

SEPTEMBER 2026

OUR IMPACT STORIES

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FROM THE HELM

What a season of exciting activity, growth, progress, and impact it has been! As part of our growth, we have registered the CLP Foundation to house our programs. The CLP Foundation will now run our Central Leadership Programs. Meet our distinguished Board members in the write-up below!

We have also successfully piloted the CLP Crystal Chess program, and it was a blast! Check out the testimonials and hear what our participants had to say.

We look forward to launching another program, CLP Gold Arts Innovate. Read more about it below.

Our Fellows and Beacons of Excellence continue to make an impact by supporting communities and growing their own initiatives. Keep reading to learn more!



Mrs. Ewurama Bennin
Program Manager





COMING UP:

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Thank You!

Individuals, Churches and Organisations

We are grateful to everyone who supported CLP in Q3. We also appreciate those who honoured pledges made during our earlier fundraising campaign by fulfilling their commitments during the quarter.

Pledge Fulfilment

Your support has helped us continue developing Christ-centred leaders for Africa, and we are grateful!

- **ICGC Watered Garden**
- **ICGC Open Heavens Temple**
- **Rev. and Mrs. Asiedu Antwi**
- **Spektra Global Ltd.**
- **BOE Joshua Eyram Wordey**
- **BOE Desiree Kutriakor**
- **BOE Lily Kyei-Baffour**
- **Fellow Josephine Ennin**
- **Fellow Tracey-Lee Moulton**
- **Anonymous donor**

Click here to support us with any amount.



WE ARE

REBRANDING!

Keep your eyes on our social media platforms and website for updates over the coming months.

FELLOW BLOGGING

Our Cohort 8 Fellows have started sharing their reflections on the CLP Blog, capturing how the program is shaping their thinking and growth. Their writings explore faith, purpose, and service with fresh insight and inspiration.

Click on the image to read more.



BOARD INAUGURATION CEREMONY

The inauguration ceremony of the **CLP Foundation Board** was held on Wednesday, 15 July 2026, to formally usher in the newly constituted Board and mark an important milestone of **becoming** a Foundation.





The **General Secretary, Rev. Morris Appiah,** stated the purpose of the gathering, while the **General Overseer, Pastor Mensa Otabil,** delivered the keynote message, highlighting the significance of the Foundation and the responsibility entrusted to the newly constituted Board. We are grateful to the Regional Overseers, Pastors, Mentors, Faculty, Partners, and Alumni who attended the ceremony and supported this significant milestone in the journey of the CLP Foundation.





We are grateful to our board: **Rev. Kwame Amoakohene, Mrs. Ewurama Bennin, Mr. Michael Ohene-Effah, Mrs. Petra Asamoah, Mr. Charles Vandyck, Mrs. Nana Akua Ashun Esq., Dr. Alberta Amewu and Rev. Joseph Biney Aidoo Esq.** (non-voting). ***Click here to read their profiles.***




GREATER WORKS!





In August, members of the CLP community joined thousands of believers at the 2026 Greater Works Conference, held from 3–7 August at ICGC Christ Temple East, Teshie. The five-day gathering offered the CLP community an opportunity for worship, biblical teaching, and spiritual renewal. The gathering strengthened the CLP community's faith and renewed its commitment to lead with purpose, integrity, and service.




CLP at Africa at the Centre!

CLP participated in the inaugural Africa at the Centre Convening, organised by WACSI, from 1–3 September 2026, bringing together systems change practitioners, civil society leaders, funders, researchers, artists, and innovators from across Africa and the diaspora.



CLP also showcased books authored by its Beacons of Excellence and faculty members, alongside handmade products from the community, highlighting its knowledge, creativity, and entrepreneurial talent.

Find our makers here.



CLP CRYSTAL CHESS

On 25 July 2026, the inaugural CLP Crystal Chess Fellows began an 8-week journey. Through virtual and in-person sessions, our fellows sharpened their chess skills while exploring strategy, faith, leadership, and African identity. ***Click here to meet our chess Fellows*** and ***here to hear their testimonials.***

A big thank you to ***Ms. Gertrude Banini, Founder and CEO of PiChess,*** for Technical Mastery; BOEs ***Dickson Kove*** and ***Abena Omari*** for Deepening Faith; and BOEs ***Samuel Oppong*** and ***Esther Dadzie*** for Leadership Development.







The journey ended with an exciting chess tournament, putting every lesson and strategy to the test! Special appreciation to **Rev. Eric Xexemeku and ICGC Open Heavens Temple** for being our hosts!

SOCIAL IMPACT PROJECT





LIT (Lead in Tech) Project

Seven Cohort 7 Fellows set out to make a difference through the LIT Project, bringing digital learning to JHS students in Nungua.

Fellows Richard Gavor, Juanita Abrahams-Appiah, Sally Ampem, Sarah Abbey, Rhema Noye, Nikon Agbenohevi, and Nana Kwabena Owusu took on the challenge of helping young learners build confidence and skills for the digital world, with guidance from their mentor, ***Mr. Kweku Lartey.***

Read the full story here and watch their report ***here***.

SPOTLIGHTS FROM THE BOE COMMUNITY!

Mentoring Girls in STEM



BOE Esther Dadzie (Cohort 4) mentored four girls from Kasoa and Nyanyano to build and program a robot, placing 4th out of 29 teams at the 2025 Ghana Robotics Competition and winning Best Engineering Notebook.

She later became Program Coordinator and co-presented with Patriot Ghana's founder and three mentees in Salzburg, Austria.

Read more about Esther here.

Growing Green Spaces



BOE Daniel Tagoe (Cohort 2), a Landscape Designer and Project Manager, co-founded Jade Landscaping Services and grew it from a single plant to thousands supplied to homes and offices. He delivers indoor and outdoor designs and helps transform spaces into eco-friendly, productivity-boosting environments.

Inspired by CLP, he drives social impact through The Bloom Initiative, the Feminc Christmas Feeding Program, and youth empowerment work.

Read more about his work here.

Leading Change, One Strand at a Time





BOE Deborah Jessica Oppong (Cohort 7), founder of Dielle, credits CLP with strengthening her resilience and confidence as an entrepreneur. After Dielle's FDA approval process was paused, CLP inspired her to persevere until the brand secured approval.

CLP also sparked Beyond the Salon Chair, a growing community helping women better understand and care for their hair.

Click here to follow her growth.

CLP NEWSROOM

THE COASTAL ESCAPE

Our Beacons of Excellence (alumni) headed to Kokrobite for a weekend of learning, laughter, fellowship, and connection. CLP Faculty member Mr. Robert Yakohene led an engaging session on brand equity, followed by team challenges, reflections, and a fun sip-and-paint session. The Beacons also reflected on their association and committed to reviewing and finalising its constitution.

Check it out on ***Facebook*** and ***Instagram***!







JOIN US AS A FELLOW!

Now Open for Applications

Gold Core

Watch this for more information!

Application Deadline: 30 December, 2026

(Ages 18 to 24 | Duration: 1 year)

For young Christian leaders who are committed to growing in faith, developing their leadership capacity, and contributing meaningfully to Africa's growth and transformation.

Gold Arts Innovate

Here is why you need to apply!

Application Deadline: 2 November, 2026

(Ages 18 to 30 | Duration: 6 months)

For emerging Christian creatives passionate about drama, film, music, spoken word, and storytelling. This program nurtures creativity, leadership, and impact through the arts.

Apply for CLP Gold Core and Gold Arts Innovate here: https://clp.centralgospel.com/apply

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For further information and application details,

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Join a growing community of young transformational leaders being equipped to shape Africa with excellence, innovation, and faith.

A LOOK INTO QUARTER 4



Cohort 9 applications



CLP Gold Arts Innovate



Cohort 8 Podcasts



Leadership in Africa Forum



Guest Speaker Series



Taste of CLP

WHAT FELLOWS HAVE TO SAY



Fellow Tracey-Lee Moulton

Before the Central Leadership Program (CLP), I struggled to finish reading books, no matter how interesting they were. Thanks to CLP, I have learned resilience and how to push beyond my reading goals.

Fellow Stacy Naa Okailey Nunoo



Everyone says 'transformative' to sound smart. After 3 months of CLP, I get it. My reading habits, decisions, and grit changed. So yes, my CLP journey has been transformative too.

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