



Summary Financial Information FYE December 31, 2006

Support	
General contributions	\$2,153,285
Cash	\$653,285
In kind donation of property	\$1,500,000
Revenues from other services	\$330,402
Total support	\$2,483,687
Net assets released from restrictions	\$280,908
Total unrestricted support & reclassifications	\$2,764,595
Expenses	
Program expenses:	
Field staff support	\$190,363
Ministry activities and projects	\$270,703
Manuals, study Bibles and distribution	\$212,452
Total program expenses	\$673,518
Administrative and general	\$256,494
Fundraising	\$126,521
Total expenses	\$1,056,533
Excess Revenue over Expenses	\$1,708,062

Excess revenue over expenses includes cash of \$208,062 and property valued at \$1,500,000.
 * These are unaudited year-end financials. Audited figures will be available later this quarter.

Classes in 2006:	1,333
Manuals Shipped—1990 through 2006:	663,897
Bibles (English) Shipped—1990 through 2006:	29,068
Translations:	20 available plus 32 in development
Ministry Partners:	180

2006 ANNUAL REPORT

Bible Training Centre for Pastors



10%
 10% have trained in formal Bible College or Seminary settings.

80%
 80% of the world's pastors have no basic theological training—and little hope of receiving training.

10%
 10% are difficult to reach with basic training due to illiteracy or other issues.

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Supporting the Ministry of BTCP

One of our joys at BTCP is to witness how your support changes the lives of pastors and church leaders around the world. This investment in their training yields countless returns. We want to convey to you that we are careful to exercise proper stewardship over the support God provides through you and others. With the help of our ministry partners, BTCP gratefully extends non-formal theological training at an approximate cost of \$100 per person per year.

Other than regular cash gifts to BTCP, there are other giving opportunities you may want to explore. This includes current gifts of appreciated securities or property, or charitable distributions from IRAs. Also, deferred gifts may help BTCP into the future, such as charitable gift annuities, certain trust arrangements or simple bequests. We encourage you to explore these opportunities with your professional advisors.

BTCP was established as a 501 (c) (3) organization in 1991 and all support is tax-deductible in accordance with IRS guidelines. BTCP is a member of the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA) and operates in accordance with standards of responsible stewardship.



Extending non-formal theological training to the world's untrained pastors.



A higher standard. A higher purpose.



What Do We Mean By Training?

Since pastoral training has risen as a top priority in missions and ministry worldwide, it is time to stop and ask a basic question — “What do we mean by training?”

Are we talking about:

- Teaching a particular book to pastors in a workshop?
- Conducting a 1 to 5 day or 1 to 2 week seminar on a specific topic or subject?
- Providing specialized ministry equipping with regard to learning a skill?
- Delivering some form of short-term, sporadic, subject-oriented teaching?

While all of the above are needed and beneficial—that is not what Bible Training Centre for Pastors (BTCPC) means by training.

BTCP training uses a biblical, systematic, portable and comprehensive approach to providing the foundational equivalent of a good Bible college or seminary education. Our training consists of 520 hours of interactive classroom lecture and discussion under the supervision of a qualified teacher, taking about 2 years to complete.

The Bible is our main textbook (see 2 Timothy 3:15-17), along with 10 essential courses, which also become a resource library for the pastor in his ministry:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Bible Study Methods and Rules of Interpretation 2 Old Testament Survey 3 New Testament Survey 4 Preaching Biblical Messages and Pastoral Ministry 5 Bible Doctrine Survey 6 Personal Spiritual Life | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7 Church Ministry/ Administration/Education 8 Teaching Principles and Methods 9 Church History Survey 10 Missions/Evangelism/ Discipleship |
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We want our graduates to have a biblical and theological frame of reference as a backdrop and grid for life and ministry. **That's what BTCPC means by training!**

“I have a calling and the heart to pastor God's people, but I have no training. How can I get the tools to obey the Lord and serve His people? What's available to adequately equip me to teach His people?”

—Indian Pastor



Our Target Group:

The world's two million untrained pastors.

Our Mission:

To extend non-formal theological training to the world's untrained pastors and church leaders.

Our Method:

A life-on-life concept and a biblically sound, time tested curriculum now used in 80 countries.

How is BTCPC being used?

Currently BTCPC is being used in a variety of applications:

BTCP “Classic”: Classes are conducted by partnering ministries in various full-time programs or modular formats. Class schedules can also be adapted to the students needs.

Church Sponsored Institute: Realizing the shortfall in scriptural instruction, many churches in the USA use 5 of the 10 BTCPC courses to equip elders, deacons, Bible teachers and small group leaders. This is referred to as *Bible Training for Church Leaders* (BTCL).

Bible College: Our concept and curriculum form the backbone of a fuller curriculum.

Seminary Extension Bible Institute: Several seminaries outside the USA use BTCPC to extend basic theological training in a Bible Institute format to remote locations.

What Does a Trained Pastor Look Like?

The pastor trained by BTCPC should have the necessary Bible knowledge, ministry skills and character to properly minister to Christ's church. He can best be described with three words: **COMPETENT, CONFORMED** and **CAPABLE**.



COMPETENT in the Scripture

- He knows, understands and applies God's Word.
- He has a biblical world view.

COMPETENT in basic ministry skills

- He is able to teach/preach God's Word to equip God's people.
- As an undershepherd, he is able to counsel, lead and comfort those entrusted to him.

CONFORMED to the image of the Lord Jesus Christ

- His character and conduct reflect the grace of Christ.
- He is a Spirit-led servant leader.
- He is growing in spiritual maturity.

CAPABLE of spiritual reproduction

- He is actively multiplying and investing in other leaders.

In summary: The goal of BTCPC is to equip a pastor or church leader to know the Lord's Word, walk authentically in His grace and minister to His people.

2006 Ministry Developments

BTCP added 32 new ministry partners in 2006. These new ministry partners will allow BTCPC to grow in strategic areas.

Walk Thru the Bible became a new ministry partner. They have targeted a significant portion of their “World Teach Teachers” to be trained using BTCPC.

Cost reductions achieved by reaching our goal of 80% of manuals shipped by sea. This allows BTCPC to keep the costs of training affordable.

BTCP spearheaded the formation of The Consortium for Training Hispanic Pastors and Church Leaders. This group targets the untrained pastors and church leaders in the Spanish-speaking church, primarily in the U.S.

The History of BTCPC

In 1988 Dennis Mock taught a conference for pastors in Mombasa, Kenya. He quickly realized that these men were eager to learn, but had never had any opportunity for theological or ministry training.

Following his experience in Mombasa, Dennis wrote a comprehensive 10-course curriculum designed to equip pastors with essential Bible knowledge and basic pastoral skills. This curriculum was first taught in Nairobi, Kenya in 1990.



Graduation Speech from Zambia

Recently we received a copy of a graduation speech by Jefferson Musisha, a young pastor in Zambia, that demonstrates the impact of BTCPC's training in a personal way. Here is an edited excerpt from that speech:

“In the past we truly never knew how to make correct observation, interpretation, and application of biblical messages. We would get excerpts from the Bible and teach or preach them out of context. We taught spiritual lies, giving false interpretation of Scripture.

The way to escape this is to enter the BTCPC program. Its curriculum has a goal of equipping leaders, pastors, and teachers for works of service so that the body of Christ may be built up to the glory of God and for the advancement of His purpose on earth.

We are committed to teach others through our churches, answering difficult questions and preaching the Gospel to the lost. We are able to defend the body of truth by teaching sound doctrine and refuting false doctrine, living in the truth we have received.”

A Word from the President

We are constantly amazed at how the Lord continues to multiply the ministry efforts of BTCPC, and 2006 was no exception. Expansion and future growth are attainable through adding new ministry partners, increasing the capacity of existing partners and increasing available translations.

BTCP operates from the simple multiplication model provided in 2 Timothy 2:2, “And the things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to reliable men who will also be qualified to teach others.” This illustrates the essence of BTCPC's ministry: students motivated for ministry become qualified graduates that are encouraged to train others.

We are reminded always that our ability to extend training is only possible through the generous support and prayers of God's people. We simply ask that as you receive this report please consider how you might help BTCPC continue to fulfill its mission of training the untrained pastors and church leaders of the world.

Thank you so much for your involvement and support!

Dennis Mock

President