Agricultural project - to supply seeds and resources to poor farmers

In one of the mission fields in North eastern Nigeria, Naphtali discovered that about 20 farmers that didn't have the resources to farm this year. This is partly due to the COVID-19 Lockdown and party due to poverty. Thanks to generous donations to AMEN, we were able to help set up this project. We were able to purchase: 20 bags of rice seeds; a bag of maize seeds; a bag of guinea corn seeds, 10 cartons of herbicides, 2 sprayers and 15 chickens.

The bags of rice seeds were shared between 21 poor farmers. 19 farmers had a bag of rice seeds each and 2 farmers shared 1 bag between them.











The 2 bags of grain seeds (maize and guinea corn) were shared between 40 farmers.



The herbicides and sprayers are shared between the farmers.



Demonstration of sprayers

Prayer time

Naphtali took a team of 4 others to help with the distribution of items. **The farmers were all extremely happy -** they testify they never seen this kind of thing before (i.e. such provision).

Distribution of chickens



15 chickens were distributed to families, to provide eggs

Ongoing support and supervision for farmers

There are 2 missionaries based here. They will help supervise the farmers closely and take some (seeds/crops) to keep in store to wait until later in the year to release to them and to also encourage the farmers to give some seed to others, who are in need.

Naphtali will send photos and update reports during and after the harvest.

Ministry – Sunday church service

The photos below show the church service over the weekend, that the distribution of seeds, chickens and other items were distributed

They showed the Jesus film that night - a number of people re-dedicated their lives to Jesus and some gave their lives to Jesus for the first time.





Prayer requests:

- Good amount of rain
- Good harvest
- Faithfulness from the farmers.