



# **GLOBAL REPORT**

**FALL 1971**

# **The International Spirit Movement**

For years the Church has been asking for practical ways to demonstrate its theological insight and depth human concern. Now laymen and clergy across the globe, working with the staff of the Ecumenical Institute, have developed a comprehensive model for renewing local churches. The model rests on three strategic programs which have been implemented for several years in North America and now are being applied in Southeast Asia and India. First, **LEADERSHIP TRAINING** provided by the International Training Institutes is key because it offers the participant the theological grounding and practical methods necessary for the renewal of his particular parish. Second, **GRASSROOTS INVOLVEMENT**, in the form of consultations, visits, and regularly scheduled weekend courses, is crucial in building grassroots support for local church renewal. Third, the ground work has been completed for launching the **LOCAL CHURCH PROJECT** in India and SEAPAC. Such signs of possibility are required if past training and penetration are to be sustained and the vision of global/local church renewal is to be realized.

# LEADERSHIP TRAINING



In the fall of 1968, a number of Asian leaders who had participated in Ecumenical Institute training courses requested that the Institute make its training available in Asia on a more extensive basis. Specifically, they recommended that a six-week program patterned after the Church Academy in Chicago be offered to leadership all across Southeast Asia and the Sub-Continent. Their concern was that Asian churchmen be rapidly trained in the theoretical and practical methods necessary for the task of renewing the

church in Asia. Thus, the first International Training Institute was held in Singapore in 1969, using and adapting methods that had been developed over a period of twelve years in North America. The success of this first Institute was indicated at its close by the demand from the participants that there be two more such institutes the following year, in Ootacamund, India; and in Hong Kong. Again for Summer '71, three more were requested. They were held in Manila, The Philippines; Jabalpur, India; and Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

1969

102  
PARTICIPANTS

**Singapore**

INDIGENOUS STAFF  
10%

1970

129  
PARTICIPANTS

**Hong Kong**

INDIGENOUS STAFF  
25%

57  
PARTICIPANTS

**Ootacamund**

INDIGENOUS STAFF  
25%

1971

151  
PARTICIPANTS

**Manila**

INDIGENOUS STAFF  
50%

150  
PARTICIPANTS

**Jabalpur**

INDIGENOUS STAFF  
50%

92  
PARTICIPANTS

**Addis Ababa**

INDIGENOUS STAFF  
10%

# GRASSROOTS



## S.E.Asia / Pacifica

### I.T.I. GRADUATES AND AREAS REPRESENTED

N.EAST ASIA	NORTH S.E.ASIA	EAST S.E.ASIA	SOUTH S.E.ASIA	SOUTH PACIFIC	PACIFICA
<b>98</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>30</b>
Hong Kong Tokyo Osaka Seoul Taipei Pyong Yang	Bangkok Saigon Hanoi Rangoon Vientiane Phnom Penh	Manila Baguio Naga Iloilo Cebu Davao	Singapore Kuala Lumpur Kota Kinabalu Djakarta Medan Manado	Sydney Perth Brisbane Melbourne Adelaide Darwin	Suva Agana Honolulu Apia Wellington Moresby

It is estimated that there are **17** course graduates for every I.T.I. graduate.

Course projections for 1971-72 in SEAPAC more than double any previous year. Over 300 courses are scheduled with systematic recruitment in nearly every region. This coming year the core curriculum will be translated by the indigenous staff who will teach the courses in their own areas. Together, SEAPAC and India plan to reach over 8000 awakened churchmen through these courses.

# INVOLVEMENT

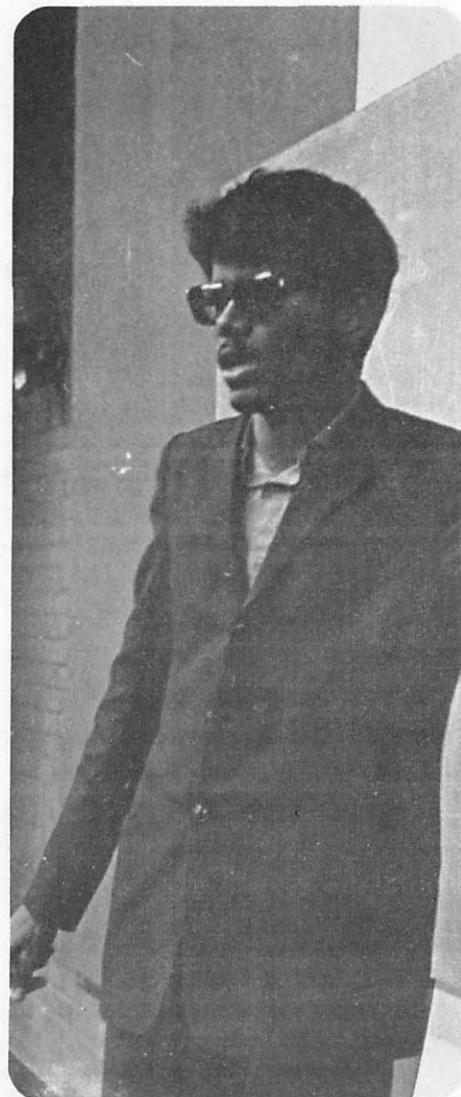
## India/Sub-Continent

I.T.I. GRADUATES AND AREAS REPRESENTED

WEST PAKISTAN	NORTH INDIA	EAST INDIA	SOUTH INDIA	WEST INDIA	CENTRAL INDIA
<b>17</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>16</b>
Peshawar Rawalpindi Lahore Hyderabad Karachi Quetta	Srinagar Simla Lucknow Allahabad Jaipur Delhi	Patna Darjeeling Shillong Dacca Calcutta Jamshedpur	Cochin Bangalore Hyderabad Vijayawada Madras Colombo	Rajkot Ahmedabad Aurangabad Poona Bombay Nasik	Bhopal Jabalpur Raigarh Bhubaneswar Raipur Nagpur

It is estimated that there are **10** course graduates for every I.T.I. graduate.

India has planned 80 courses resulting from requests of indigenous churchmen. Presently the Sub-Continent has teachers in 34 of its 36 regions. Utilizing this leadership, courses will be held in 56 cities throughout the area, including Ceylon and Pakistan.

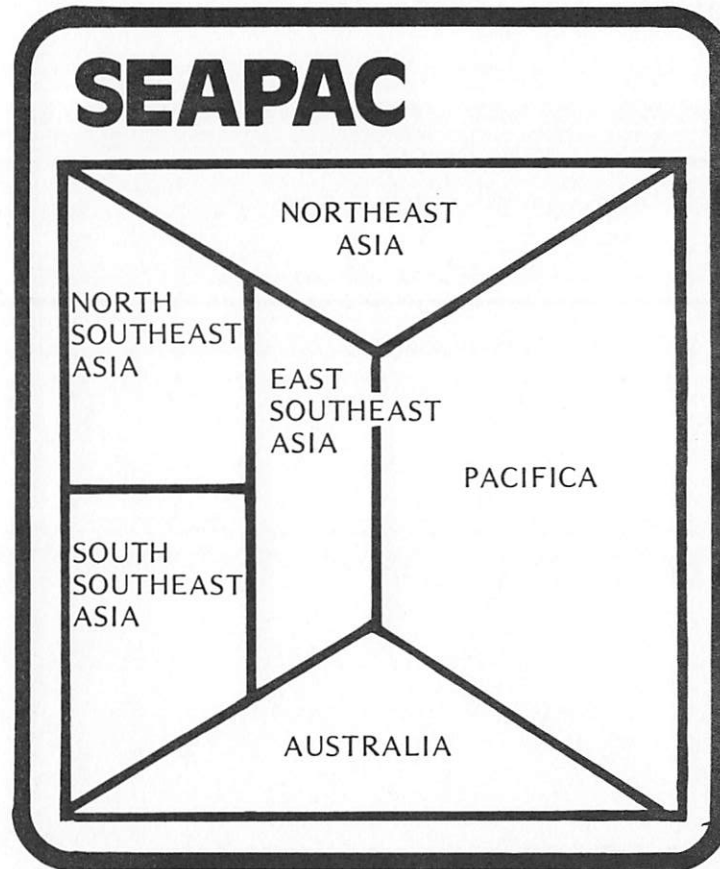


# LOCAL CHUR

In August of this year, at the SEAPAC Research Assembly, colleagues from across the area gathered in Manila. With enthusiastic support from church leadership, they created a 4-year plan for implementing the Local Church Project in 6 locations and a timeline for expansion.

**GALAXY  
CITIES**

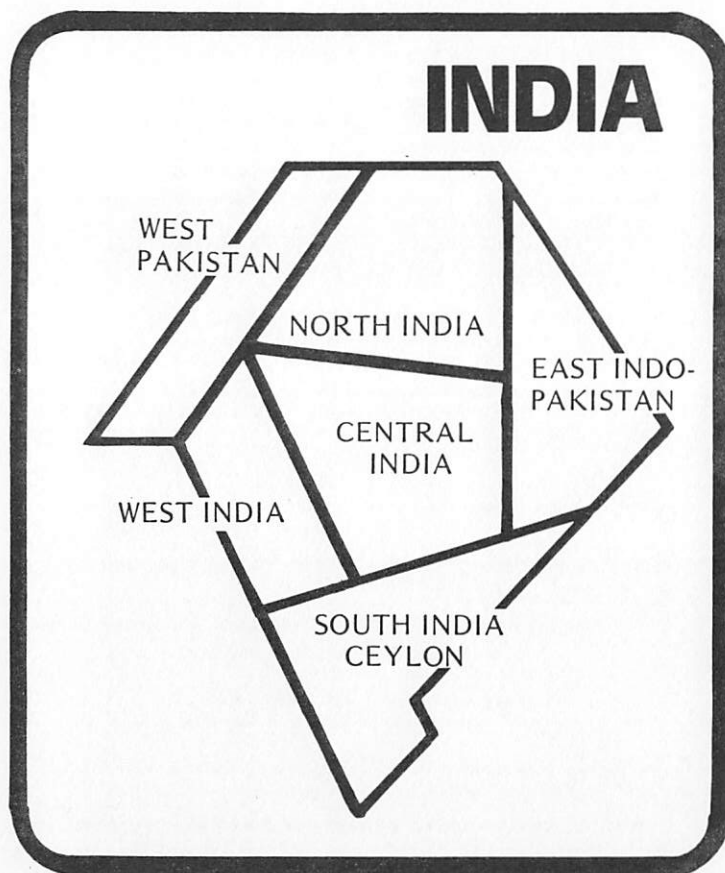
Tokyo  
Hong Kong  
Kuala Lumpur  
Singapore  
Sydney  
Manila



# CH PROJECT



India symbolizes for the world the chaos and suffering of the East. Churchmen in India have deemed the Local Church Project an authentic response to India's need. Their enthusiastic support of the movement launched the project in six key cities. The location of galaxy churches was determined at the Indian Movement Council in Jabalpur, June 1971.



## GALAXY CITIES

Bombay  
Hyderabad  
Delhi  
Calcutta  
Madras  
Colombo

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## Expenses

	Total Cost	Cost per Participant
Manila	\$75,000	\$500
Jabulpur	27,500	184
Addis Ababa	<u>17,400</u>	193
Total	\$129,900	

## Income

Churchmen in North America	\$91,000
Churchmen in Asia	26,000
Other	<u>12,900</u>
Total	\$129,900

### ESTIMATED COST FOR OVERSEAS LOCAL CHURCH PROJECT - FALL QUARTER, 1971

**\$130,000**

- 10% LOCAL CHURCH TRAINING SCHOOLS
- 20% GALAXY DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION
- 40% GRASSROOTS COURSE INVOLVEMENT
- 10% PUBLICATION AND DISTRIBUTION COSTS
- 20% INTERNATIONAL INTERN PROGRAM

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