



In this month's edition of the International Bible University USA newsletter, we continue highlighting the work of leaders, students, ministries, and community partners advancing the mission of equipping leaders, reaching nations, and transforming lives through faith, education, service, and international collaboration.

We begin with an important announcement regarding the expansion of the **Joseph Anointing Company** (JAC), which now has approval to operate in both the United States and the DRC. This article explores the company's vision for ethical business development, while highlighting growing cooperation between American and Congolese communities and institutions. (pg. 2)

This issue also spotlights **Johnny Robinson** and the developing vision

behind **Gaius Ministries**, a nonprofit outreach initiative focused on serving homeless individuals and others facing crisis situations in the Fort Worth area. (pgs. 4-5)

Next, we feature an interview with **Josiane Muhorakeye**, an IBUUSA student whose testimony reflects perseverance, faith, and dedication to ministry preparation. Balancing family responsibilities, full-time work, and biblical education, Josiane shares how God continues preparing her for future service and leadership. (pgs. 6-7)

Finally, we celebrate a major milestone for **Refugee Empowerment Network**, which recently received the **Women United for Impact Grant** from **United Way** of Tarrant County. This funding will support programs focused on financial literacy, health education, mentoring, youth development, and community outreach for refugee women, girls, and immigrant families throughout Tarrant County. (pgs. 7-9)

Together, these stories reflect a common theme: lives are transformed when faith is joined with practical service, ethical leadership, education, and compassion for others.

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JOSEPH ANOINTING COMPANY EXPANDS OPERATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES AND THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

Joseph Anointing Company (JAC) is pleased to announce that it now has approval to operate in both the United States and the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC), marking an important step forward in the organization's vision for ethical business development, international partnership, and long-term economic transformation.

With operational foundations now established in both nations, Joseph Anointing Company seeks to serve as a strategic bridge connecting American and Congolese communities, institutions, entrepreneurs, and investors through responsible and sustainable development initiatives. Founded in Texas, JAC was created with the goal of promoting ethical investment, workforce development, and community empowerment while strengthening economic cooperation between the United States and the DRC. The company's mission combines

practical economic development with principles of integrity, accountability, stewardship, and faith-informed leadership.

The Democratic Republic of the Congo possesses enormous economic potential through its natural resources, agricultural capacity, youthful population, and growing demand for infrastructure and services. At the same time, many communities continue to face serious challenges related to poverty, instability, unemployment, and lack of opportunity. Joseph Anointing Company believes these realities create an important opportunity for responsible partnerships that promote sustainable growth while benefiting local communities.

The company's strategic focus includes sectors such as mineral extraction, agriculture, developing infrastructure, education, workforce training, transportation, technology, consulting, and community development initiatives. JAC also seeks to facilitate partnerships between American and Congolese businesses and professionals while encouraging diaspora-led investment and entrepreneurship.

In addition to commercial development, Joseph Anointing Company emphasizes the importance of leadership formation and

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continued from previous page institutional integrity. The organization promotes transparent business practices, responsible stewardship of resources, and development models designed to produce long-term social and economic impact rather than short-term gain.

Leadership at JAC believes that strong international partnerships can play a significant role in creating opportunity, encouraging innovation, and helping communities move toward greater stability and self-sufficiency. Through collaboration with investors, faith-based organizations, educators, development partners, and community leaders, the company hopes to contribute to projects that create jobs, strengthen institutions, and expand access to education and economic opportunity.

As Joseph Anointing Company continues building partnerships in both the United States and the Democratic Republic of the Congo, this new phase represents more than organizational growth. It reflects a broader commitment to

ethical leadership, sustainable development, and international cooperation aimed at creating lasting impact for future generations.



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Serving the Forgotten: Johnny Robinson and the Vision Behind Gaius Ministries

For **Johnny Robinson**, ministry is not primarily something that happens behind a pulpit or inside a classroom. Much of it happens on the streets of Fort Worth, in parking lots, at bus stops, under bridges, and in ordinary conversations with people who often feel invisible to the rest of society.

A student and volunteer with International Bible University USA (IBUUSA). Johnny has spent much of his time helping homeless individuals and others struggling with crisis situations. Sometimes that help is simple: offering a ride to someone carrying everything they own in a backpack, buying a meal for someone who has not eaten, helping someone wash clothes, take a shower, or obtain basic necessities many people take for granted; and if they are receptive, ministering the Gospel to them.

But through these experiences, Johnny has also come to recognize a larger problem. Many people living on the streets are not dealing with just one issue. Some struggle with addiction, mental illness, lack of

identification documents, unemployment, trauma, or broken family relationships. Others simply do not know where to begin rebuilding their lives. While Fort Worth has many ministries and organizations doing valuable work, the process of connecting people to the right resources at the right time can still be difficult.

“One of the biggest challenges,” Johnny explains, “is that when someone finally reaches the point where they are ready for help, the opportunity can disappear very quickly. If support is not available at that moment, they may return to the streets, addiction, or unhealthy environments before real change can begin.”

This burden has led Johnny toward the formation of Gaius Ministries, a nonprofit ministry inspired by the biblical figure Gaius, who was known for hospitality, generosity, and supporting the work of others. Rather than attempting to replace existing ministries, the vision of Gaius Ministries is to work alongside them—helping connect individuals with churches, shelters, housing, recovery programs, mental health resources, food assistance, identification services, and other forms of practical support.

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Bobby's Home in 2024

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The ministry also seeks to create opportunities for others who feel called to help but may not know where to begin. Through partnership, collaboration, and direct outreach, Johnny hopes Gaius Ministries can become part of a broader network of people committed to restoring dignity, stability, and hope to those often forgotten by society.

For Johnny, this work is deeply personal. Having experienced hardship, isolation, and rebuilding in his own life, he understands that transformation often begins not with programs or policies alone, but with simple acts of compassion that remind people they still matter.



Bobby

If you are interested, this is a link to a video Johnny has on Facebook from 2024 where he interviewed a woman living on the street (there are 5 videos about Bobby there). It discusses some of the issues brought up in this article. [https://www.facebook.com/johnny.robinson.731094/videos/3645645952351408/?__cft__\[0\]=AZb38xhiqzP81c-FrkoWCpAuHINSCacE2DyMbGT_KKhSaKCawU05mwdAKue7S8Siwu1U0e0_cVTXfK1m6xkb13MCnV7LFnoeN6o7f1XQ1lgzgq0EYZ2vXfk7tkCAN5UgtLoO2KbUP1shc0YSUxy9NEf3divdr6f4RDjuWoG_Y00YdxjGoeOc6fcushBd4eJ2zHFkAYtowKkme0zVCAPFvmnKkkrvMSa66ShiHg-RvGzeYw&__tn__=-UK-R](https://www.facebook.com/johnny.robinson.731094/videos/3645645952351408/?__cft__[0]=AZb38xhiqzP81c-FrkoWCpAuHINSCacE2DyMbGT_KKhSaKCawU05mwdAKue7S8Siwu1U0e0_cVTXfK1m6xkb13MCnV7LFnoeN6o7f1XQ1lgzgq0EYZ2vXfk7tkCAN5UgtLoO2KbUP1shc0YSUxy9NEf3divdr6f4RDjuWoG_Y00YdxjGoeOc6fcushBd4eJ2zHFkAYtowKkme0zVCAPFvmnKkkrvMSa66ShiHg-RvGzeYw&__tn__=-UK-R)

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FAITH, FAMILY, AND PREPARATION FOR MINISTRY

Recently, IBUUSA had the opportunity to speak with Josiane, a student originally from Africa who has now lived in the United States for more than ten years. A devoted Christian, wife, mother, and full-time worker, she shared how her journey has been shaped by faith, perseverance, and a calling to serve God.

Josiane described her time at International Bible University USA as part of God's preparation for ministry. "When God calls you and chooses you, He prepares you," she explained. "I'm here in this school as one of the preparations." Her desire is not simply to earn a degree, but to grow spiritually and become better equipped to share the Gospel and serve others.

Like many IBUUSA students, Josiane balances work, family responsibilities, and ministry training at the same time. She emphasized that attending classes while working full-time can be challenging, but believes commitment and discipline make it possible. Through weekend

classes and studying during the evenings after work, she and many other students continue pursuing both education and ministry preparation without giving up their daily responsibilities.

Josiane is nearing completion of her Bachelor's degree and expects to graduate soon. Yet for her, education is about more than credentials. She explained that while degrees may help open doors, true ministry flows from what God develops inside a person. "We need to learn more and more every day," she said, describing education as an ongoing process of spiritual and personal growth.

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Josiane Muhorakeye

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Refugee Empowerment Network Receives United Way of Tarrant County – Women United for Impact Grant

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Throughout the conversation, her faith remained central. Despite the difficulties that often come with leaving one's homeland, adapting to a new country, balancing work and family life, and pursuing education, Josiane spoke with confidence that God continues to strengthen and guide her.

Her story reflects the spirit of many students at IBUUSA—individuals from diverse backgrounds who are pursuing biblical education not merely for personal advancement, but to prepare themselves to impact their families, churches, communities, and future ministries through the power of the Gospel.

The interview can be watched at:
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1gjC2j3MetegqPL2VuGNyc6NkkfQl4Slm/view?usp=sharing>

Refugee Empowerment Network is deeply honored and grateful to receive the generous Women United-Impact Grant from United Way of Tarrant County in the amount of \$5,000. This important investment will directly support programs designed to improve the quality of life for refugee women, girls, and legally accepted immigrants living in Tarrant County.

This grant represents more than financial support, it is an investment in hope, empowerment, dignity, and opportunity for vulnerable families striving to build stable and productive lives in our community. Through this initiative, Refugee Empowerment Network will provide the following critical services:

Program Services

- Financial literacy and health education workshops
- Mentoring, counseling, and college/career readiness support for youth
- Community awareness and educational outreach campaigns
- Community health expo and increased access to vital local resources and services

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Expected Outcomes

With the support of United Way – Women United, the project is expected to achieve the following measurable outcomes:

- 120 women equipped with practical financial management and health education skills
- 60 youth participants guided toward college and career pathways
- 1,000+ community members reached through community health expos and awareness initiatives
- Ongoing program evaluation and measurable reporting shared with United Way and other stakeholders

Anticipated Community Impact

The long-term impact of this project is expected to include:

- 75% of participants demonstrating improved financial knowledge and skills
- 70% gaining increased health literacy and wellness awareness

- 65% completing college and FAFSA applications during or following the program
- 60% successfully connected to healthcare referrals and support services

At Refugee Empowerment Network, we believe empowered women strengthen families, and strengthened families transform communities. We sincerely thank United Way – Women United for partnering with us in this life-changing mission and for standing alongside refugee and immigrant families during critical moments of transition and growth.



Pastor Joseph, President of IBU and the Refugee Empowerment Network with the grant check



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As the needs within our refugee and immigrant communities continue to grow, we warmly invite additional donors, foundations, churches, businesses, and community partners to join us in expanding this impact. Together, we can create greater opportunities for education, health, economic stability, and long-term self-sufficiency for vulnerable families across **Tarrant County** and beyond. To learn more about supporting Refugee Empowerment Network and its programs, please connect with us and become part of the transformation.

How You Can Support

The ministries and outreach efforts connected with **IBUUSA** and **Refugee Empowerment Network** continue through the prayers, support, and generosity of people who believe in serving others through faith and practical action.

To support these ministries, learn more about International **Bible University USA**, inquire about **Gaius Ministries**, or explore opportunities to earn a degree through IBUUSA, please visit IBUUSA.org.

You may also contact Johnny Robinson through the website contact form or on Facebook for questions regarding outreach efforts, partnerships, or ministry opportunities.

