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Dear Friends of SAVE,

Warm greetings from the SAVE Board.

MANY THANKS for your prayers supporting the March 2026 **SAVE team visit to Sierra Leone.**



June 2026 SAVE Board Meeting: Front row (L-R) Radcliffe Jones, Sylvia Jones, Chris Follman, Diane Moran, Ndidi Musa, David Musa, Emeric Palmer. Back row (L-R) Edgar Momoh, Larry Moran, B.Lynn Bowen, Brian Bowen, Rebecca Davies-Venn (via Zoom), Byron Sogie-Thomas (via Zoom)

‘Where there is no vision,
the people perish.’ Proverbs 29:18.

What a joy it is when Christian ministry has a godly vision and in which the leaders have hearts for holiness and evangelism. The one week spent in Sierra Leone (SL), in March, proved to be an excellent time for our SAVE team members to talk in person with our SL ministry partners. It was a privilege to meet with such dedicated and faithful leaders who experience sacrifice in order to fulfil their respective ministries.

Each of our partner ministries in SL were very thankful for the **25 laptops** that they received from SAVE (five to each partner). Many thanks in particular to members of Zionsville Fellowship, in Indiana, for their enabling these computers to be

sent to SL and strengthen Church organization and communications there.

At the end of June SAVE had our **annual SAVE Board Retreat** at which we were thanking God for His Goodness. For both events, the March 2026 visit to SL and our June Retreat, we could sense the Lord’s leading us as we experienced the warmth of fellowship and the rejoicing in His Word.

One question that arose during the Retreat was the need for having **young people on the Board**, young people who are feeling called to serve in international missions. **Do you know any young person** (under 40) who is interested in seeking God’s will for His Church in Africa? Please ask them to talk with a member of the SAVE Board.



There is much excitement in the rural villages of Sierra Leone when the Jesus Movie Backpack project is brought to them. Even the Muslim village chief will witness the movie and enjoy it. This SAVE supported project has been reaching out to the Susu speaking peoples. It is planned to be shown to other language groups across the country.

EFSL, Evangelical Fellowship of Sierra Leone

The EFSL (CEO Pastor Gadiru Bassie) is assessing the outreach to the Susu people and plans to expand their outreach programmes to other Unreached Peoples Groups (UPG). Their '**National Church Planting Strategic Plan**' is an instructive and important document. The full report is available on the SAVE website, under EFSL PARTNER NEWS.

SLEFES, Sierra Leone Fellowship of Evangelical Students (InterVarsity)

During the March team visit to SL we met with the university students on the Freetown campus (SLEFES CEO Pastor Matthew Charles). The Christian group there meets for afternoon worship services. They offer this daily from 1:00-2:00pm for those who can join them. 30-40 students were present when David Musa gave his message and encouraged them greatly. Many commented what a blessing it was to have the very first full-time national student leader visit. David reflected on

the impact SLEFES had on his life, and will have on theirs if they continue in their commitment to the Lord. From the University campus the SAVE team went to the SLEFES House which is under renovation. They are currently working on getting the roof completed before the rainy season so other work could continue inside. To end the day with SLEFES the team joined the SLEFES staff and Board Members for dinner together with Mr. Donald Ola Theophilus Smart the SLEFES Board Chairman. Each year SAVE provides financial support to pay Christian workers in SLEFES and SUSL.



The EFSL Church Planting Strategic Plan

Governance, Motorbikes & Bibles

The SAVE visiting team participated in a valuable discussion with SUSL leaders about the SUSL form of governance and constitution. The EFSL and **Harvest Intercontinental Church** explained their needs for motorbikes and more African Study Bibles.

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'But we will give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the word.' Acts 6:4