# AMEN NEWS

Anniversary - Celebrating AMEN 30 Years



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The 30th Anniversary Celebration in Worthing on the 20th of September 2025 was very successful, thanks to the hard work of the AMEN team and other local supporters.

Approximately 50 guests attended and AMEN partners David and Rodica, Handel and Thompson were all able to join us in person. They spoke and there were also video messages from many other partners. Our thanks go to River of Life Church for allowing us to use their church facilities for the day.





## FOUNDER'S COLUMN

'The Lord had done great things for us, and we are filled with joy'. Psalm 126:3

Thirty years is an appropriate time to look back at how it all began. The AMEN charity is testimony to the simple fact that if God puts something on your heart for you to do for Him, it doesn't matter if you don't have the resources; it doesn't matter if you don't have any experience; it doesn't even matter if you don't know where to start - if the burden comes from God, it will be done. You will find him bringing the right people and resources at the right time! What began as an amateur kitchen table operation to try and raise funds for a video ministry in India, has grown into a partnership which currently supports 20 projects in 6 nations - and continues to grow today. Without supporters and donors like you, we would still be at square one. Since the beginning, I felt strongly that 100% of each donation should be sent to the field without any part being used for administration so as to maximise its impact. By the grace of God that still holds true today. Thank you for your continued support. Here's to the next 30 years!

Gareth Bolton (AMEN Founder and Life President)

### Chairman's corner



Well I can't believe AMEN has been going for 30 years and it's 28 years since I first went on a trip to India! Over the years the work of AMEN has grown considerably and we now support 20 partners in 6 different countries. We've seen God's hand of provision in many amazing ways and God at work in the lives of our brothers and sisters around the world.

Our income has increased considerably over the years but so have the needs and costs. One of the things I'm most proud of is that we can genuinely claim that 100% of all donations go to our partners and we take nothing out for an admin or overhead costs which are funded totally separately. I think this makes us pretty unique in the charity world and I often get positive comments from our supporters about this.

As the work of AMEN grows we are always looking for more volunteers or trustees. There are many ways you can get involved since we do all the work of running the charity ourselves, with no paid staff. Apart from practical work we are always looking for supporters wiling to "pray, give, go"! Maybe you could consider how you could get involved?

**Chris Chatfield** 

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"Success is best when it's shared." – This is what we believe in through our work with people in need!

The impact we have in the lives of children, young people, and the elderly in our communities is possible because wonderful partners have come alongside us.

Thank you, AMEN Trust, for seeing us, helping us, believing in us, and making a difference together with us for Romania!

The Perspective Danes team is deeply grateful for this partnership and for your beautiful way of supporting us! You have stood with us since our beginnings, about ten years ago!

We pray for AMEN Trust, for everyone involved, and for everything you do—that God's blessing and favour may continue to guide you, as you support and create change for a better life here on earth and for eternity.

May God bless you!

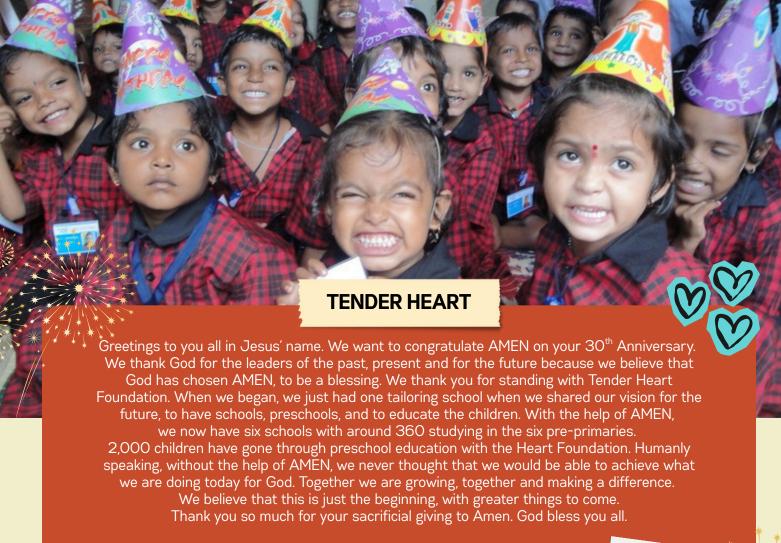
Liviu and Elena Tudosie, Founders of Perspective Danes, Romania



We want to send our love and greeting from our SEMI family and thank you for the support from AMEN for over 20 Years. We have been deeply blessed by you all. We are forever grateful to you for your prayers, support and encouragement and empowerment as we move forward. God bless you all

Roy and Ponna

**SEMI INDIA** 



#### Francis and Alison

### **INDIA**



It is an immense pleasure to congratulate you on the successful completion of 30 years in the work of God's Kingdom building. I know it is not an easy task to raise money to support so many missionaries working in the majority world. But you have done well. Praise be to the LORD of the harvest!

It has been a blessing doing ministry in partnership with you. Indeed, thank you beyond words for choosing to include me among many AMEN's partners around the world.

My prayers is that the work of God continue to extend, enlarge and bear more fruits for our Master.

Once again, I CONGRATULATE the AMEN TEAM and all the DONORS on your faithful service in achieving the milestone of 30 years.

Peace and Joy

Awon Shanglai

### Hello AMEN

I'm glad that AMEN is celebrating its 30th anniversary.
I wish you well and I'm glad that Handel is able to be there at this time. May God bless all your efforts and bring more projects for your provision.

Caroline Reginald (AMEN'S first partner)

### **Companion with the Poor**

We praise God for 30 years of His faithfulness to AMEN. To advance the gospel among the poorest of the poor and the vulnerable.

Winston Pinzon

**INDIA** 

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### **PAKISTAN**

### Dear AMEN Family

We are grateful for your constant prayers and support and thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Your love, encouragement, and faith have been a great source of strength and comfort to us. We deeply value your friendship and the way you continue to stand with us through every season of life.

In 2025 flood hits Pakistan, heavy rains and flash floods have resulted in 946 deaths, including 255 children, and 1,062 injuries, including 320 children. Around 3,952 villages in Pakistan's Punjab province were affected by the monsoon floods, with estimates of over 1.6 million people impacted and more than 1.9 million

evacuated. There were terrible scenes with water levels in and outside the river. People were sitting on the road, hundreds of them have been bitten by snakes and scorpions. We served 653 Families with clean drinking water, food parcels, medicines, hygiene and mosquito nets etc. We are thankful for AMEN for faithfully standing with us.

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