

# ACTIVITY 2

## MISSIONARY WORK TODAY

I can explain why different people think that values such as honesty, respect and compassion are important, and I show respect for others. RME 2–09c

I am developing my understanding of how my own and other people's beliefs and values affect their actions. RME 2–09d

I am increasing my knowledge and understanding of different forms of Christian worship and artefacts and can explain their importance for Christians. RME 2-03a

There are still Christian missionaries today. Missionaries can live lives very similar to David's and they aim to help others by sharing their faith with people all around the world. There are missionaries that represent all faiths and all seek to serve others and share their faith through relationships and acts of service. This can be through education, social justice, healthcare and economic development. Missionaries are also present in disaster zones and global catastrophes. Some examples of these include Islamic Relief and Christian Aid.

People's values are shaped by many things, including religion. For David, his Christian faith helped him to develop important values that would inspire him to dedicate his life to helping others. Many missionaries today are also driven by these values. This is because of their faith and love for people and the world in which they live. They reflect their values in their actions, demonstrating peace, kindness, care for the

environment and a commitment to social justice. These values shape and motivate individuals to make a difference to the world and those who live in it.

### TASK A

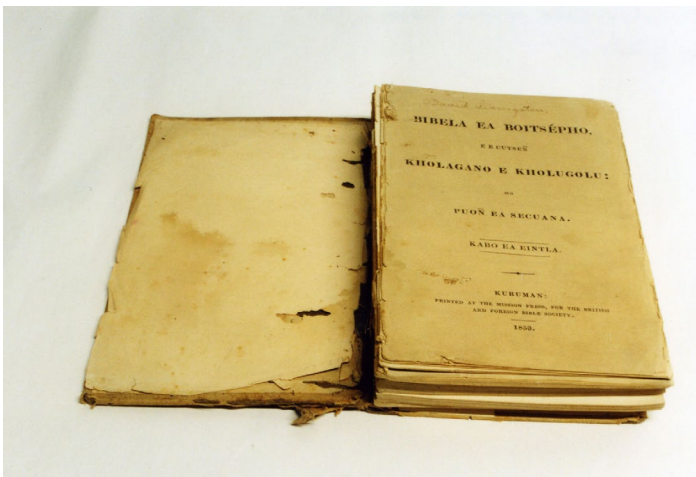
Consider the values of a Global Citizen, as defined here by Oxfam:

1. Sense of identity and self-esteem
2. Commitment to social justice and equality
3. Respect for people and human rights
4. Value diversity
5. Concern for the environment and commitment to sustainable development
6. Commitment to participation and inclusion
7. Belief that people can bring about change

As a class make a list of values. Consider:

1. What values are important to you?
2. Where do these values come from?
3. How do you put these values into practice?
4. How will you use these values to form your future goals?

Through this discussion consider a personal goal that will impact others.



*Signed Copy of the Holy Bible (1853) (in Setswana)*

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My goal is

