

*“But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord
Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me,
and I to the world.”*

Galatians 6:14

MOLETSANE BAPTIST CHURCH

We Preach Christ Crucified



Dear Friends and Partners in the Gospel

We praise the Lord for His faithfulness to Moletsane Baptist Church. As we reflect on the past few years, we are filled with gratitude for your prayers, encouragement, and financial support. Your partnership has been a vital means of grace in helping us lay a strong foundation for ministry here in Moletsane.

In the early days, when our congregation was still small and resources were limited, outside support fully carried us through. Yet this did not breed complacency. Instead, it stirred us to labor faithfully and to grow in maturity, knowing that the ultimate provision of the church must come from God through His people. We are encouraged to share that the Lord has blessed the ministry with growth. On average, about 100 people now gather with us each Sunday for worship; a testimony to the power of the gospel at work in our community. Alongside this, our finances have become increasingly stable as members take ownership of the ministry through their giving.

Currently we are about 17% short of meeting our full ministry budget. While this shows that we have not yet reached complete self-sufficiency, it is also a clear sign of progress. We rejoice that the Lord has brought us this far, and we are confident that as He continues to grow His people in faith and generosity, He will provide what is needed for the work of the Gospel.

We remain deeply thankful for every individual, church, and ministry that has walked with us on this journey. Your support has not weakened us but rather strengthened us for faithful service.

The fruit of your investment is visible each Lord's Day as the Word is preached, disciples are made, and Christ is exalted in Soweto.

Outreach

Our recent outreach was an encouragement all round. The first encouragement was the number of saints who showed up in obedience of the great commission to proclaim the good news. The second encouragement was the reception of the people we managed to engage with on the only life, truth and way that Jesus is. Although some people were resistant and rude, the general tone was of interest; one man even called the group back to further ask questions after his brother who had been dismissive left. The third encouragement was of brothers and sisters, renewed in hope of the gospel as they were reminded about its glorious truth in preaching it to others.



What an encouraging day! We encourage you to pray with us for these seeds and efforts that God's elect would come to repentance and trust in Him as saviour, and our church would be strengthened, abounding in every good work; to the praise of His Glorious Grace!

Pray with us

1. **Financial Provision** – Pray that the Lord would supply the remaining 17% needed for our full ministry budget, enabling us to continue serving effectively.
2. **Spiritual Maturity** – Ask God to deepen the faith and commitment of our members, that they may continue to give joyfully and grow in obedience to His Word.
3. **Faithful Witness** – Pray that the preaching of the Word and the making of disciples at MBC would bear lasting fruit in Soweto and beyond, all for the glory of Christ.
4. **Please join us in prayer** for our next outreach on 18 October and baptism service on 19 October, that many hearts may be touched by the gospel and that God's name would be honoured in all that takes place.

Soli Deo Gloria,

Moletsane Baptist Church