



2018

ANNUAL REPORT

Thank You from Jonathan Bernis

Dear Friend,

When I look back on 2018, I see a year of stories. Each work of ministry is a story revealing how God moved to restore hope and give life. I am excited to reflect on all that your partnership helped accomplish in 2018 as God wrote stories of transformation, healing and joy.

Your financial partnership provided life-changing care to more than 63,000 Jewish people and their neighbors through six Jewish Voice Medical Outreaches. On one of those trips, we treated the most patients in JVMI history to that point – over 15,000 patients during the five-day Medical Clinic!

Through your generosity, God expanded Jewish Voice's outreach into new areas of Ethiopia where the Jewish community endures persecution and oppression amid a mostly Muslim population. Beta Israel children enjoyed learning about God and their Jewish roots as we took the Zehra Kids Program to those areas of Ethiopia for the first time.

The Lord grew the Messianic Jewish community with many new congregations in Zimbabwe and Ethiopia, and your gifts multiplied as hundreds of Messianic leaders from around the world grew through training and education provided by Jewish Voice.

Also, through your faithful support, the Lord allowed us to produce a dozen inspirational resources to encourage the Body of Messiah for years to come.

I'm eager to share more with you in this report. All of the stories here were made possible through your faithful giving! As you read, remember that every event, result and number represents lives touched with the love of Yeshua (Jesus). They are stories you helped write and lives you helped transform.

Thank you for all you have done. Please know how grateful I am for you. And with your continued support, we anticipate another fruitful year of ministry in 2019.

Your co-laborer for the salvation of Israel,



Jonathan Bernis
President & CEO
Jewish Voice Ministries International



JEWISH VOICE EXISTS TO
TRANSFORM LIVES AND
SEE ALL ISRAEL SAVED

THE MISSION

To proclaim the Gospel to the Jew first,
grow the Messianic Jewish community,
and engage the Church concerning
Israel and the Jewish people





Proclaiming the Gospel



Prayer Partners smile after God does something amazing in Mudanda/Buhera, Zimbabwe.
Read on to find out more!

As you help us take compassionate humanitarian aid to Jewish communities in need, we not only provide immediate blessing for their earthly lives, but we also open the door to sharing the Gospel that offers eternal life.

There are many places around the world where people live in poverty and need medical care. The distinct call upon this ministry is to "the Jew first," following the apostle Paul's words in Romans 1:16.

As we go to transform lives in a particular place – specifically because of the Jewish people there – we also want to transform the perception that the broader community has about the Jewish people. In this way, we battle anti-Semitism and highlight the Jewish people as those who remain God's Chosen People with a destiny to receive blessing from Him and bring blessing to those around them.

DEBRE BIRHAN



Through your generous support, the Lord enabled us to return to the Beta Israel in Debre Birhan in 2018. God empowered us to treat more patients than we ever had before. It's astonishing that in just five days, we provided medical care to 15,919 people.

Also, a team went to nearby villages, where the water is brown, and people endure chronic sickness because of it. They gave large-capacity LifeStraw® water filters to schools and families, and left more than three dozen units with a group home for the elderly and disabled to provide the residents with clean water for 3–5 years.



15,919

Patients Treated

1,157 Dental Services Provided

3,379 Eyeglasses Distributed

255 Eye Surgeries Performed

114 Minor Surgeries Performed

12,540

LifeStraws® Distributed

124 Family LifeStraw® Units

2 Community LifeStraw® Units

406

Professed Yeshua as
Messiah

The Man with the Blue Sandals

He moved skillfully across the hard, dirt field. He wore white tennis shoes on his feet – and blue sandals on his hands. He'd learned to walk on his hands and feet long ago, so that he was adept at his squatting shuffle. The plastic slide-ons were burnished smooth by the heels of his hands, not his feet. One of these "walking gloves" had broken off short. What remained had been torn by the ill-fitting pressure of his hands and was stitched back together with coarse thread.

He'd given up hope for his legs. He came to the Debre Birhan Medical Outreach for his eyes. He received compassionate care and treatment by the medical professionals serving in the Clinic.

We cared for nearly 16,000 patients in the five-day 2018 Clinic in Debre Birhan. With such a tremendous scope of work, it's impossible to learn all of the stories we long to know. But God knows each one. He loves each person dearly, and we can pray that, as they received the love of Yeshua, prayer and hope at the JVMI Medical Clinic, they come to faith in Messiah Yeshua.



CHITSUNGO

Zimbabwe

The local water source in Chitsungo – a new location for Jewish Voice – has many functions. It provides water for bathing, laundry and drinking. The people must share it – not only among themselves but also with the area's hippos who spend most of the day keeping cooling in it. So, with great joy, we distributed LifeStraw® water filters to thousands of Lemba and their neighbors during the Chitsungo Medical Outreach in 2018. Each personal LifeStraw® provides up to a year of clean, healthy drinking water.

Also, we were able to re-introduce the eye surgery program in Zimbabwe on the Chitsungo Outreach. Upon bandage removal, patients often clapped their hands together and bowed in gratitude, saying "Thank you! Thank you!" After one cataract patient blinked in the eye drops and slowly realized he could see again, he said, "I can't wait to go home and see my wife. I haven't seen her in 15 years."

You helped write this reunion story through your gifts to Jewish Voice. You also helped write a new future for Baby Collen whose story is below.



Baby Collen

We met 4-month-old Collen on the last full day of the Jewish Voice Chitsungo Medical Outreach. He had six fingers on each of his little hands as well as six toes on each foot. It saddened us to know that, because of this, others may shun him as he grows up. But when Collen came to the Clinic, he had a more critical need.

Collen had a substantial growth on his tongue, and he couldn't nurse. **Undernourished, he was the size of an infant half his age.** A team of medical professionals removed the mass ensuring Collen could receive the nourishment he needs to grow strong. He wasn't very pleased immediately after the procedure, but without it, he would surely have died.

With the long threads of his stitches hanging from his mouth, he and his mother went to the prayer tent. Baby Collen was calmer there as Outreach Partners and translators anointed him and his mother with oil and prayed for them.

7,449
Patients Treated

1,280 Dental Services Provided
1,097 Eyeglasses Distributed
47 Eye Surgeries Performed
39 Minor Surgeries Performed

5,370
LifeStraws® Distributed

976
Children Attended
Zehra Kids Program

364
Professed Yeshua as
Messiah

ENFRANZ

Ethiopia

As the Lord makes new ministry opportunities available, we often encounter opposition from various groups. The predominant religions in Ethiopia are Ethiopian Orthodox and Islam, both of which resist Jewish Believers teaching worship of Yeshua alone. Both religions were fasting at the time of our Enfranz Outreach. Heightened zeal for their faiths and objection to ours resulted in the shutting down of our off-site spiritual care ministry.

Before the closure, however, we introduced the Zehra Kids Program. Beta Israel children explored their Jewish heritage in delightful ways. They played games, colored and learned to sing the Shema, the foundational prayer of Judaism. Their voices rose to the prayer tent situated on the hill above, and JVMI team members listened in awe realizing this was the first time in centuries that the Shema had been sung there. It was a historic moment you helped make happen. Thank you.



13,225

Patients Treated

1,420 Dental Services Provided

1,689 Eyeglasses Distributed

249 Eye Surgeries Performed

207 Minor Surgeries Performed

10,000

LifeStraws® Distributed

95 Family LifeStraw® Units

4 Community LifeStraw® Units

500

Children Attended
Zehra Kids Program

9

Professed Yeshua as
Messiah



Hannah

On the last day of the Enfranz Medical Clinic, a woman came balancing a large basket on her head. Team members were told that, in the bundle, she carried her dead baby. A respectful hush passed among those standing at the gate as they watched her walk in bare feet toward the Triage Department.

Once there, the brave woman became a priority for care. She put down her basket and opened the blankets. **Inside was a beautiful, living newborn girl.** The mother had experienced trouble after delivering her baby, and she knew two things: that she needed help, and that our Clinic was the answer.

She had begun walking to us "when the birds started singing" that morning. After eight miles, she reached the Clinic around 8:30 a.m. In the OBGYN Department, mother and daughter received the care they needed. There in the Clinic, she gave her little girl the name Hannah.

MUDANDA / BUHERA

Zimbabwe

We were pleased to return to Mudanda in 2018 for a very fruitful Medical Clinic. At the end of the five days, we had treated 10,784 patients for the second largest Clinic we'd ever held in Zimbabwe.

Dr. Yemisrach Hailu, our Ethiopian ophthalmology partner, was so determined to help people that she took her examination instrument out into the lines to make sure patients who needed eye surgery had the opportunity to have it. When she found people blinded by cataracts in both eyes, she saw to it that they were immediately placed in the "eye line" to expedite their treatment. Because of her and the eye team – and your support – **47 people can see again.**



Eyes of Violet

When Outreach Partner Rachel awoke one morning at the Mudanda Medical Outreach, she felt God compelling her to wear her purple shirt with two sparkling rhinestone words on the front. Rachel worked in the prayer tent, and later that day, a woman named Violet and her daughter-in-law came in for spiritual care after being treated in the Clinic. **But Violet couldn't see Rachel's bright shirt. An accident had left her completely blind two years before.** Seated among the others, Violet was quiet and withdrawn, almost as if protecting herself.

When Rachel learned of the accident, she prayed that all trauma and its effects would depart from Violet ... and God heard. **Suddenly, Violet's eyes grew large, and shock registered on her face. She looked at her daughter-in-law and saw her!**

Violet jumped from her chair and hugged Rachel. She pointed to the sparkling letters on Rachel's shirt, describing them and everything she could suddenly see. Violet clapped her hands and broke into a dance. The quiet woman of just a moment before was now "beyond exuberant," Rachel said.

Through the translators, Rachel shared the Gospel with Violet and her daughter-in-law. **Both of the local women prayed and received Yeshua as their Messiah – a second miracle.**

The two glittering words written on Rachel's t-shirt were **"Miracles happen."**

10,784
Patients Treated

1,408 Dental Services Provided
1,156 Eyeglasses Distributed
83 Eye Surgeries Performed
103 Minor Surgeries Performed

3,903
LifeStraws® Distributed

126 Family LifeStraw® Units

1,585
Children Attended
Zehra Kids Program

347
Professed Yeshua as
Messiah

ALAMATA *Ethiopia*

We serve several groups of Jewish people in Ethiopia: the Beta Israel, Beta Abraham, Gefat, and – new in 2018 – the Yibir. All originated from the Beta Israel and, over the centuries, they settled in different areas, often adopting new names. In 2018, we brought medical care to the Beta Abraham in a new location for us, in the town of Alamata in northern Ethiopia.



14,251

Patients Treated

1,575 Dental Services Provided

2,690 Eyeglasses Distributed

191 Eye Surgeries Performed

68 Minor Surgeries Performed

10,455

LifeStraws® Distributed

100 Family LifeStraw® Units

2 Community LifeStraw® Units

52

Professed Yeshua as Messiah

Answered Prayer in Alamata

He was 16 years old, articulate and extremely personable. He was intelligent beyond his years and markedly confident – but he had questions. He came to speak with someone at the prayer room held in conjunction with the JVMI Medical Outreach in Alamata, Ethiopia. He sat down with Paula, who served as a Prayer Partner on this Outreach, and an interpreter from a Messianic Jewish congregation in Addis Ababa.

In Ethiopia, JVMI prayer rooms must be off-site from the Medical Clinics. It's a relatively recent local requirement that can result in fewer visits than we've seen in years past. Knowing this, Paula made a special request of the Lord before the Alamata/Jijiga Outreach.

"Lord," she prayed, "the prayer room may not see many people come to know You, but may those who do be ones who will bring many others to You."

In Alamata, the bright young man who sat before her was hungry for answers to his deep questions. One after another they discussed his questions. After a little while, he said he was ready to receive Yeshua, and Paula and her interpreter led him in prayer.

The next day, he returned with a friend he had led to the Lord, saying he wanted his friend to understand more. In the 24 hours since coming to faith himself, this dynamic 16-year-old had already led someone else to the Lord and knew where to come to learn how to begin his discipleship.

"I am ready," the young man had said the previous day. He'd meant he was ready to receive Yeshua. But God readied him to be an answered prayer as well, to shine His light and bring others in Alamata to Yeshua.

JIJIGA Ethiopia



In Ethiopia's Somali Region, bordering the country of Somalia, the Jewish people are known as the Yibir. Yibir means "Hebrew," and in this mostly-Muslim region, they are often persecuted and considered cursed. They are deprived of opportunity, shunned and often outcast from society. In 2018, for the first time, we held a two-day Clinic for the Yibir and their neighbors in the town of Jijiga.

2,325
Patients Treated

529 Dental Services Provided
487 Eyeglasses Distributed
89 Eye Surgeries Performed
17 Minor Surgeries Performed


3,927
LifeStraws® Distributed

95 Family LifeStraw® Units
4 Community LifeStraw® Units

ISRAEL OUTREACHES

Amid Israel's population of 8.5 million residents lives a small group of people with a common tragic past. There are approximately 180,000 Holocaust survivors in Israel today. Many of them live below the poverty line and struggle to make ends meet with insufficient income.

Eyeglasses and dental care are especially out of reach for them. JVMI Israel staff works closely with optometrists and dentists in Israel to provide much-needed care to members of this dwindling generation. Jewish Voice covered the cost of extensive dental procedures for 599 people in 2018, relieving pain, restoring their smiles and returning to them the ability to chew properly.

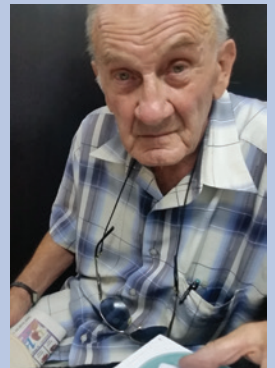


Your gifts help Jewish Voice work alongside 70 ministry partners in Israel to serve Holocaust survivors and others in desperate need. These ministries meet a variety of critical needs among the impoverished or crisis-stricken in Israel. As they do, they build relationships of trust, which open doors to sharing the Gospel of Yeshua. In June, Jewish Voice held an appreciation dinner for our ministry partners in which Jonathan Bernis spoke and thanked them for their dedication and work.

Loneliness is another painful problem that many Holocaust survivors experience. "Lone survivors" live mostly in isolation having no family and little means to get out. Our Israel ministry partners also provide vital social connection by hosting meals and fellowship events as well as making home visits. Jewish Voice gave Passover gifts to 100 Holocaust survivors and hosted a well-received luncheon for them in which the Gospel was shared through testimonies.

Leonid

Leonid's expression told the story of a tired, downcast heart. The state of his teeth was such that he needed a full set of dentures. Dental problems are common among Holocaust survivors due to the near-starving conditions most of them endured during the war. Such loss of vitamins and minerals causes early decay and tooth loss. There was no way Leonid could afford the dentures that would change his world and return a smile to his face. Through Jewish Voice's Israel dental program, you covered the cost for him. And look at him now!



OUTREACH TOTALS



63,953
Patients Treated

7,968 Dental Care

10,498 Eyeglasses

914 Eye Surgeries

548 Minor Surgeries

11 Babies Born



46,195 LifeStraws (Individual)

540 LifeStraws (Family)

12 LifeStraws (Community)



2,238 Children Attended
Zehra Kids Program



7,560 Prayer Room Visits

1,178 Professions of Faith
in Yeshua

Growing the Messianic Jewish Community



CLD Vice President, Troy Wallace teaches at a Messianic Jewish Congregation in Zimbabwe

The Messianic Jewish community is an indispensable part of the Body of Messiah. Not only does it offer a fitting worship experience for Jewish Believers, but it also draws attention to the Jewish need of Yeshua. It highlights God's faithfulness to Israel and serves as a reminder of the Church's responsibility in these regards. As Messianic Judaism grows, so does its positive influence in the Body of Messiah. Through your partnership with JVMI, you are making this kind of impact possible.

Jewish Voice is committed to growing the Messianic Jewish community through discipleship of new Believers, leadership training and congregation planting in Africa and around the world. The Congregation and Leadership Development (CLD) team conducts annual leadership training conferences as well as provides ongoing equipping and guidance through on-site visits and diligent correspondence. As local leaders mature in the Lord, they provide follow-up and discipleship for those who come to faith at our Medical Outreaches.



ETHIOPIA & ZIMBABWE

Ethiopia

Ethiopia's Messianic congregations are motivated to reach into other parts of the country where Jewish communities need to hear the Good News of Yeshua. Four new Messianic congregations were planted in Ethiopia in 2018, bringing the total to 22 throughout the nation. Leaders make monthly visits to younger congregations, teaching and encouraging the fledgling flocks and leadership as well as conducting immersions (baptisms) of new Believers.



In 2018, 75 leaders attended Jewish Voice's Messianic Leadership Training conference in Ethiopia. Also, Ethiopian Messianic leaders conducted an outreach conference in Tach Gayint. More than 50 people attended, and leaders reported dramatic fruit with "many people delivered and filled with the Holy Spirit."

Given the success of children's programs among Zimbabwe's congregations, Ethiopian leadership teams are considering ways to more effectively serve similar needs in their country. Please join us in praying for the Lord's guidance and provision.

Zimbabwe

The Messianic community in Zimbabwe continues to thrive and expand. Eighteen new congregations were planted in 2018, resulting in a total of 103 partnering Messianic congregations throughout the country. The CLD team encouraged and further trained 200 leaders at the annual Messianic Leadership Training held there. Jewish Voice also bought fabric for the Lemba women of Chirunya and their sewing project that raises funds for the congregation. In 2018, their proceeds sent ladies to a women's conference and provided families assistance with funeral expenses and school fees.

Jewish Voice also assisted in adding six new Early Childhood Development centers through which the Lemba engage their communities and prepare young children to enter the school system. Along with these, we helped 400 children attend school through the School Fee Assistance program.

Shabbat Schools provide children with biblical instruction to ground them in God's Word and increase their understanding of the Jewish foundation of New Covenant faith in Yeshua. Jewish Voice helped the Lemba open 22 new Shabbat schools in 2018, more than doubling last year's reach. Messianic Believers among the Lemba now operate 40 such schools in Zimbabwe.



MESSIANIC LEADERSHIP ROUNDTABLE (MLR)



Each year, Jewish Voice hosts the Messianic Leadership Roundtable, a conference where leaders in the Messianic Jewish community can worship, learn and network together to refresh their hearts and ministries. Roundtable discussions are the foundation of the gathering and occur throughout the multi-day event. These round tables allow leaders to share ideas, encourage one another and discuss relevant issues regarding their particular fields of ministry. In 2018, 476 Messianic leaders from around the world attended the largest-ever MLR conference.

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Engaging the Church



Jonathan Bernis teaches the Israel Tour group on the Southern Steps of the Temple Mount in Jerusalem

Evangelical Believers comprise one of the largest groups showing support for Israel today. Yet much of the Church remains either unaware or misguided concerning Israel and the Jewish people. Engaging the Church on these matters is one of the fundamental missions of Jewish Voice. In doing so, we remind the Church of God's faithfulness to keep His covenants and at the same time bless Gentile Believers with a deeper understanding of the Jewish foundations of faith in Yeshua. Engaging the Church also serves to correct misbeliefs such as Replacement Theology while also impressing upon Believers the urgency of sharing Messiah with Jewish people, who compose one of the most neglected people groups in that regard. Thank you for helping reach people throughout the world with this kind of vital teaching.

JVMI AMBASSADOR VOLUNTEER MINISTRY

In mid-2018 Jewish Voice began forming the foundation of a new ministry, the JVMI Ambassador Volunteer Ministry. Many friends of JVMI have expressed a desire to partner with us on a deeper level, and the Ambassador Ministry provides the perfect opportunity. This platform multiplies JVMI's effectiveness through qualified volunteers who embrace our mission and are excited to share it with the Church.

JVMI Ambassadors engage those who want to grow their understanding of Israel. They educate the Church about our shared Jewish roots, the importance of Israel in God's plan, and biblical mandates regarding the Jewish people. Ambassadors also provide experiences that enrich the Church's understanding of Israel and the Jewish people and invite others to join Jewish Voice's mission through prayer, partnership and participation.

In October 2018, we held our first vision-casting event in Dallas, which drew many whose hearts beat for Israel. After a thorough selection process, we chose four outstanding candidates from this area, one of whom began serving before the year was over. With this, our first Ambassador team was formed in Dallas, setting the stage for the forming of future teams around the U.S.

Also, as the Ambassador Ministry was birthed, so was the idea for Bless Israel Sunday, the first of which will take place in the Fall of 2019, giving Ambassadors and friends of Jewish Voice a platform to meaningfully engage the local Church to bless Israel.

We are excited about the Ambassador Ministry as it multiplies, beyond our own abilities, God's work among Believers. We expect it will bear much fruit in support for Israel, prayer for Jewish people, and interest and participation in the ministries of Jewish Voice.



SPEAKERS BUREAU/ CHURCH RELATIONS

Conferences and speaking events are a grassroots form of engaging the Church. They make up a significant part of the year for JVMI Staff Evangelist Jack Zimmerman. After he spoke in Arad, Romania, in 2018, he was invited to appear as a guest on Romania's Alpha-Omega Christian Television. During the program, the host asked Jack about Jewish Voice, our Outreaches and the "Lost Tribes of Israel." They also covered important matters concerning Israel, the rise of anti-Semitism and how to biblically combat Replacement Theology.



Jack Zimmerman (right)



Jonathan Bernis, amid his responsibilities as CEO and President of Jewish Voice, also speaks around the world. In 2018, he was privileged to address the Messianic congregation he helped found in St. Petersburg, Russia, helping the fellowship celebrate its 25th anniversary.

Together, the Church Relations team participated in more than 90 speaking engagements in 20 states and six countries outside the United States.

South Korea

In 2018, Jewish Voice engaged with Believers in South Korea where the Church is very supportive of Israel and includes a strong base that is enthusiastic to partner with us in ministering to Jewish people. The JVMI-Korea Board is composed of eight members whose professions include dentists, lawyers, businessmen, pastors, professors, NGO employees and others. Their first steps toward connecting Korean churches with Jewish Voice will be to translate Jonathan Bernis' books, conduct seminars and begin study groups and prayer meetings. They also plan to recruit many people to participate in JVMI's 2019 Medical Outreaches.



Martin

Martin was born and raised in Ghana, West Africa. After his post-graduate studies in Canada, he settled in Saskatchewan. His congregation invites Jack Zimmerman each year to teach about the Feasts and Jewish roots of the faith. In 2018, as Jack shared about our Medical Outreaches in Ethiopia and Zimbabwe, something stirred in Martin's heart. He'd grown up seeing the same kind of poverty Jack talked about, and he was drawn to helping the persecuted and marginalized. He felt compassion for the sick who are cut off from the means to improve their situation. "I wanted to help," Martin said, "as little as my contribution might be."



Martin filled out a card requesting more information about JVMI Outreaches and later received a call from our Global Outreach staff. He also went to the JVMI website and found an Outreach that fit his schedule. However, registration hadn't opened for it yet. Martin was so compelled by the work Jack had spoken about that he returned to the website every week until registration opened for the Ambo Meda, Ethiopia, Outreach in March 2019. As soon as it did, Martin signed up to go.

TELEVISION

"Jewish Voice with Jonathan Bernis" is a weekly television program that encourages and strengthens the faith of Believers through expert guests and insightful biblical teaching. Viewers learn about the Jewish roots of faith in Yeshua, important events in the Middle East, Bible prophecy and much more. The television show is broadcast on multiple stations and available worldwide in more than 1.6 billion homes.

In addition to several informative teachings by Jonathan Bernis, 2018 **Television Guests** Included:



Daniah Greenberg



Dr. Danny Ben-Gigi



Gordon Robertson



Ambassador Danny Ayalon



Joseph Farah



Dr. Mark Rutland



Rabbi Kirt Schnieder



Joel Richardson

and many more!



ONLINE



Website

More than 1 million people visited the Jewish Voice website in 2018. It is a lively hub of information and connection. From our website, viewers can learn about Messianic Judaism, the Jewish Feasts, news affecting Israel, key prayer items for the ministry and the fruit of our Medical Outreaches. Users can make donations on the website as well as register to go on an Outreach or sign up on the Prayer Calendar to cover our Outreaches in 24/7 prayer. People visiting the JVMI website can also watch past episodes of the television show, submit a prayer request or order inspirational and informative resources to grow their faith.

Emails

In 2018, 26,000 new friends began receiving our encouraging and informative updates through emails, a 14% increase from the previous year. Emails sent to our subscription list included news about Israel and the Middle East, reports on our Outreaches and events as well as inspiring stories of lives transformed through the work of Jewish Voice.

Social Media

Through various social media platforms, we share inspirational Scriptures, stories, news and Outreach field reports. Social media also enlarges the reach of our ministries as it offers followers access to teaching resources across multiple platforms, including Facebook, Vimeo, YouTube and on-demand sites.

PUBLICATIONS



Jewish Voice Today Magazine

"Jewish Voice Today" magazine is a quarterly publication in which Jonathan Bernis and leading spiritual authorities address vital topics pertaining to the Jewish roots of Christianity, Bible prophecy, and world news as it relates to Israel.



Connections Newsletter

"Connections" newsletter is produced quarterly and provides partners a closer look at the impact their support has made through Jewish Voice Medical Outreaches, Festivals and Israel ministries. Outreach events affect thousands of people in a very short time. Connections tells personal stories of transformed lives to reveal that each number composing the whole represents an individual life profoundly touched.

New Resources

Additionally, Jewish Voice introduced a number of books and resources in 2018 to encourage and strengthen the Body of Messiah:

- Confessing the Hebrew Scriptures – Adonai Roee, The Lord My Shepherd
- A Rabbi Looks at the Last Days – Study Guide
- The Spring Feasts and Purim
- Lest We Forget What Hatred Can Do
- A Rabbi Looks at Jesus of Nazareth – Study Guide
- A Rabbi Looks at the Supernatural – Study Guide
- The Fall Feasts and Chanukah
- Appointments with God: Reflections on the Jewish Feasts
- Confessing the Hebrew Scriptures – El Shaddai, God Almighty
- A Rabbi Looks at the Afterlife – Study Guide



2018 CELEBRATE ISRAEL TOUR

On the 2018 Celebrate Israel Tour, Jonathan Bernis led a group of 184 tour guests through ancient ruins and historical biblical sites across Israel. While there, they celebrated the 70th anniversary of Israel's rebirth as a nation and joined in the festivities on the anniversary date of May 14. Tour participants also prayed at the Western Wall of the Temple Mount and visited places where Yeshua taught and healed. Many tour members participated in an immersion ceremony at the Jordan River as well as a marriage vow renewal on the Sea of Galilee.

"We saw a lot and had a great overview from a Messianic viewpoint - which was important to us."

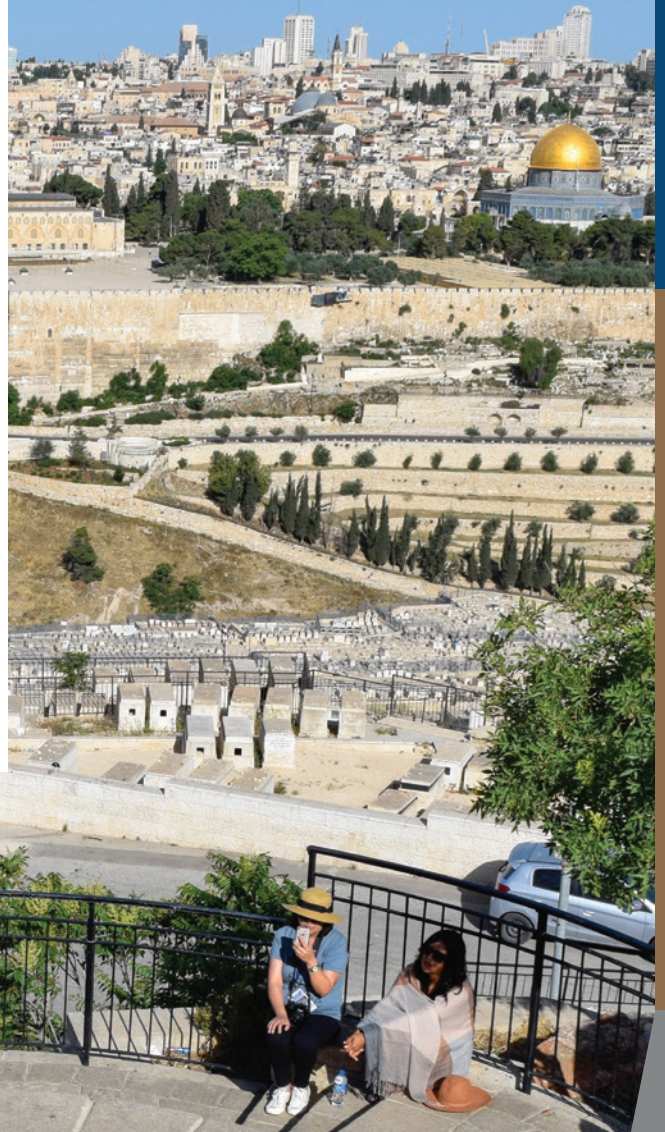
—Tracy

"So much more than I ever dreamed or hoped it would be. Everything was beautiful: the countryside, the people, the teachings, the sites. It was all so perfect, so anointed and blessed!"

—Helene

"All of Northern Israel was incredibly eye-opening for me. The Holy Spirit spoke to me so much there."

—Nandra

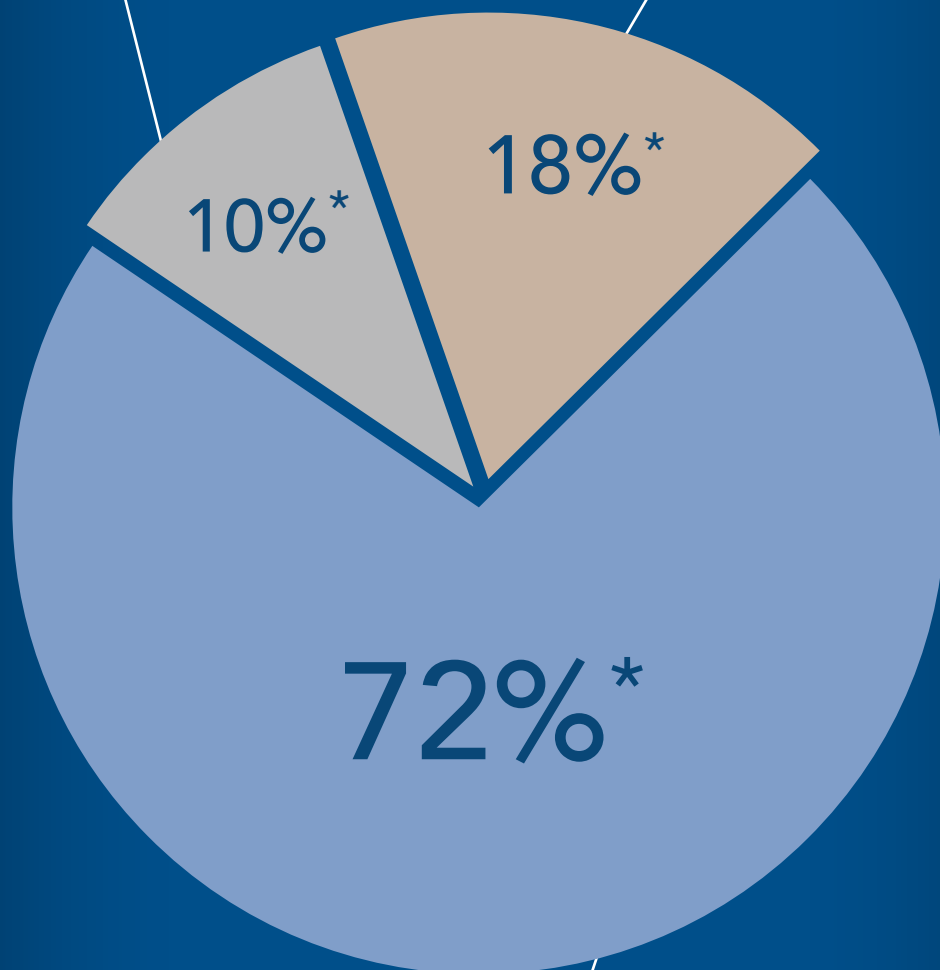




2018 FINANCIAL BREAKDOWN

General and
Administrative Expenses

Fundraising Expenses



Current
Program Services
and Future Needs

* % of Total Expenses

LOOKING AT 2019

God is opening amazing doors of opportunity for Jewish Voice, and we are excited to enter through each one. Through your kind support of this ministry, you will transform lives waiting on the other side of those doors in 2019 as you did in 2018. Thank you.

We are thrilled to be presenting a Hear O' Israel! Festival of Jewish Music & Dance in 2019 to the birthplace of modern Jewish culture – Poland. Once the vibrant hub of Jewish life in Central Europe, Poland's Jewish population was almost entirely extinguished by the Holocaust. It is experiencing a revival, and many people within the Protestant and Catholic churches are rediscovering a Jewish ancestry hidden for generations.



We are eager to conduct Medical Outreaches in two new locations in Ethiopia in 2019: Ambo Meda and Southern Ethiopia. We also look forward to returning to three areas of Zimbabwe to continue serving the Lemba there: Masvingo, Mberengwa and Gutu.



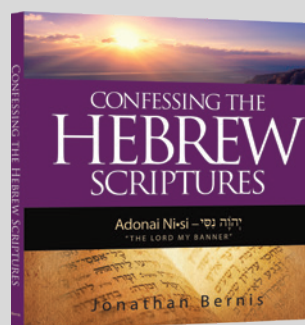
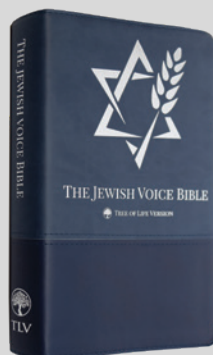
Our Congregation and Leadership Development team will continue working alongside local congregations in Ethiopia and Zimbabwe as they reach out to their communities. We will conduct Messianic Leadership Trainings in both countries and continue to provide ongoing mentoring and support throughout the year.

In the fall, we'll host another Messianic Leadership Roundtable for leaders from around the world.

In 2019, we look forward to expanding the Ambassador ministry and will also launch a new Church Partnership program to engage the Church with our vision and work more fully. The "Jewish Voice with Jonathan Bernis" television program looks forward to another year of encouraging Bible teaching, guests and topics. We'll also produce a new television special highlighting our ministry work in Israel and lead another Celebrate Israel Tour to the Holy Land.



In addition to these exciting ministry opportunities, Jewish Voice looks forward to presenting several new resources to edify Believers. Among them are:



- A Lasting Peace book and Study Guide
- The Jewish Voice Bible (Tree of Life Version)
- Confessing the Hebrew Scriptures – Adonai Nissi, The Lord Our Banner



Thank you
FOR THE LIVES YOU TOUCHED IN 2018!

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