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Construction at Crosspointe School – 2022 is a year of completion. EIM Executive director Haile Tefera and

school Administrator Tsedale Kassahun are praying that all the construction at Crosspointe School can be completed in 2022. The High school building will be ready and the 2022-23 school year will bring Crosspointe's first graduating class. The completion of the new preschool classrooms and gymnasium will provide ample additional space to minister to more young people. Our final project, the new Orphan house will allow EIM



to love on at least twenty more children. Please partner with us to help make this prayer become a reality.



Evangelism and Discipleship – New opportunities abound for the evangelism and discipleship ministry of EIM. Please join us in praying for the 2nd Annual "*Crusade of Prayer*" April 8-10. Plans are currently being finalized to hold this year's event in one of the large communities surrounding Sodo. We are asking the Lord to provide \$8000 to finish funding this powerful weekend of prayer.

Haile recently shared his gratitude with a church in NC, "I am so thankful to the Lord for the effectiveness of this arm of the ministry. Over the past three years over one-half million Ethiopians have come to know Christ, over 7500 church leaders have been trained in discipleship, and sixteen open-air crusades have seen hundreds of thousands in attendance. What impact will this have on the nation of Ethiopia? Only the Lord and time will tell, but we must be vigilant while this window of opportunity is open."

Church Planting – The effectiveness of the evangelism and discipleship has challenged EIM to put greater

emphasis on church great need for new come to Christ many church, and many of year EIM planted one been raised to plant a more focus will shift to



planting. Once again Haile explains the churches, "As hundred hundred people have to walk 10 or 20 miles to go to a our churches are packed with people". Last church, and this year funds have already second. As other projects are completed church planting with the goal being ten

new church plants within the next year.

God blesses Haile's visit - "The best trip ever" were Haile's words. It took seven flights and one car rental to

allow Haile to visit twelve churches, a men's Bible study and a silver servants event in just 35 days. Haile received the first and second Pfizer vaccinations this trip, and thanks to Dr. Harrison in Milan, he was able to get much-needed dental work completed. God provided several new financial pledges to EIM for the coming year, and many generous contributions were received from generous people and churches willing to prayerfully partner with Ebenezer. From these funds was purchased a vehicle for Haile and Tsedale, as well as a used Riso duplicator and a surveillance system for the school. Thank you for your prayers and for opening your hearts, your homes, and your churches to help reach Ethiopia for Christ.

