Nine new churches in multiple regions.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- Multiple testimonies of healings, deliverances, and even a resurrection in **Benin**.
- Pygmy communities in **Cameroon** and **CAR** integrated into churches (first-ever Pygmy Foursquare wedding in CAR).
- Prison ministry successes in **CAR** (13 baptisms in Ngaragba prison).
- **Chad** and **Guinea** saw relief for flood victims through FDR.

## Challenges + Persecution

- Kidnappings by Jihadists in **Niger**; many people displaced.
- Flooding in **Chad** and **Guinea**.

## Future Hopes

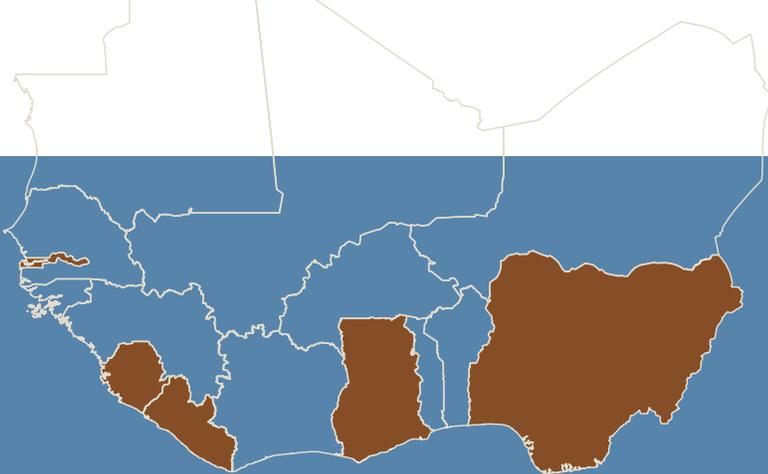
- More training and leadership development, property acquisition, and newly opened nations (**São Tomé, Equatorial Guinea, Cape Verde**).
- Strengthening and unifying national leaders and encouraging church multiplication in **Togo, Benin, Guinea**, and beyond.



*DLT Children Training in Côte d'Ivoire*

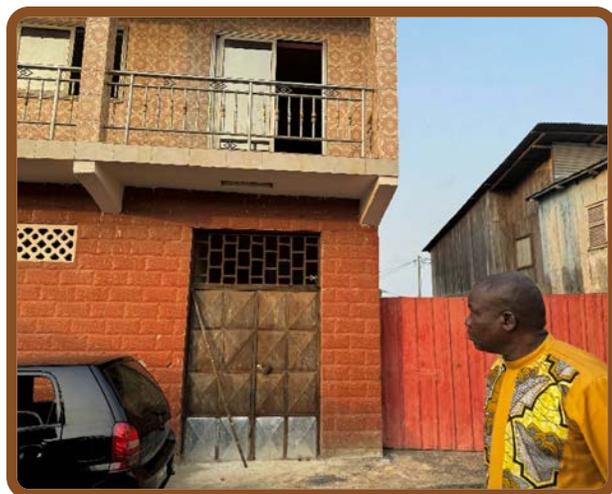
# REGION: WEST AFRICA (WAMCO)

*Sunday Adebisi, Regional Coordinator*



## New Nations + People Groups

- In 2023, feasibility teams visited **Equatorial Guinea** and **São Tomé + Príncipe**, resulting in successful church plants by 2024 with the collaboration of Nigeria and Congo.
- **Equatorial Guinea's** first Foursquare church was inaugurated in November 2023, with further outreach scheduled for July 2025 alongside the US Hispanic District and the Francophone Regional Coordinator.
- **São Tomé + Príncipe's** groundwork began June 2023, leading to a missionary from Angola arriving in February 2024 to launch a Portuguese-speaking church plant.



*Nigerian missionary in front of church property in São Tomé*

## Ministry Growth + Development

- **Ghana** celebrated 50 years of Foursquare presence in 2024, hosting President Randy Remington and demonstrating significant growth under the leadership of Dr. Francis Sey (Chairman of WAMCO).
- **Liberia** commemorated 40 years of Foursquare ministry; though historically impacted by civil war, it is renewing leadership, ordaining new ministers, and planning for an administrative building.

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Rev. Sunday Adebisi**, WAMCO Regional Coordinator, facilitated the church launch in Equatorial Guinea and led feasibility studies in São Tomé + Príncipe.
- **Dr. Francis Sey** (Ghana) serves as Chairman of the WAMCO region and has overseen the steady growth of Foursquare Ghana.

## Church Planting

- New plants in **Equatorial Guinea** and **São Tomé + Príncipe** mark significant strides in expanding Foursquare's reach among Portuguese-speaking communities.

- **Liberia** has mapped out additional areas for further church planting and celebrated its 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary with renewed vision.

### Challenges + Persecution

- Historical civil war in **Liberia** caused major setbacks, but the national church is moving beyond those challenges.
- Persecution against Christians is ongoing in northern **Nigeria**.

### Future Hopes

- Continued growth of new works in **Equatorial Guinea** and **São Tomé + Príncipe**, with outreach efforts planned for July 2025.
- **Ghana** and **Liberia** aim for further church expansion, property development, and leadership strengthening in the coming years.



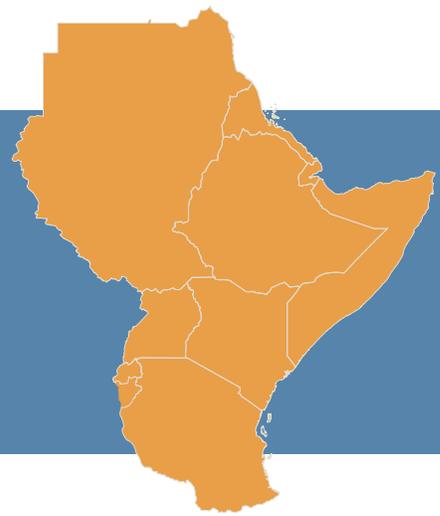
*Leadership training in Liberia*



*Leadership training in Sierra Leone*

# REGION: EAST AFRICA

Mike + Stacy Collins, Regional Coordinators



## New Nations + People Groups

- **Burundi** reached the Batwa people in Uganda (624 decisions for Christ) and launched an outreach ministry.
- **South Sudan** has an orphanage ministry for war/conflict-affected children.



Pastors with new motorcycles in Uganda

## Ministry Growth + Development

- **Burundi** developed a Family Ministry in 2024 and held women-in-ministry training in 13 districts.
- **Kenya** evangelized during its National Convention (275 salvations).
- **Ethiopia** had its first-ever DLT session on Church Leadership.
- A **regional DLT in Nairobi** covered Stewardship for seven East African nations.
- A **National Leaders + Wives Retreat** was held in Zanzibar.
- Foursquare **Kenya** received support for a land purchase to build the government required headquarters office:
- **Burundi** and **Kenya** have graduated 232 and 57 leaders (respectively) from their DLT Schools of Ministry. DLT is now facilitated in every East African nation.
- With help from the US Foursquare Church + FMI, **Rwanda** celebrated the reopening of 7 of it's churches.

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Bishop Serges** (Burundi), Regional Chair, is raising leaders and empowering women and youth.
- **Pastor Aaron Thompson**, who serves as an FMI Emissary to South Sudan, supports the Foursquare Church with training and has opened an orphanage with Bishop Charles.



Repairs to a church in Rwanda

## NextGen

- **Burundi** held its first-ever youth camp (250 attendees).
- **Kenya** had a national youth conference; 15 youth saved.
- **Uganda**: Over 450 youth at a week-long camp (theme: OUTPOURING); many received the Holy Spirit with tongues.
- Regional Coordinator Stacy Collins trained 260+ children's ministers in **Kenya** and **Tanzania**.



*Welding training in Uganda*

## Church Planting

- **Burundi** planted six new local churches and diaspora churches in **Zambia** and **South Sudan**.
- **Kenya** established seven new churches and two new meeting points in 2024.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- **Burundi** ordained the first two women pastors, who have now become board members.
- **Kenya** reports instant healings, family restorations, and Holy Spirit baptisms.
- Water wells in **Burundi, Rwanda** and **Kenya** contributed to both community transformation and evangelism.

## Challenges + Persecution

- **Rwanda** continues to believe for their remaining 26 churches to re-open.
- **South Sudan** remains war-torn, both **South Sudan** and **Burundi** are among the poorest worldwide and struggle with food insecurity.

## Future Hopes

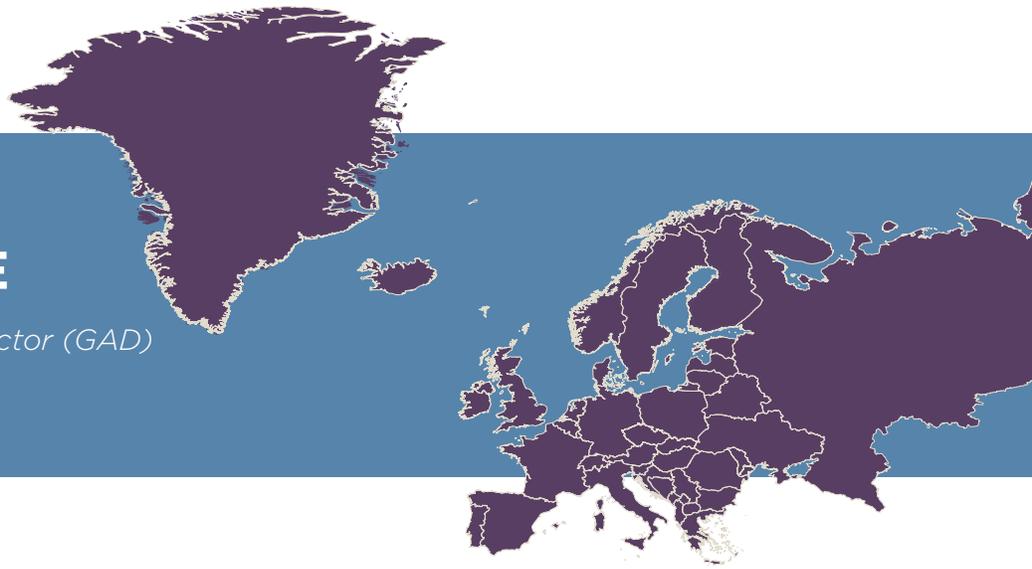
- Plans to send African workers to **closed or restricted nations**.
- Training, empowering, and mobilizing young leaders, especially because children and youth are the majority population in East Africa.



*Bible college graduates in Kenya*

# REGION: EUROPE

*Jeff Roper, Global Associate Director (GAD)*



## New Nations + People Groups

- New inroads among Roma communities in Romania, in partnership with Foursquare Netherlands.
- FMI Workers Nate and De'Sha Swisher bring a Foursquare presence to Scotland.
- Refugees from all over the near (Far) east and Africa continue to migrate to Europe.

## Ministry Growth + Development

- Global Ministry Institute (GMI) launched in **Croatia**, a two-year leadership training program in partnership with FMI and LPU.
- FMI workers **Jordan Fehlen** (Austria) and **Joel Mayer** (Estonia) are taking 6 workers from **FMI Europe/MENACA** through the Licensing process.
- FMI workers **Tim and Dhana Wimberly** (Romania) are taking a group of leaders in **Romania** through the licensing process.
- Ongoing support in **Ukraine** for war relief, new church planting, feeding programs, and an orphanage vehicle purchase.
- Additional resources enabled a new presence in **Romania** (nine churches/ministry points so far).



*Serving Ukranian refugees*

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Anna Marie Mazzone** (Germany) planted a church among street people in Bielefeld, reaching the marginalized.
- **Matt and Abby Edwards** (Austria) started Serve the City Linz.
- **Marcie and Brandon Brazee** (Germany) started Serve the City Cologne in partnership with UPS.



*Foursquare Europe Youth Event in Amsterdam, Netherlands*

## NextGen

- The **Foursquare Europe Youth Conference** in Amsterdam was the largest ever with over 400 youth + young adults attending from 27 countries, including Europe and MENACA
- FMI Worker **James Scott** and a parent from Plovdiv, Bulgaria started an online Youth group for the Third culture teens within FMI Europe meeting 2x a month. They will also meet for a spring retreat.
- Foursquare in **Zagreb, Croatia** is in process of building a nextGen facility

## Church Planting

- Partnership with Foursquare Netherlands to plant churches among Roma in **Romania**.
- FMI workers **Jordan and Lindsay Fehlen** have started homegroup in **Graz, Austria** and FMI workers **Marcie and Brandon Brazee** have started home group in **Cologne, Germany**.
- FMI workers **Jonathan and Nela Marsden**, and **Jeff and Colleen Richards** were appointed Pastors of Baptist churches in **Wales**.
- FMI workers Toby and Ginny Huessen were appointed lead pastors of Christus fur Alle in Bielefeld Germany.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- New workers have arrived in **Wales, Croatia** and **Scotland**.
- Second Year workers getting established in **France** and **Austria**.
- A US Church generously donated their Return of Tithes funds which enabled an orphanage to buy a needed vehicle and provide winter coats/boots.

## Challenges + Persecution

- The war in **Ukraine** remains the biggest challenge. Some ministries face property and resource losses or relocations.
- Political climate in Europe continues to change.
- Economic concerns with tensions between Europe and North America.

## Future Hopes

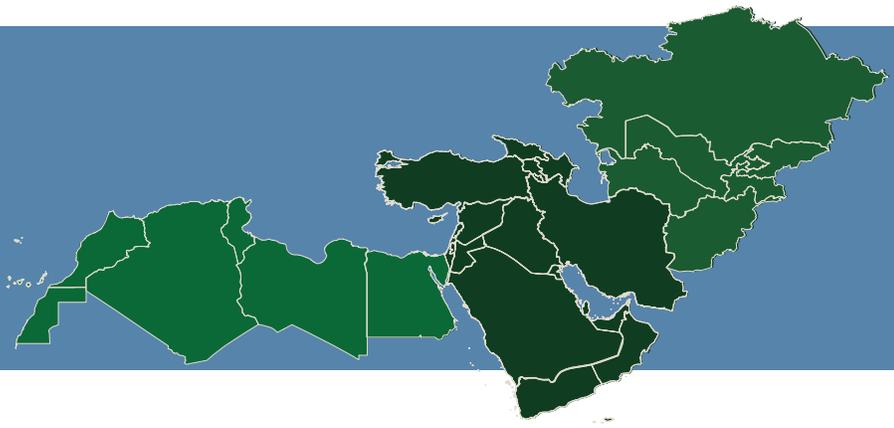
- Expand **Global Ministry Institute** to train future leaders across more European nations in 2025.
- Ongoing disciple-making, church planting, and leadership development remain priorities.



*FMI Europe workers at their retreat in Bratislava, Slovakia*

# REGION: MENACA

Steve + Kim\*, Regional Coordinators



## New Nations + People Groups

- 2024 saw major developments in **Foursquare Turkey and nations in Central Asia**, all connecting to Foursquare via partnerships.
- Foursquare nations in **Central Asia** are simultaneously reaching refugees (Syrians, Afghans, Turkmen, Iranians) and planting churches in those diaspora communities.

## Ministry Growth + Development

- Foursquare **Kazakhstan** hosted DLT every three months, working with over 5 Eurasian nations and graduating 70 leaders. **Turkey** also hosted DLT events for a strategic Middle East nation.
- **Turkey** (Kurtulus Movement) continues fruitful ministry in the earthquake zone of Antakya, .
- A **Central Asian Bible College\*** organizes contextualized theological education with DLT modules on Family, Leadership, Missions and Hermeneutics.
- Foursquare **Turkey** youth traveled to the Foursquare Europe Youth Conference in Albania.
- Vision trips to a **North African nation\*** for potential missionary workers from a different global region.
- A **Central Asian nation\*** fed refugees, held evangelistic gatherings and disciplined couples through a transformation course.



DLT training in Central Asia

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- Two pastors emerged as a passionate **female senior leaders** who recently joined Foursquare for greater ministry recognition in Central Asian and North Africa.
- **Pastor Ihsan** (Turkey), MENACA Regional Chair, is focusing on youth and bridging relationships across Eurasia.

\*Names of countries + people are not used for security.

## NextGen

- **Central Asian\*** youth efforts are advancing. A combined youth conference is taking place in June 2025.
- **Middle East:** A worker from South Asia built a thriving youth ministry with her children.

## Church Planting

- **A Central Asian nation\*** is planting a church for refugees.
- **A Central Asian nation\*** opened a second church in it's capital city and two house churches in another part of the region.
- **A Eurasian nation\*** planted a new local church in 2024.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- Many people in the region accepted Christ and were baptized.
- Increased laborers to MENACA.



*DLT training in Central Asia*

## Challenges + Persecution

- Widespread social and governmental harassment, interrogations, and blacklisting across much of **MENACA**.
- **Iranian** believers face severe risk if deported or exposed.
- **Afghanistan** is under Taliban rule.

## Future Hopes

- Establish a missions and training base in **North Africa\*** in the next 1-2 years.
- Gain official Foursquare presence in some MENACA nations.
- Foster more cross-region conferences and short-term outreaches, including “Foursquare Connects” events.



*North Africa team with Western District Supervisor, Mark Slomka*

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# REGION: THE AMERICAS

Aaron Hunter, Global Associate Director



## Ministry Growth + Development

- DLT ramped up in 2024: major training events in **Colombia, Ecuador, Uruguay, Brazil** and **Peru**.
- **Nicaragua** grew significantly under Luis Solis, Guatemala gained unity and numerical growth, and Argentina stabilized financially.
- **Jamaica** experienced a fresh evangelistic wave, reviving declining churches.

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Joel Arreola** led an international team to host the first Latin American youth summit.
- **Humberto Martinez** (Panama) fosters a collaborative culture, sharing resources across the region.



Youth + Childrens workers at the Equipados training in Colombia

## NextGen

- First international youth summit in **Panama** (600+ people from 17 nations).
- In **Mexico**, 90 leaders under 40 met for equipping.
- **Jamaica's** "Awake" conference targets 18-25-year-olds for calling and leadership.

## Church Planting

- Plans to plant churches in **Trinidad** and a worker moving to **St. Lucia** for 2025.
- Exploring options in **St. Maarten**.



Global Associate Director Aaron Hunter and FMI workers John + Amanda Frederick on a vision trip to Trinidad.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- A group of 15 Latin American participated in a missions trip to **North Africa**.

## Challenges + Persecution

- **Nicaragua** faces government pressures, withholding legal status for churches and jailing pastors under questionable charges.

## Future Hopes

- Continue to create a true culture of discipleship.
- Reach the **unreached people groups** that still exist within the region.
- See church growth and multiplication happen in the **Caribbean** and begin planting churches on islands without a Foursquare presence.
- See the church release emerging leaders and see the church grow young.
- As FMI, we would be able to develop a strong team structure that would allow us to efficiently serve the national churches and leaders in our region.
- Greater connection with the US church in the Americas region.
- Create clear pathways for training and equipping that would empower Latin Americans to serve on the mission field.



*FMI Americas workers at their retreat in the Dominican Republic.*

# REGION: CENTRAL AMERICA

Jared Mueller, Regional Coordinator



## Ministry Growth + Development

- **El Salvador** launched the Semillero Ministerial in partnership with Colombia Foursquare, graduating its first cohort. One couple successfully reopened a previously closed church.
- **Honduras**, under stable leadership, has continued to develop leaders and move the ministry forward with commendable fruitfulness.



*Semillero Graduation during El Salvador's 50th Anniversary Convention*

## Worker + Leader Highlights

- **Gilberto Mejía**, National Leader of Honduras, has been central to cultivating leadership pipelines, planting churches, and ensuring consistent growth over the last decade.
- **Jared Mueller** (Regional Coordinator) supports these national leaders and initiatives, championing strategic training and collaboration across Central America.

## NextGen

- A young adult summit took place with over 600 attendees from **North, Central, South America** and the **Caribbean**. This event marks a significant step toward unifying a cross-border youth movement.
- Younger leaders in **Honduras, El Salvador** and elsewhere are taking on greater responsibility, fostering momentum for future church growth.



*Young adult summit in Panama.*

## Church Planting

- In **El Salvador**, the reopened church from Semillero Ministerial training demonstrates the effectiveness of leadership development programs.
- **Honduras** planted five new churches and established 15 new missionary fields in 2024; they aim to add another 10 churches and 12 missionary fields next year.

## Miracles + Breakthroughs

- There have been spiritual and organizational breakthroughs, such as revitalized churches and strong young leadership.
- Coordinated initiatives (e.g., leadership training with Colombia) have resulted in tangible success stories.

## Challenges + Persecution

- **Nicaragua** faces heightened government scrutiny on religious organizations; some pastors have been imprisoned under financial-related accusations. Foursquare Nicaragua regained its legal status in 2024, but the environment remains delicate.

## Future Hopes

- Greater youth-led expansion through events like the young adult summit and training programs.
- Ongoing vision for mobilizing Latin American believers through “Llamado Macedonico” (Macedonian Call) to serve in unreached or restricted areas.
- Strengthening local economies, leadership structures, and church planting to ensure long-term stability and multiplication across Central America.