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# It's Harvest Time

**“Do you not say, 'There are still four months and then comes the harvest'? Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes and look at the fields, for they are already white for harvest!” John 4:35 (NKJV)**

Since 2014 Len Ministries has been offering specialized training for pastors and lay leaders in the Jacksonville area. Although most years international pastors will also attend, the focus has been on equipping local people in evangelism.

The training is open to all Christian denominations. Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian, Assembly of God, Church of God, Russian Orthodox, Independent, Charismatic, Pentecostal - these are just some of those that have been equipped.

The classes are offered in a five-day intensive, hands-on format. Each day consists of four to six hours of lectures given by an internationally trained evangelist. Also, there is a two-hour session of applied evangelism where

the student is assisted by a previously trained evangelist in “live” witnessing situations.

At the completion of the five days, the student is fully equipped to return to their home church and initiate training of their own congregation. Len Ministries is available to follow-up with the student and now new teacher to assist as needed to insure proper initiation of the evangelism ministry into the local church.

In addition, Len Ministries offers an extended 13-week class held in your local church, or a four-hour class as a starter for the church that wants to build their congregations interest in doing evangelism.

**It's Harvest Time**

**Evangelism School: Feb. 21-25, 2022**  
**Adamec's Harley-Davidson**  
**Jacksonville, FL 32256**  
**Early registration: \$350**

**5-day classes are designed to fully equip pastors, lay leaders & evangelists to train others. Or call for semester classes in your church.**

**Text (904) 535-4658**  
**or register at [LenMinistries.org](http://LenMinistries.org)**

It is time. It is Harvest Time. Give us a call. We delight to help you to do the Lord's will. **LMI**

# Additional Ministry

Each week Len Ministries' evangelism effort continues to go forward around the world. Yes, even during winter. Yes, even in frozen Siberia in the winter. Yes, even in prison where movement is very limited. Yes, even in Africa where there are COVID-19 restrictions and social unrest. Len Ministries has invested (with your help) into each of these areas and they continue to produce Godly, abiding fruit (John 15:16).

Trained teams are going out weekly to the streets (except in prisons, of course) in each of the nations that have been equipped. Classes are being held and more people are being taught and more people are won to the Lord. Would you like to be trained? Would you like to go and share the Good News of Jesus Christ with others? Contact Len Ministries to join a team or even have your church start their own team. You can go locally or internationally. You can make a difference!

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All Souls Chapel, UCI



To the streets!



Home church in Ulan-Ude, Siberia



Cameroon evangelism class

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# LMI Gala



Travel winners!

[JACKSONVILLE, FL] The 2021 LMI Annual Gala was held at the Salem Center Saturday, November 6, with all the local recommended COVID-19 restrictions. The Gala was scheduled with options for those that just wanted to attend virtually, or those that desired to attend the Gala in-person. The Gala was posted online at YouTube, but if you missed the event you may still go to YouTube link and watch: <https://youtu.be/TI8OnWnXIbE>.

The event started at 6PM with a video welcome from Chairman Joe Hayworth. Next Beth Toenies, Board Member and Master of Ceremony, stepped up to the podium. She opened the night with prayer and blessed the tasty food which had been provided by GrillBilly's BBQ. During the meal, many pictures were shown detailing the 2021 LMI ministry efforts in the Jacksonville area, Russia, and Honduras. As the meal was finishing, there was a drawing for a \$250 international travel discount and travel bag. Pastor Lito Ibarreta was the winner with Merla, his wife, accepting the gift (pictured left).



Bill Cook expounds on theme

Gil Gibbs, President of RTEX Rail, gave a personal testimony of the impact Len Ministries has had in his life which was followed by LMI Board member Cathy Russi (pictured right), who entertained all with a great song. Then, Beth (pictured below right) recognized various people in the audience including past travelers, prison ministers, pastors, and those that have served in the military.

The LMI Board began to be introduced next. Rev. Len Showalter, President of Len Ministries, was first introduced and spoke of the ministry growth locally and abroad. Marcia and the rest of the board members were then introduced ending with Bill Cook. Bill (pictured left) shared various scriptures surrounding the theme of the night: Romans 13:11.



Cathy Russi sings



Dean Lohse tells his stories

Retired Neurosurgeon, short-term missionary, and author Dr. Dean Lohse (pictured left) was next to the podium. Dean discussed his Philippine travel with Len Ministries and a story about two women on whom he had performed surgery. One was grateful to be alive although she had lost use of her legs due to an accident and with great contrast a second woman who was very depressed due to the loss of her hair even though she was healed of a serious brain aneurysm. Dean closed with the need for all to be ready as "Time is Short."

Beth then gave opportunity for all to participate in assisting Len Ministries to take the Gospel to the world in 2022. Her appeal was accented by a video testimony



Enjoying GrillBilly's BBQ



Michael Nelson blesses LMI

given by two interpreters that were with Len Ministries in Honduras. The evening was closed by Bishop Michael Nelson, pastor of the House of Peace, (pictured left) with a prayer of blessing over Len, Marica, and the LMI Board.

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Beth Toenies, Master of Ceremony, keeps the Gala moving

Just the Facts: 2021	Gospel Shared	To # of people	Professions & Assurances	Certified Trainers	Certified Teachers
No. Jax Church of God - Spring	19	30	10		
Union Correctional Institution	42	42	34		
Personal	33	38	29		
Jacksonville, FL - February	9	10	5		1
Komsomolsk, Russia (Zoom)	101	131	46		16
Vladimir, Russia - August	74	125	61		16
Choloma, Honduras - September	197	371	289		24
<b>Totals</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>57</b>
%Saved/Assurances		63.5%			

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## Calendar

Please note: event dates and locations are subject to change and do not include travel dates.

(check [lenministries.org/wanna-go](http://lenministries.org/wanna-go))

**January 24 - 28, 2022:**

International Evangelism School  
(via Zoom) Douala, Cameroon

**February 21 - 25, 2022:**

International Evangelism School  
Jacksonville, FL

**May 2 - 6, 2022:**

International Evangelism School  
San Salvador, El Salvador

**First half of June 2022:**

2X International Evangelism School  
Western Russia

**First half of August 2022:**

2X International Evangelism School  
Far Eastern Russia

**Late Fall 2022:**

International Evangelism School  
Nicaragua

**Contact LMI to join a team!**

~note possible travel restrictions due to COVID-19~



## A Note From Marcia...

### HAPPY 2022!!

We hope your holidays from 2021 were good ones and that you were blessed with good health and the many, many blessings that only our Heavenly Father can provide.

So many of us have needed encouragement and prayer... Maybe you were affected by Covid; or have experienced financial hardship; suffering from health problems; suffering from depression or anxieties; not able to visit loved ones scattered about the country; lost a loved one this year and are trying to adjust to this difficult season of emptiness or loneliness. Our prayer is that this new year bring you an abundant of blessings from Father God.

God's Word tells us not to worry or be anxious – He tells us in John 16:33, "These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

Thank you for your continued love, support, encouragement, and prayer as we begin a new year of ministry.

May you be blessed abundantly as we begin this new year together!

Numbers 6:24-26 (NKJV)

"The LORD bless you and keep you;

The LORD make His face shine upon you, And be gracious to you;

The LORD lift up His countenance upon you, And give you peace."

Your Missionaries,

Len and Marcia Showalter  
(and dog, Medi)

