

Report: Inductive Bible Study Workshop
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I give thanks to the sovereign Lord and thank you my brothers for praying for this workshop in Anyana. The reason we are having the teaching sessions in the town of Anyana is because the Lord has blessed us with a new building there. The students are refugees who fled from terrorism and are now returning after many years of absence. Anyana was burned down by the subversives and nature destroyed the rest. The civil authorities do not want to help in any way to improve the town but the Lord God is raising it up. Three years ago we stood on that ground asking God to give us this town and for a building in which to minister. In the photo you can see it—the large one on the right. Here is where we hold the workshops and the students are the returning refugees who have a hunger to hear God's Word.

In this workshop each student has had an encounter with God. Before, they looked askance at the Bible but now they are inspecting it, as it were, with a fine toothcomb. It is in their own language and it is as if God were by their sides speaking directly to them. We need lot of patience to teach as most of them have never finished grade school. Now it is difficult, but using the inductive method encourages them to study hard.

We covet your prayers:

We need many things in order to have a comfortable place for the students, such as kitchen equipment and sleeping facilities. Many come from far away and have to spend the night. But the Lord is providing food and covering.

Each student promises to teach this method in his home church and to bring a new student for the next workshop. Please pray for the communities of

Ñaupas, San Rafael and Pihuan

where our students are now sharing the Gospel.