

What is the Anglican Board of Mission (ABM) ?

- ABM is the national mission agency of the Anglican Church of Australia
- It was established by General Synod in 1850
- ABM partners with other Anglican Churches around the world on behalf of the Anglican Church of Australia

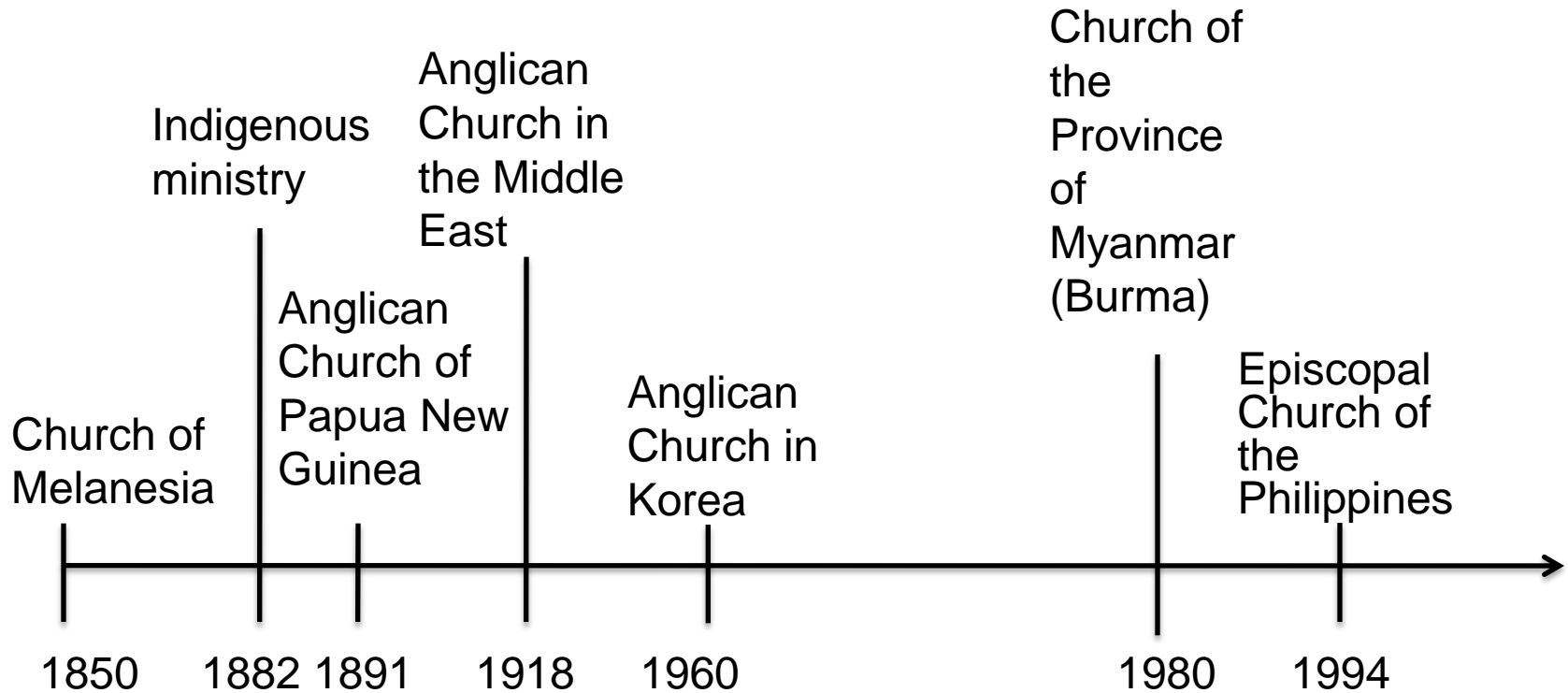
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*ABM wants to see
people everywhere experience
the wholeness of life God offers in
Jesus Christ,
and to this end supports our
partners as they participate in
God's mission.*



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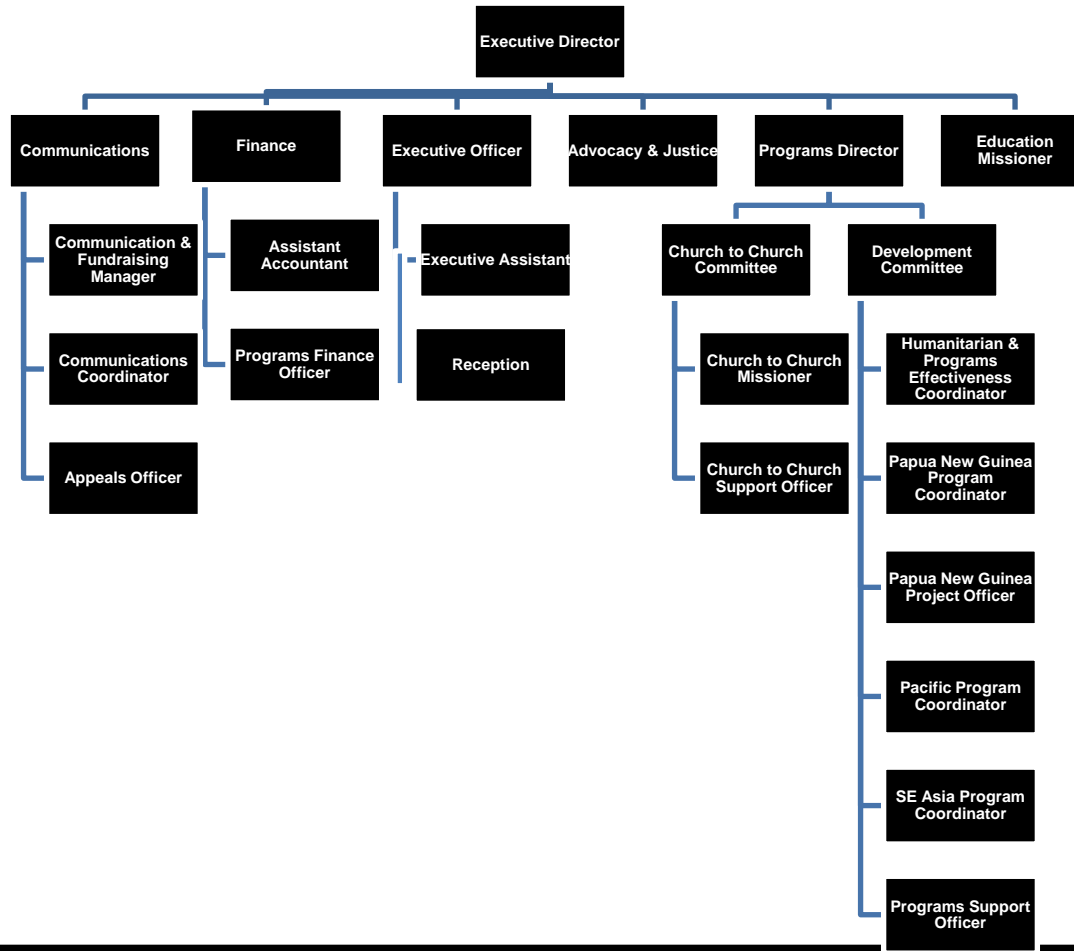
ABM Partners



ABM's Five Marks of Mission

- Witness to Christ's saving, forgiving, reconciling love for all people;
- Build welcoming, transforming communities of faith;
- Stand in solidarity with the poor and needy;
- Challenge injustice and oppression; and
- Protect, care for and renew life on our planet.

ABM's Structure





ABM People

John Deane

Executive Director (pictured)

Julianne Stewart

Programs Director

Ivy Wang

Business Manager

Christopher Brooks

Communications Coordinator

ABM Board

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- Phillip Miller
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- Christopher Roper
- † Gary Weatherill
- Janne Whitehead



‘And without faith it is impossible to please God, for whoever would approach him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.’


– Hebrews 11:6

Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Program

- Theological and Leadership Education
- High School Scholarships
- Ministry Support and Development

Working with the Australian Government AID Program (AusAID)

- ABM has been able to leverage its strong community support to obtain full accreditation with AusAID. This enables it to combine Anglican donor funds with larger government funding to build partner church capacity and improve community development outcomes



‘...I was a stranger and you
welcomed me,’

– *Matthew 25:35*

Papua New Guinea

Community

Development

- Institutional Strengthening
- Education
- Health
- Clean Water & Sanitation
- HIV
- Communications

Church

- Melanesian Bro'hood
- Clergy and Lay Training
- Kerina and Newton Colleges
- Women in Ministry
- Proclaiming the Gospel

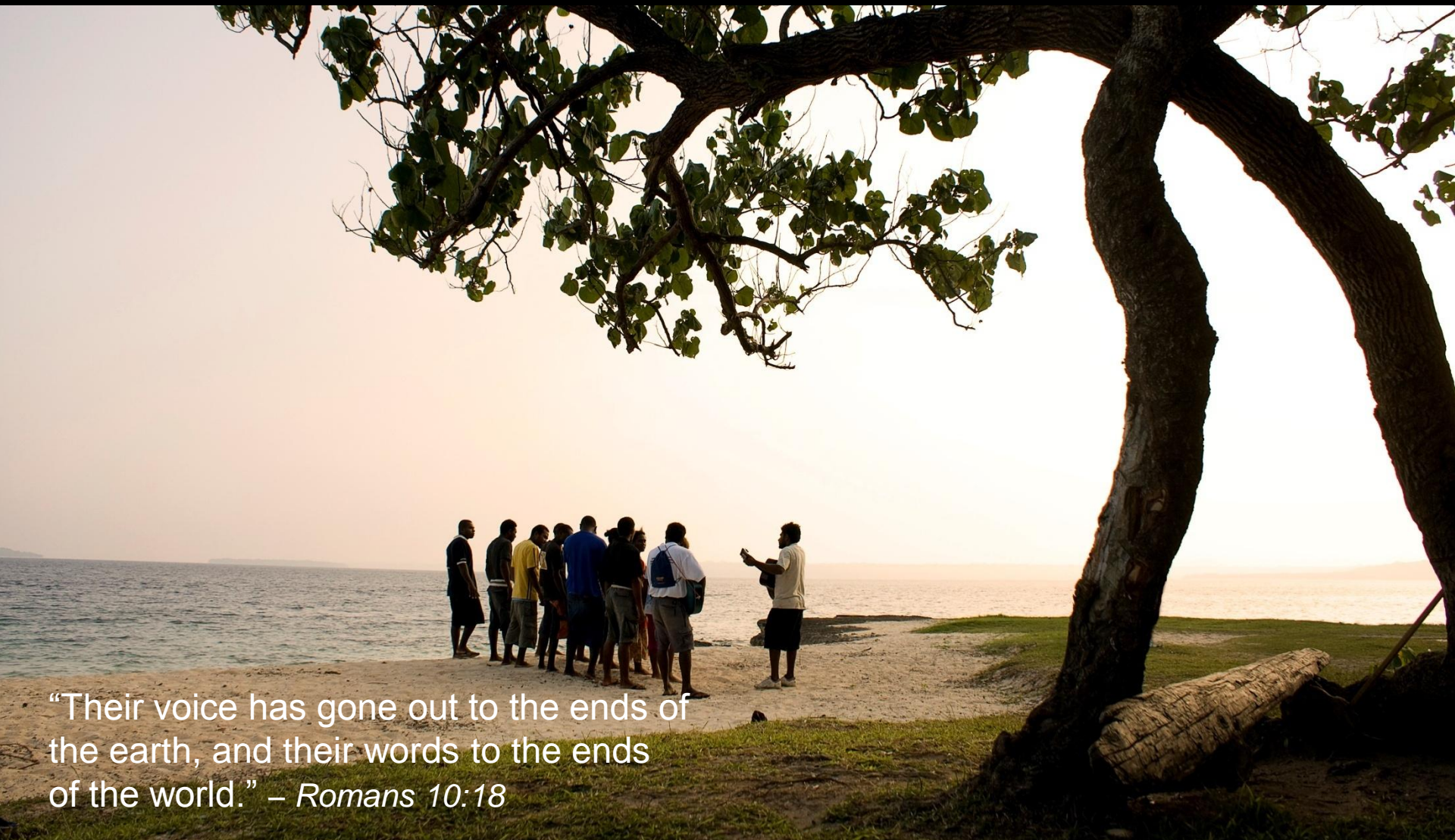
'Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called the Children of God.' – *Matthew 5:9*



The Solomon Islands

Community Development

- Building strong communities (Inclusive Communities Program)
- Climate Change
- Women's Refuge



“Their voice has gone out to the ends of the earth, and their words to the ends of the world.” – *Romans 10:18*

Vanuatu

Community Development

- Institutional Strengthening
- Water and Sanitation
- Literacy

‘For no one can anticipate the time of disaster. Like fish taken in a cruel net, and like the birds caught in a snare, so mortals are snared at a time of calamity, when it suddenly falls upon them.’

Ecclesiastes 9:12



Myanmar (Burma)

- Cyclone Rehabilitation
- Water and Sanitation
- Institutional Strengthening
- Youth Skills Training


‘Commit your way to the
Lord;
trust in him, and he will act.’

– *Psalm 37:5*



Korea

- Humanitarian Aid to the North

A photograph of a middle-aged man with dark hair, smiling broadly. He is wearing a green polo shirt with a small blue Nike logo on the left chest. He is standing outdoors in a valley. In the background, there are green, terraced hillsides, a river winding through the valley, and more mountains in the distance under a slightly overcast sky. The overall scene is peaceful and scenic.

'We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose.' *Romans 8:28*

The Philippines

Church

- Children & Youth
- Proclaiming the Gospel
- Enhancing ministry

Community

Development

- Water & Sanitation
- Food Security
- Climate Change

My sheep hear my voice.
I know them, and they follow
me.

– John 10:27



Ethiopia

- Gambella Local Assembly
- Community Libraries



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Zambia

- Integrated Community Development
- St John's Seminary



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Kenya

- Wanzauni Livelihoods Program
- East Africa Drought Crisis Response (2011)



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Sudan

- New program commenced 2011 to support Episcopal Church of Sudan's newly re-established Health Commission

Emergencies

- Global Rapid Response Fund
- Disaster Risk Reduction
- Responding to humanitarian emergencies



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