

TRUSTING GOD FOR OUR FUTURE

For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord. "They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope. (Jeremiah 29:11)

You are invited to attend our 63rd Anniversary Celebration Dinner where Darryl Ramey will be formally introduced as president of WMP, and Harold and Marie Mack will be recognized and celebrated for their many years of leadership. (See enclosed flyer for details.)

Harold Mack became president of World Missionary Press in 2013. Under his leadership, WMP's outreach grew significantly. To support this, we bought property, built a warehouse, added new machinery, increased production, and added new languages to the booklet repertoire. Darryl Ramey has this same commitment to the growth and outreach of WMP.

The presidential leadership is not the only change in process. Marie Mack has been WMP Treasurer since January 2007 and is also retiring. In April 2024, Novella Homan came on board as Director of Accounting to learn the Treasurer's responsibilities. In November, Novella will transition into the Treasurer's position. WMP leadership recognizes the commitment we have to coordinators and distributors around the world. Tewodros G. of Norway wrote, "On behalf of our entire community, I want to extend our deepest gratitude for the booklets you have generously sent to us. They have been an invaluable resource in our mission to spread the Word of God. Almost every Friday we witness 15-30 people accepting Jesus as their Savior."

We-can't-do-it-without-you testimonies like this are tempered with inquires like, "I would like to know if our consignment is still coming this year?" Ministries throughout the world are dependent on WMP Scripture booklets. Some coordinators in countries such as Colombia, Brazil, Nigeria, and Tanzania are wishing we would send two containers a year, as a container's entire contents are often committed before it arrives.

Changes in leadership come with newly energized strategies to meet these growing obligations. One of Harold's incoming goals was to produce 10 million booklets per month. Currently we produce 11 million and

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have our sights set on 12 million. The long-term goal is 20 to 25 million booklets per month. We believe God will give our leaders and staff the wisdom, funding, resources, personnel, and machinery to reach these goals for His glory.

WMP seeks to "declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among all peoples" (Psalm 96:3), through the inspired written Word of God. "The printed page is so much more powerful than the spoken word, because a drop of ink can make a million think," says Peter H. "You can see there has been a real anointing and guidance of God on the people who put together these different messages in the gospel booklets." We are looking forward to God's continued guidance and direction in the future He has prepared for us. 😪

> Check out pages 2 & 3 for a journey through WMP's history! >>>

1961

World Missionary Press incorporated in Winona Lake, Indiana on July 7

1962 *First full year of production: 71,000 booklets printed*

1966 Purchased two-unit web press to use rolls of paper

1967 Annual production exceeded 1,000,000

1970 WMP moved to new & larger facility in New Paris, Indiana

1973 Annual Production exceeded 10,000,000

1974 60' x 100' building addition constructed to enlarge production area

1982 Office addition / Annual income exceeded \$1 million / WMP became member of ECFA

1983 First New Testaments printed

1984 First container shipment left WMP

Customs

1985 6,000 sq. ft. warehouse completed

1987

Founders Watson and Rose Goodman retired / Annual production exceeded 40 million

1988

Jay Benson became president

1990 Purchased New Testament bindery

1993 Annual income exceeded \$2 million

1994 2-color press purchased

1998 WMP website published

1999 60' x 100' warehouse workspace built

2000

Goal of producing Scripture booklets in 300 languages reached / Web press installed / Second bindery purchased

2001

One billionth Scripture booklet produced in February

[Every donated dollar provides for the production of 21 powerful Scripture booklets for people across the continents in their own language. An investment of \$100 will touch the lives of 2,100 people; \$1,000 will affect 21,000 people who need to have hope in God.]

SHIPMENT STATUS REPORT

Received	Honduras - major distributor - received 7/3/2024
	South Asia - major distributor - received 7/10/2024
	Chad - major distributor - received 7/22/2024
	Kenya - major distributor - received 8/5/2024
	Honduras (via USA) - major distributor - received 8/7/2024
	South Africa (via USA) - major distributor - received 8/7/2024
	Botswana - coordinator - received 8/8/2024
	South Asia - coordinator - received 8/10/2024
	South Asia (2) - major distributor - received 8/11/2024
	USA - major distributor - received 8/14/2024
	Peru - major distributor - received 8/17/2024
	Colombia - major distributor - received 8/17/2024
	Colombia - coordinator - received 8/18/2024
	Philippines (via USA) - major distributor - received 8/20/2024
	Ghana (via USA) - major distributor - received 8/23/2024
	Mexico (via USA) - major distributor - received 8/28/2024
	Italy (via UK) - major distributor - shipped 8/7/2024
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	Brazil - major distributor - shipped 7/24/2024
	Brazil (2) - coord./maj. dist shipped 7/25/2024
Shipped / In Iransii	Equatorial Guinea - coordinator - shipped 7/30/2024
ped /	Finland - coordinator - shipped 8/13/2024
ldius	Finland - major distributor - shipped 8/15/2024
	South Sudan - major distributor - shipped 8/18/2024
	Zambia - major distributor - shipped 8/22/2024

Shipping soon: Malawi, Brazil (3), Guatemala, Ghana, Eswatini, Mauritius

Pray the Lord will fulfill His promise to give WMP a future and a hope by blessing the administration of Darryl Ramey, the work of Novella Homan, and the production and ministry of World Missionary Press.

Pray for the 138 Congolese believers, that they will be discipled, thrive in their relationship to Jesus Christ, and grow to be a strong witness in their area of the Congo.

> Pray for the poor of Malawi and other countries who cannot afford a Bible or other Christian literature. Pray our free booklets and Bible studies will find a way into their hearts and lives.

The Word Works

"I'm so happy having received a booklet which I most wanted to get in my life. It is impossible to buy these kinds of spiritual booklets in our life when we are still at school. This booklet will help me. It encourages me, as I am so sick in my heart. God opened a door for me to study the Bible through this gift of *A Bible Study on John*. It has many verses – some amazing ones. Now I can smile by God's grace and strongly believe that this booklet will bring more happiness in my life. Thank you so much World Missionary Press."

-Charles, Malawi

MEET THE TEAM Steve Chupp, Board Member

As a pastor in Goshen, Indiana, I discovered World Missionary Press years ago, thinking this is the best-kept secret of our region. I love the purity of mission – simply providing the Word of God freely to people around the world and watching God change lives for eternity. Our church's foreign missionaries utilize WMP booklets in sharing the Good News.

My involvement at the Press included volunteering with teams, inviting speakers to our Sunday services, and eventually becoming a board director leading the search for our new president. I have seen God faithfully provide every step of the way. I love the wonderful people at the Press and on the Board. I also had the joy of being Harold and Marie Mack's pastor.

After leading Harvest Community Church in Goshen for 36 years, God



provided my successor in 2015 and called me to take the Kingdom to the marketplace. In the past nine years, I've trained organizations in stress management, worked for a consulting firm, and served as the director of an organization providing end of life planning for all adults.

Currently I am retired and volunteer on boards, community organizations, and my home church. I enjoy public speaking, training, and leadership.

I am a lifelong resident of Elkhart County. A fun fact about me: after studying Spanish in school for four years, I spent a gap year as an exchange student in Germany! My cross-cultural experience uniquely prepared me to pastor a missionarysending church. My wife, Ronda, and I have three married daughters and seven really fun grandchildren. We love the outdoors, travel, and people.



Asia:22,917,278 EquivalencyLatin America:43,968,283 EquivalencyEurope:7,824,437 EquivalencyUSA & Canada:124,800 EquivalencyTotals:119,976,327 Equivalency

*Note that in addition to the freight shipments above, there are also hundreds of smaller requests received each month that are sent via postal, UPS, and FedEx ground shipments.

**"Equivalency" is a concept we use at WMP to compare volume of printing by relating different size booklets to the size of our standard unit of production: a 48-page Help From Above booklet.

2002

Founder Watson Goodman entered Heaven January 28

2005

Purchased baler to recycle scrap paper

2006

Rose Goodman entered Heaven February 24 / Purchased replacement booklet bindery from the CIA

2007

Addition of 60' x 100' warehouse / Marie Mack became treasurer / Annual income exceeds \$3 million

2010

Direct-to-plate technology purchased to revolutionize prepress

2011

WMP celebrated 50 years of production in 338 languages for 210 countries

2013

Jay Benson entered Heaven January 5 / Harold Mack became president September 14

2014

6-color press provided in memory of Jay Benson / Added equipment: paper cutter, new platemaker, replacement saddle-stitch bindery, new stacker/bundler, New Testament bindery

2016

WMP Ambassador Network launched in March

2018

World Prayer Center & Fireside Chapel dedicated in April

2020

Sent a record 81 ship containers despite COVID

2021

WMP celebrated 60 years of production with a total of 2.5 billion Scripture booklets produced

2022

Vicky Benson entered Heaven April 23 / New shipping warehouse dedicated in November / Third booklet bindery installed in December

2023

Purchased another stacker/ bundler for third booklet bindery / Air compressor and misting system installed

2024

Harold and Marie Mack announced retirement / Darryl Ramey became president August 1

GRATEFUL QUOTES



CONGO-BRAZZAVILLE

"In a village that had no church in the Congo, volunteer evangelists brought the entire village together around the gospel. Distributing Soles for Jesus shoes and witnessing with World Missionary Press booklets transformed the entire village. Just as recorded in Acts 9: 35 'all who dwelt at Lydda and Sharon saw him [the healed man] and turned to the Lord.' Jesus said, 'There is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.' What a celebration must have taken place in heaven when 138 people large and small received the Lord as Savior." —Brice D.

USA

"We do gospel outreach Saturday and Sunday evenings in Cleveland, Ohio at our downtown public beach. We sing and preach the gospel and have one-on-one conversations with so many people. We set up a table and offer Scriptures to the people in about a dozen languages. The last couple of years we have had to start ordering so many different languages.

I wish you could be here and experience how open people are and hungry for truth. How beautiful it is to see so many different cultures coming to take God's Word home with them. Praise the Lord Jesus! Thank you so much for what you do, and may God bless you all richly as we work together to glorify Jesus by giving out His eternal all-powerful, life-changing Word." – Christian A.





Scan the QR code to see a video of Jim's distribution!

HONDURAS

"I humbly come with a heart of gratitude for all that you do. God put it on my heart to create a pastor's group and primarily work through churches. Since we did this, I have seen this outreach grow to levels I would have never dreamed. The churches have gone out into their communities and literally flooded them evangelizing.

They put groups in areas where police checkpoints are and give out to each stopping car. They have met grocery store owners and left booklets with them to include in each grocery bag. They are stopping cars and people and talking to them about Christ! It is so amazing, I just feel like crying as I see the Holy Spirit manifest Himself over this outreach. We have worked with WMP for many years, but I have never seen anything like this. This, I believe, is one of the most effective distribution efforts I have ever witnessed." —Jim T.

My covenant I will not break, nor alter the Word that has gone out of My lips. –Psalm 89:34



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