Children NextGen & Youth Hour



My Personal Story

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I. Three Issues

1. Children are overlooked spiritually
2. Lack of Discipleship
3. Almost only digital

II. Three Opportunities

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2. 100,000 CAFAD by AD2033
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Can we invite children on board instead of considering them like consumers?

Maybe adults need children's prayer more than children need adults' prayer.

We need to create space where children can serve the Lord alongside us

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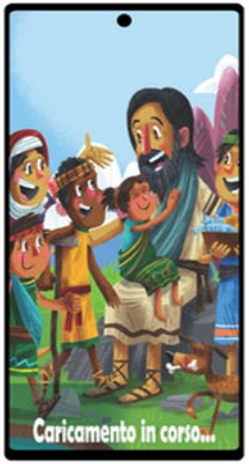




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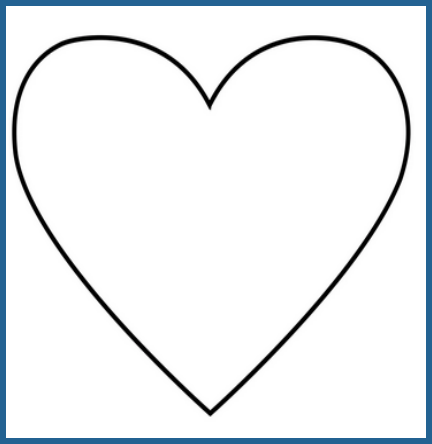
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Psalms 24:3-4

Who may ascend the mountain of the LORD? Who may stand in his holy place?

The one who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not trust in an idol or swear by a false god.





Compare Children to Adults

Isaiah 59:1-3

Surely the arm of the LORD is not too short
to save, nor his ear too dull to hear.

But your iniquities have separated you from
your God; your sins have hidden his face
from you, so that he will not hear.

For your hands are stained with blood, your
fingers with guilt. Your lips have spoken
falsely, and your tongue mutters wicked
things.

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Romans 8:26-27

In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us through wordless groans.

And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for God's people in accordance with the will of God.

Prayer is not about vocabulary or grammar,
it's about heart. Children are qualified to pray.

Prayer Card

The PRAYER COVENANT For Children

GRACE	Dear heavenly Father, thank you for loving me and making me one of your children.
LOVE	Help me love and obey you.
COMPASSION	Help me love others the way you love me.
REPENTANCE	I am sorry for my sins. Wash me clean.
WORSHIP	I will praise you with my whole heart!
COMMITMENT	Jesus, I want to follow you as my Lord. Change me any way you want.
DEPENDENCE	Fill me with your Holy Spirit. I want to know your plans for me.
INFLUENCE	Make me a messenger of your grace, truth and justice.
DISCIPLESHIP	Use me for your glory and to invite others to follow you.
AUTHORITY	In Jesus' name I pray. Amen.

FOLLOWING JESUS TOGETHER
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MEMORY VERSES

The Parable of the Lost Sheep · Luke 15:1-7 | How great is the love the Father has lavished on us that we should be called children of God. –I John 3:1

The Story of Abraham · Genesis 12:1-5 | Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and greatest commandment. –Matthew 22:37, 38

The Good Samaritan · Luke 10:25-37 | My command is this, love one another as I have loved you. –John 15:12

Parable of the Unforgiving Servant · Matthew 18:21-35 | Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. –Psalm 51:2

The Christmas Story · Luke 2:1-20 | I will praise you, O Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of all your wonderful deeds. –Psalm 9:1

Peter Wasn't Perfect · Luke 22:54-62 | Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me. –Luke 9:23

The Comforter · John 14:15-31 | Be filled with the Holy Spirit. –Ephesians 5:18b

Jesus and the Children · Matthew 18:1-6 | We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. –John 1:14

Saul of Tarsus Becomes Paul · Acts 9:1-22 | Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. –Matthew 28:19

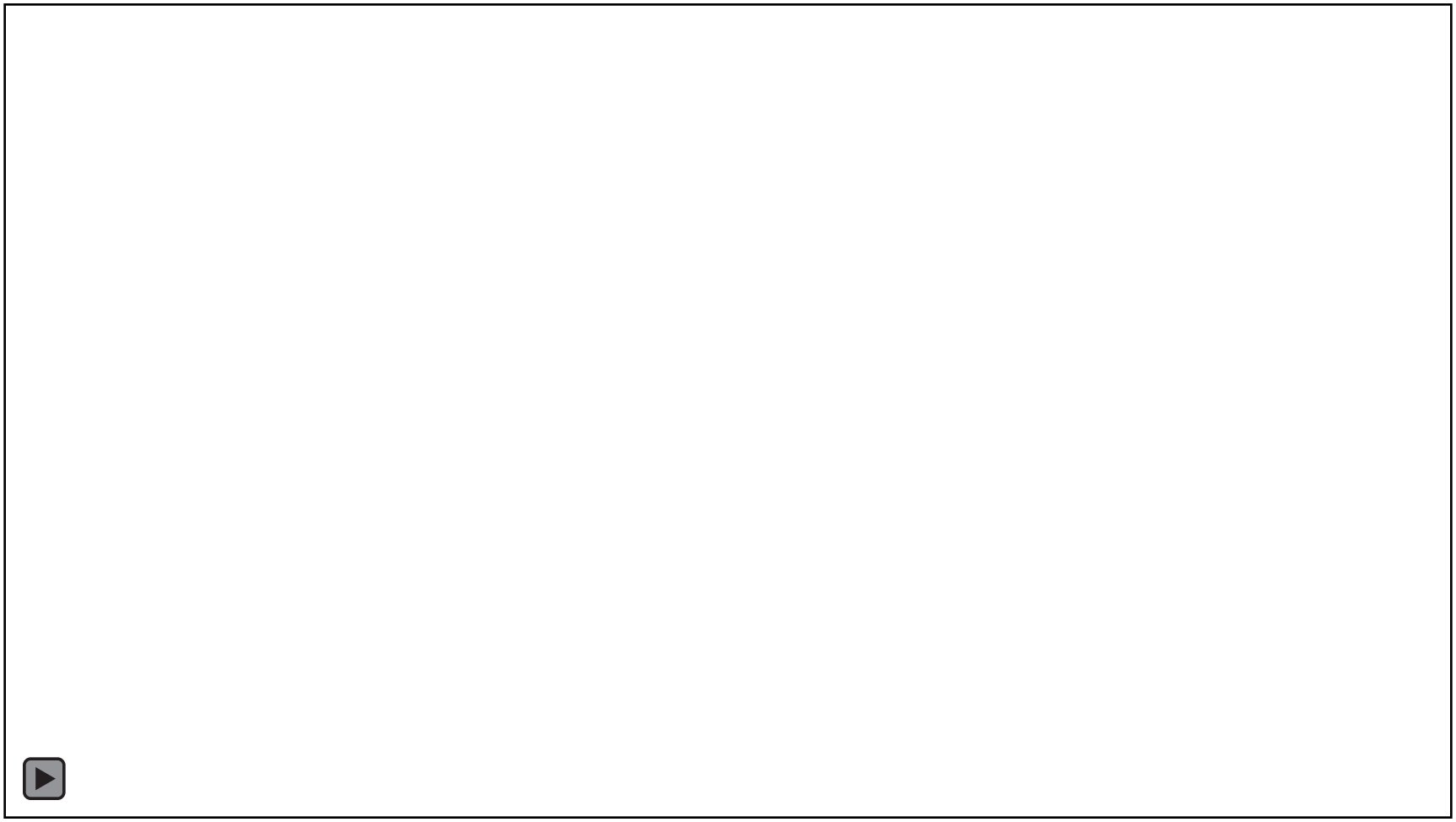
Blind Bartimaeus · Mark 10:46-52 | Therefore, God exalted Him to the highest place and gave Him a name that is above every name. –Philippians 2:9

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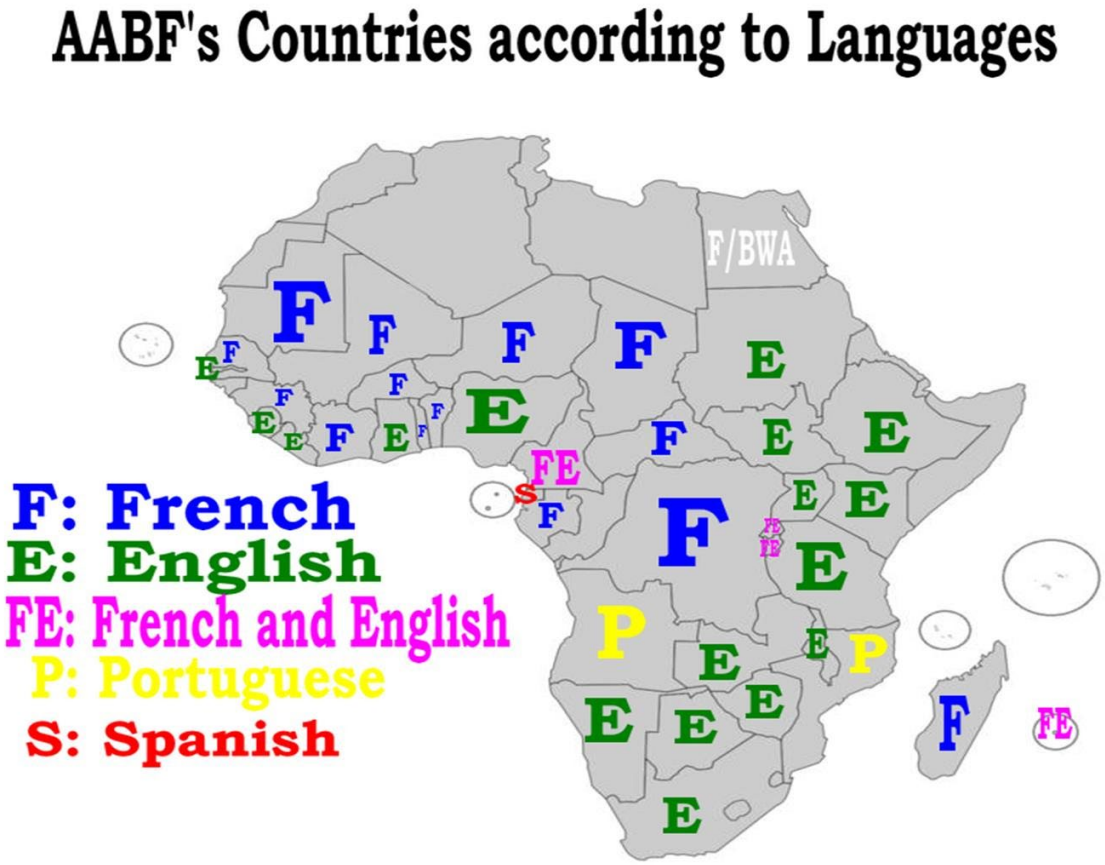
CAFAD: Children Armies For All Denominations

Use your influence to serve the Kingdom, come alongside us!
ABEN: Africa Baptist Educational Network to impact the educational system and transform lives for Christ within the more than 55,000 baptist local churches in Africa / 24/7 Prayer Network for 10 years.

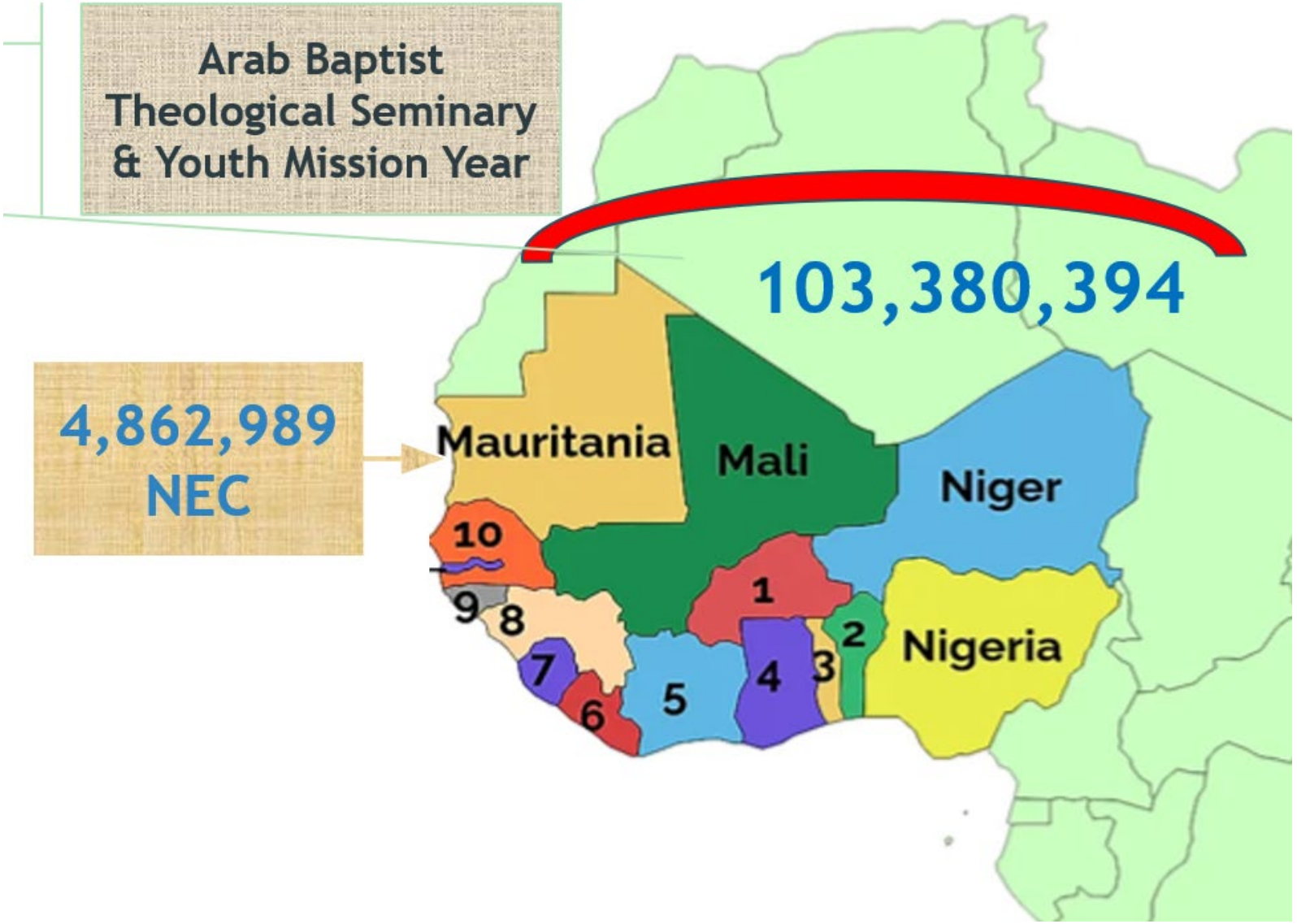
YMY: Youth Mission Year / 8 Missionaries Commissioned in July 2024

Reality from AABF with Egypt

I have a message for Egypt



Arab Baptist Theological Seminary & Youth Mission Year



Egypt the Gate of North Africa, the Gate of Africa



WE NEED YOU, EGYPT!



Together, we can do better!

- Serge Ndabouye
- Tom Victor – 2BC
- Hala Tadros

Let’s pray!



THANK YOU