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Our Calling is to resource and bless the body of Christ with resources that help along the journey towards 24-7, 365 days/year prayer. The goal is to revive the church and to rewire culture through prayer.

The Team



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Letter from our Director



2024 has been an incredible year for 24-7 Prayer South Africa and so deeply encouraging for us as a team. We have seen our team grow from two to six in the matter of months and the exposure of our brand and resources to people across not just our nation but across the globe. We have felt His leading and guiding, His presence and care, His undertaking and especially His affirming in all that we have done. We have been so grateful for the prayer support we have received as a

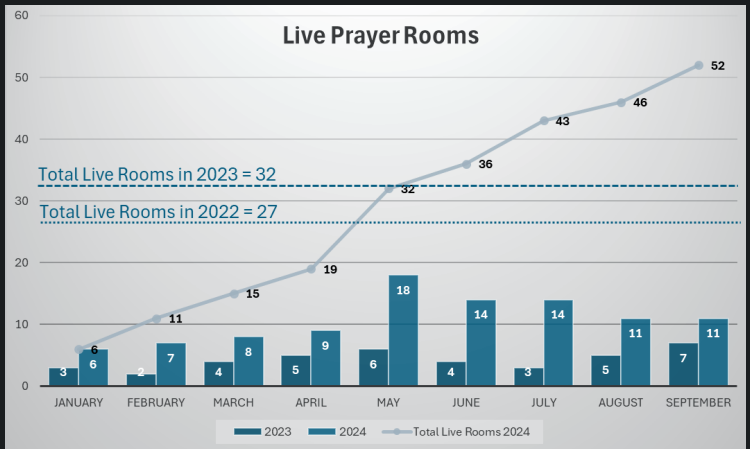
leadership team and can highly recommend starting and ending all meetings in prayer and a "Power Hour" of prayer once a month (even if online) – That name was adapted because of our experience. We hope you enjoy reading (and watching/listening if you follow the links provided) about the progress we have made and the growth we have experienced, and the lives God has impacted.

I will break up my feedback into our organisation's main objectives and how we achieved them in 2024:

To promote prayer, mission and justice throughout South Africa

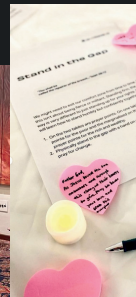
Our goal this year was to get 52 churches committing to a week of prayer in 2024. We certainly felt the desire from those we approached in the lead up to our country's National Elections and saw our highest number of Prayer Rooms for South Africa in May over this period. We also overtook our total number of Live Prayer Rooms for all of 2023 by May this year and reached 52 live prayer rooms by September. We believe that prayer is the birthplace of true transformational, missional, justice activity and so we trust that out of increased prayer we will see missional and justice activity growing and thriving in the years to come.

LIVE PRAYER ROOMS
COMPARISON
AND GROWTH IN
2024

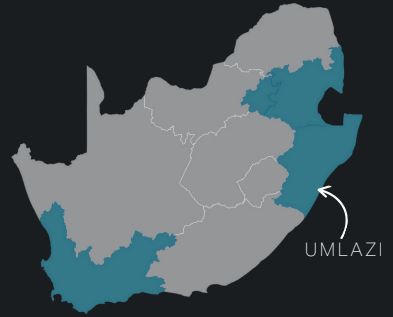


ITS BEEN EXCITING TO WITNESS THE FLAMES GROWING ACROSS OUR NATION AND OUR GOAL IS TO SEE OUR COUNTRY COVERED IN RED IN PRAYER ROOMS

PRAYER ROOMS DURING THE ELECTIONS



We are also watching to see how God is going to work as we now have team members in 4 of the 9 provinces who can support prayer room activities. Our most recent team member is in fact a Prayer Co-ordinator for Kwa-Zulu Natal and we are already witnessing a prayer revival in Umlazi where he and his team are working.



We love that we have a Prayer Spaces in Schools coordinator in South Africa now with Jason Stanier joining the team. He assisted a few teams in running prayer spaces in underprivileged schools in the Cape Town area in 2024 while inviting others to come and witness what it looks like and how to implement this in their own communities. If you haven't seen the video created of this team and the impact of a prayer space in a school don't wait another moment to view it on our [website](#). We trust this year of planting seeds will bear much fruit in 2025.



Tree of Life is currently our only 24-7 Prayer Community in South Africa which is supported by regional and national teams. Tree of Life is a church family committed to a life of following Jesus together in [Manenberg](#). It has been my privilege to support their leadership team in spiritual direction and to see the team take on the [fundraising](#) of R4 million (\$250k/£185k) to buy a building that they can use to serve the wider Manenberg community.

PRAYER SPACES
IN SCHOOLS AT
THOMAS
WILDSCHUTT
JUNIOR PRIMARY.
JUST OVER 200
GRADE R TO
GRADE 3
LEARNERS CAME
THROUGH.



"We're dreaming to buy a building in Manenberg where we can have a community hub, a 24-7 prayer space for the whole of Manenberg, and where we can run healing programmes that address some of the trauma this community has experienced."

To mobilise and facilitate communities, churches and denominations through a journey of teaching, to a prayer room, to a healthy prayer rhythm

The main training platforms we focussed on this year was running quarterly webinars, several podcasts and still availing myself to in person training. For the webinars we invited speakers quarterly from across our International team and friends covering topics like How to create a culture of Prayer, Reframing the Prophetic and How to create Prayer Spaces in Schools in the local context. Definitely a highlight for the year was developing a partnership with Matt Lewis from the [Follower Podcast](#) and releasing 9 podcasts focused on reconciliation conversations, a topic I am so passionate about. Talking about partnerships...

To actively engage in partnerships with like minded organisations and seek to develop the networking capacity of 24-7 Prayer

This year I have bore witness to the blooming of the seeds of relationship building and connecting God has orchestrated in the past 6 years of my leading 24-7 Prayer South Africa and as the only staff member (sometimes a rather lonely journey). We were approached by the [Genadendal Pilgrimage of Grace](#) leadership team at the end of 2023 to support and lead prayer initiatives in our election year. We partnered with Jericho walls and IFSA (Intercessors for South Africa - also now being added to this Prayer Network) for Awaken SA a 21day prayer and fast over the National Elections.



One week later on the 16th of June (Youth Day) we built on this momentum and launched a 50 Day prayer guide called One Heart praying daily for Reconciliation and Oneness. Only God could have planned that the first Sitting of the National Assembly of our new Government of National Unity would be one day later on the 17 June. This guide is not limited to racial reconciliation but reconciliation across the board (i.e. family, denomination, marriage etc.) and it can be used in contexts across the globe. And that is exactly what we saw happen. After loading the seven weeks of study onto You Version as seven separate plans we saw over 24 000 subscriptions and almost 10 000 plan completions to date around the world with the top 10 locations being USA, Philippines, Nigeria, UK, Canada, Australia, India, Kenya, New Zealand, Ghana. Other African countries we saw engage with the material is Zambia, Zimbabwe, Uganda, Egypt, Lebanon, Eswatini, Malawi, Botswana, and Rwanda. This was with no real marketing apart from our follower base on Newsletters and Social Media.

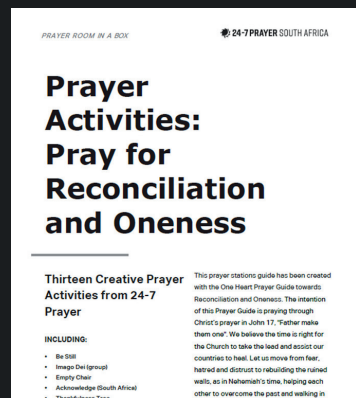
Isn't God good! We cannot wait to see what he has in store for us in 2025!

Before I leave you I want you to make sure you have booked out the weekend of the 27-29 March 2025. God has literally coordinated a National Gathering in South Africa for us with the provision of a co-ordinator, speakers and a venue in Johannesburg. You don't want to miss it.

Regards,
Nathi

"I just want to express my deepest gratitude to the person or group, who so diligently compiled and did the research for the One heart initiative. Thank you. Thank you. It has been inspiring, encouraging, confrontational, uplifting, deeply educational, and a great joy to be a participator. I did also take part in the one just before- presumably organized and compiled by the same group- the Awaken South Africa (I think!!) Oh how privileged we are in this country to have your leading, guidance and encouragement. I am deeply grateful, thank you." - Lisa McNair

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24-7 PRAYER SOUTH AFRICA

COME MEET THE TEAM
and learn more about Prayer Spaces in Schools
Webinar | 7 May 2024 | 7pm

Register to receive the [link](#).



Jason Stanier
National Co-ordinator



Phil Togwell
International Director

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CREATING A CULTURE OF PRAYER

Webinar | 13 August 2024 | 7pm SAST

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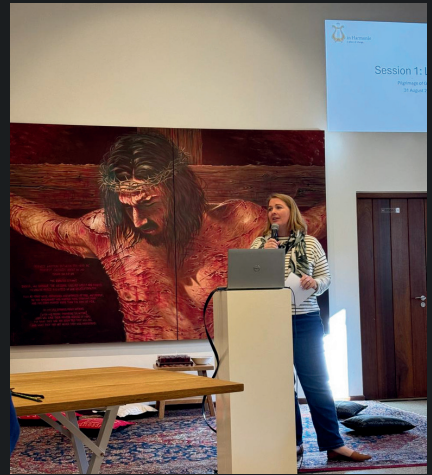
REFRAMING THE PROPHETIC

Webinar | 13 November 2024 | 7pm SAST

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Christine Westhoff



TOP ROW: TRAINING WEBINARS IN 2024
CLOCKWISE: VOLUNTEERS SETTING UP A PRAYER SPACE FOR ELECTIONS AT ROSEBANK UNION CHURCH.
WESS LEADING PRAYER AT A FIRST FRIDAY AMLIFIED SESSION IN JOHANNESBURG
PRAYING THROUGH THE NATIONAL ANTHEM.
VANESSA LEADING A ONE HEART PRAYER RETREAT TIME AT INHARMONIE.
NATHI TRAINING YWAM MISSIONIONARIES.



2025 Dates and Goals



27-29 March 2025
National Gathering

June to Aug 2025
ONE HEART

Prayer Room in Every Province
Prayer Room in Every Nation

1-7 September 2025
International Week of Prayer



Pray with Us

In 2025 we are trusting God for:

- Prayer co-ordinators in all 9 provinces in South Africa
- National Directors in other African Nations
- The ability to support the growing number of churches wishing to associate with 24-7 Prayer
- Growing volunteers and support team
- The Funds for us to achieve our 2025 goals



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