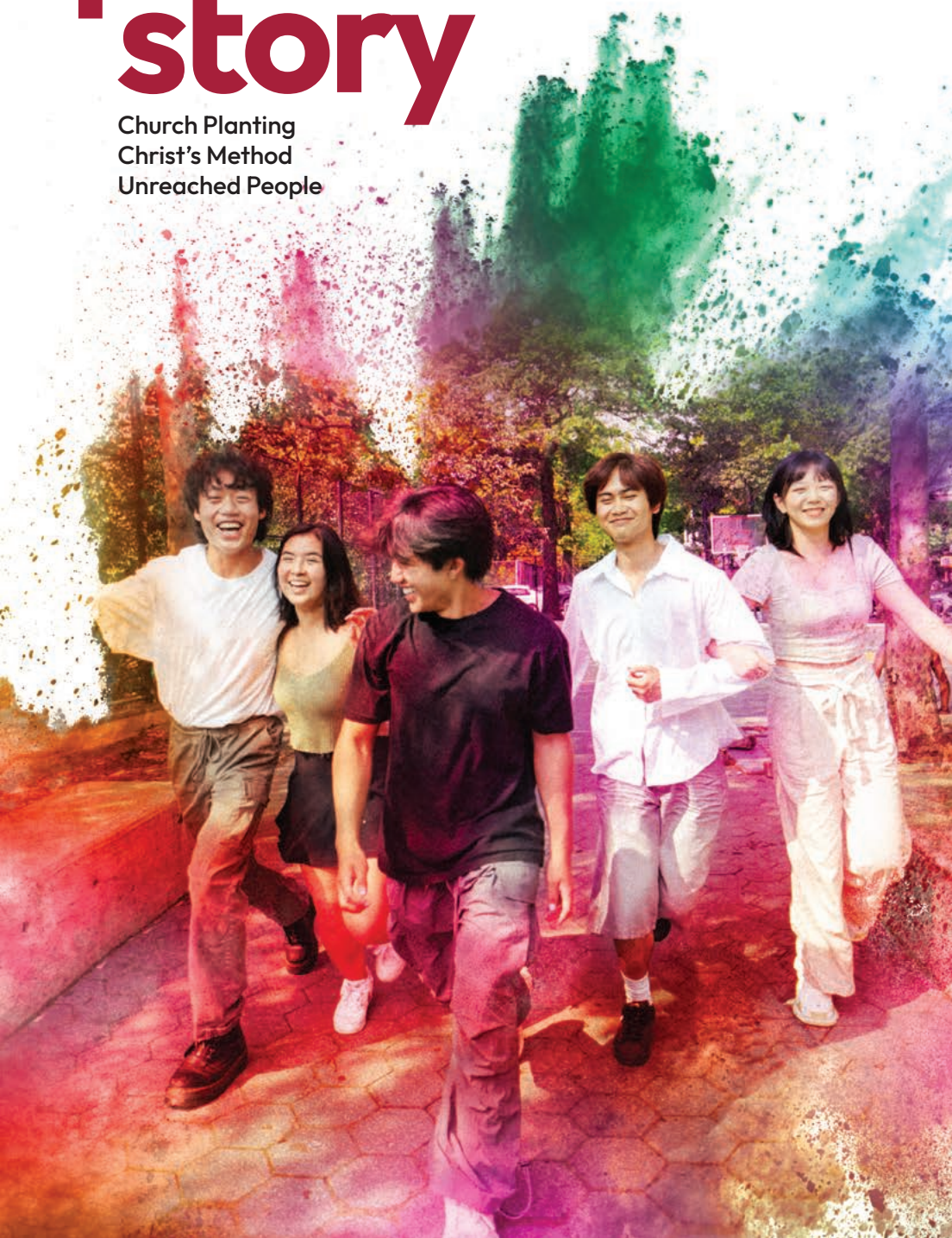




# GLOBAL MISSION picture story

Church Planting  
Christ's Method  
Unreached People





## Can Any Good Come Out of This?

### ARUA, UGANDA

**O**ngeira, a Global Mission pioneer in Arua, Uganda, faced numerous challenges. Many people he interacted with believed that Adventism was a false religion. Those who seemed interested often didn't stay around long. Also, his mission partner, who knew the local language, abandoned him. Ongeira became discouraged and doubted whether anything good could come from his experience.

Just when he was ready to give up, Ongeira met a man who had many questions about the Adventist message. Ongeira patiently explained his faith and started studying its teachings with him. To the man's surprise, he found them faithful to the Bible and eventually accepted Christ. Soon, he assisted Ongeira in spreading the message and addressing skeptics' doubts. With his help, the community's attitude toward Ongeira improved. What seemed impossible became hopeful.

Your prayers and financial gifts help pioneers persevere amid difficult challenges in spreading the gospel. Thank you for contributing to the work of Global Mission pioneers such as Ongeira.



# Addressing Their Needs

## SUTTON, UNITED KINGDOM

**T**he Sutton Connect Mission Project started with a vision to create a church plant that met people's needs and equipped members to serve the community. Like many areas, Sutton has residents in need of resources. Also, 32.3 percent of its population had no religious affiliation. This posed an opportunity to build connections and share God's love.

The Global Mission pioneers working with this church plant began with a food hub supported by local charities and businesses. They distribute approximately 1 ton of food to 350 families weekly and provide services such as counseling, fitness classes, cooking classes, tutoring, and more. They also run children's breakfast clubs and have started a community choir.

The food hub has become a place where friendships grow and trust builds. Community members have become volunteers. Helen, inspired by the vision, started coordinating food deliveries at the hub and now attends church regularly.

Another local volunteer, Elizabeth, experienced so much love and compassion while collecting food parcels that she now attends church with her family and wants to be involved with the mission.

Your contributions to Global Mission projects make a significant impact! Thank you for your support.





# Finding Faith and Community

## HSINCHU, TAIWAN

In Hsinchu, Taiwan, the Hsinchu church plant started a public campus ministry. The church is near two large universities, Tsinghua University and National Chiao Tung University. This prime spot helps the church connect with many young people.

To engage with students, the church created a Korean club due to the rising popularity of Korean culture. The club was officially recognized by Tsinghua University. Some regular participants have joined the church's Friday Night Fellowship class and become members of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

One student, Yating, joined the club after her mother passed from cancer. She enjoyed attending and found comfort there. Eventually, Yating decided to be baptized. Initially, she hesitated because she feared her family's concerns, but through prayer, everything was resolved. Now, she actively shares the gospel.

Please keep all Global Mission projects in your prayers.  
Thank you!

## Dear Friends,

**T**he stories in this issue of *Picture Story* take you from the suburban avenues of Sutton, United Kingdom, to the windswept city roads of Hsinchu, Taiwan, and on to the vibrant green pastures of Arua, Uganda. You'll discover how Global Mission pioneers in these places are touching hearts and changing lives through their dedicated church planting work.

These pioneers are successfully reaching the unreached because they've adopted one of

the most powerful ways to reach the unreached for Jesus: friendship ministry. They're following His method of ministry: mingling with people, showing them sympathy, meeting their needs, winning their confidence, and bidding them to follow Jesus.

Thank you for continuing to fund Global Mission pioneers as they help prepare people for Jesus' soon return.

**Sylva Keshishian**



### THE UNREACHED NEED YOUR HELP!

Share the gospel with us through these projects.

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#### Unusual Opportunities

Funds quickly available for unexpected projects that don't fit usual categories

Goal: \$25,000 ● **Needed: \$15,825**



#7110

#### Planting Churches in Southern Asia-Pacific

Support Global Mission projects in some of the most difficult territories in the Southern Asia-Pacific Division

Goal: \$100,000 ● **Needed: \$94,579**



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#### Planting Churches in Bhutan, India, and Maldives

Support Global Mission projects in some of the most challenging areas of Bhutan, India, and the Maldives

Goal: \$110,000 ● **Needed: \$106,853**





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