

# WALK WITH US

## SAMS IRELAND



# PRAYERFUL ATTENTION PRACTICAL COMMITMENT



**SAMS Ireland believes that mission is first and foremost an activity of God. It was God in Jesus, who bridged the gap created by sin. Through the cross and resurrection of Jesus, redemption, reconciliation and restoration became possible for humanity. Therefore, as Christians we are called and equipped by the power of the Spirit to participate in God's transformational agenda which impacts not only individuals, but also communities, and the wider world, as God's kingdom is revealed.**

SAMS endeavours to walk alongside the church in South America. In doing so, we learn from one another as we wrestle with the missional implications of 'walking in Christ.' Renowned theologian and author Sinclair Ferguson observes that: *"Walking in Christ means living a gospel-centred life, grounded in the reality of Christ's death, resurrection, and ongoing work in the believer's life. It's about embracing a new identity, citizenship, and character shaped by the gospel. This walk involves trusting in Christ, taking up the cross, and being transformed by his grace."*

The Apostle Paul used the term walk as a metaphor for daily life, conduct, and discipleship. Each of these expressions reflects a lived reality, a shared missional practice.

- *Walk in newness of life* (Romans 6:4)
- *Walk by faith, not by sight* (2 Corinthians 5:7)
- *Walk by the Spirit* (Galatians 5:16)
- *Walk in love* (Ephesians 5:2)
- *Walk as children of light* (Ephesians 5:8)

Walking together in Christ entails participating in God's missional agenda. This isn't optional - it's a calling for all Christians. In practice, this means living a life of service that stems from the ongoing work of the Holy Spirit, transforming Christians into the likeness of Christ. Therefore, as we walk together, supporting one another through life's challenges and joys, we discover the significance of belonging to the body of Christ.



***"The Christian life isn't lived within our heads; it's shared through our lips, hands and feet."***

# MANOS A LA OBRA



Mission isn't just something we do - it's who we are. It's not reserved for a select few, but is at the core of Christian discipleship. Each of us is called to love God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength - and to share that love with others. SAMS is on the ground in South America, walking alongside churches, equipping, encouraging, and partnering in God's mission of hope and transformation through:

- **Theological Education** - equipping new leaders
- **Church Planting** - nurturing new Christian communities
- **Bible Translation** - sharing God's Word in different languages
- **Youth & Children's Ministry** - inspiring the next generation
- **Church Resources** - investing in teaching materials
- **Community Development** - facilitating sustainable change
- **Hospital Chaplaincy** - bringing hope in times of need
- **Safe Houses** - supporting vulnerable children
- **Horticultural Training** - developing community food gardens and promoting environmental stewardship

Walking together in Christ means the church in Ireland and the church in South America sharing their God-given gifts, empowered by the Holy Spirit, in order to serve as one in fulfilling God's purposes. Let's step up and be part of the local church, and let's step out and invest in the church in South America.

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