PAPUA NEW GUINEA Soul Harvest Mission Inc. Taking COSPEL to the Unreached Nations (Mathew 9:37,38; 28:19 (Acts1:8))

Preayer Update 10, June-August 2017

EMS OUTREACH, JUNE 2017



At Eden Mission School, the surrounding eight villages usually invited us to share the Gospel with the villagers. We usually climb up and down the mountains to reach different villages. Hostellers (students) with their beautiful voices would present choirs and action songs and read scriptures before sharing the message. Some villages are very far and separate by many mountains. The pictures here show our visit to Nsong village church. Pastor of this church invited us to return next year to conduct leadership seminar, which we are praying about it.

EMS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS) JUNE 12-18, 2017





Teachers' Devotion Time Paul & Nancy leading teachers in a 30mins devotion and prayer time before starting the VBS program for each day.



Eden Mission School Vacation Bible School (VBS) is an important event in the yearly school calendar falls on Summer Vacation. Each year interested Christian organizations and churches in India would sponsor and send their missionaries to run VBS programs. This year, for the first time EMS VBS 2017 was fully sponsored by the body of believers in Papua New Guinea through PNG Soul Harvest Mission Inc. (PNGSHM). On behalf of the EMS teachers and students, parents and Nsong community, we are thankful and grateful to God for our sole sponsor in making EMS VBS 2017 a successful and life changing event.

Students' Devotion Time

Teachers lead the students through time of praise and worship and prayer, and teaching them new VBS songs and storytelling time.



VBS Classes

Students were group into five classes of Beginner, Primary, Junior, Intermediate and Senior, according to their age. Two teachers were assigned to each class. Each class has different levels of VBS book. Teachers teach the Bible story and lead students through different activities and memory verses for each day for one hour.



Lunch

Students brought their water bottles and eating utensil to school each day. We gave egg with noodle soup and bread with milk tea for lunch. Lunch hour is a time of gathering in small groups enjoying their food.



Class Inspection Day

During class inspection day, the VBS Director (Nancy) invited a church leader to inspect the classes. Each class was awarded with points according to disciple, dressing, and classroom decoration, recitation of memory verses. The best class gets the award at the end of the VBS program.



VBS Program Closure

Each day individual students from each class was allowed to recite the memory verses learn in VBS classes. This year two students were awarded king and queen of EMS VBS 2017. They have recited correctly all ten memory verses before the whole school. Awards and presentations of certificate to both teachers and students.





VBS 2017 Love Feast

We provided some food and with their contribution, each VBS class with their teachers prepared their own dishes and shared with other classes. This afternoon was fun visiting from one class to another tasting different taste of North East Indian curry.

EXTENDING OUR MINISTRY TO THAILAND JUL-AUG 2017



TESOL Training, Chiang Mai, Thailand

Recently we moved to Thailand upon the invitation to volunteer and teach English to Thai people and to involve in church planting and evangelism under the joint Vision 2020 of TBLT and TICC. I went through five weeks of intensive TESOL training and was certified on 04th August 2017. As part of my training I was assigned Randy, my American friend to teach English at a youth detention centre. We were not allowed to share Bible or anything related. We always prayed before and after class in our hearts that these precious young boys will be someday come to encounter Christ in their lives. We were allowed to carry food into the camp. So I usually buy fruits and chocolates and took them to class. I would read scripture over the foods and pray over them before taking it to class and distribute to students. These boys love singing. I decided to use my last lesson to teach them two songs as seeds. As I was praying night before, two songs appeared were, "Kumba Yah My Lord" & "Amazing Grace". They were able to learn faster than I had thought and were singing aloud that the whole prison camp could hear. Randy later explained the word 'Lord' in the song relating to Thai context and began sharing about Jesus Christ that day and I prayed for each one of these young boys. I was assured in my spirit that day that these boys will encounter Jesus in their lives. We are still praying for each of them to come to know the Lord.

MINISTRY IN THAILAND JUL-AUG 2017



House Church Visitation

Under Vision 2020, there are 60 house churches in different villages far apart from each other. New believers are added in each meeting. We went out one evening and visited three different place sharing the gospel, sharing food and praying for the sick special needs





House Church Visitation

This is another house church we visited. One old woman dedicates her shelter and area to the Lord as worship center. Children and youth learn songs and listen to stories, while new believers (adults) going through teachings and Bible studies.

New Church Opening, Phetchabun Province We were blessed to present a song as our thanks giving to the Lord at the official opening of a new church under vision 2020. Under vision 2020 and beyond, TBLT & TICC in partnership with other churches and mission organizations aiming to build 500 churches throughout Thailand and to invite more missionaries from overseas to serve amongst the people in different districts of Thailand. Nancy and I are blessed and encouraged to be part of this great vision for God's mission.





LONG - TERM (2021 &

5,000 NEW BELIEVERS EACH YEAR

50 CHURCHES PLANTED EACH YEAR

50 MISSIONARIES EACH YEAR

10 BRANCHES OF ILC (2-3

1 TRAINING CENTER - PETCHABOON 4 TRAINING CENTERS IN 4 REGIONS

BRANCHES IN EACH REGION)

4 SEMINARIES (TBS IN 4 REGIONS)

BEYOND)

• ONE MILLION CHRISTIANS BY THE END OF 2020 **A CHURCH IN EVERY SUB-DISTRICT** •100.000 CHRISTIANS PARTICIPATING IN THE VISION

TBLT & TICC'S VISION

MEDIUM – TERM (2020)

10,000 NEW BELIEVERS

100 CHURCHES PLANTED

100 PASTORS TRAINED

20 MISSIONARIES

CENTERS (ILC)

SHORT - TERM (2017)

- 2,000 NEW BELIEVERS
- 20 CHURCHES PLANTED
- 20 PASTORS TRAINED
- 5 MISSIONARIES
- 1 INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE 5 INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE CENTER (ILC)
- 1 SEMINARY (TBS PETCHABOON) 1 SEMINARY (TBS – PETCHABOON)
- 1 TRAINING CENTER

Our Ministry Place



Front view from outside



Inside view of the Worship Centre

This is Nong Bua House Church at Nong Bua District in Nakhon Sawan Province. The church members are currently renting this building monthly to use as a worship center to cater for growing new believers in that area. This house church is mostly made up of about fifty old people recently accepted Christ. Nancy and I are arranged to live and serve amongst people of Nong Bua district. We were taken to Nong Bua House Church one Sunday and we were introduced to the Church members. The rooms where we will be residing are still under maintenance. We will move there as soon as maintenance is complete. This house church has bought a piece of land about a kilometer away from current worship center. We will be starting English Learning Center there and to involve in

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church planting and evangelism youth and children ministry.



"Thank you all for your constant prayer support, moral and financial support. May God bless each of you abundantly. We are looking forward to take another step forward by the grace of God in God's mission."

Paul & Nancy

Prayer Points

- 1. Eden Mission School, India: We have arranged a lady missionary friend from India who moved to EMS this month to teach Bible at school lead the religious programs of the school. Her name is Senti. She is using our quarter with other two teachers. Prayer that she will adjust well with the new environment. Continue to pray for students and teachers there.
- 2. Thailand Ministry: We have prayerfully decided and moved to Thailand to extend our ministry here. We are allocated a mission field, which we will involve Teaching English, Church planting and Evangelism, Youth and Children Ministry. Pray that God will fully use us to accomplish what He want done in and through our lives here in Thailand.
- 3. Thai Visas and Work Permit: Nancy is applying for work permit and I will travel to Malaysia on 26th August to change the status of my Thai Visa in order to apply for work permit. Pray for success in the processing of our visas and work permit.
- 4. New Member to Our Family: We are expecting our first baby by October 2017. Pray that Nancy and the baby to be in good health and for normal delivery.

We covet your faithful prayers and grateful for your faithfulness in partnering with us in God's mission. All praise, honor and glory due to HIS Name.

NOTICE

- Through PNGSHM, individual and families sponsors we have secured and completed fees of 25 EMS students. Most of these students came from broken or poor family. About ten of them children of pastors and evangelists. Some sponsor money is in PNGSHM account. We will visit the school next year to distribute the fees.
- For more information regarding child sponsor or ministry of Paul and Nancy in India/Thailand; you can contact our PNGSHM office through Mr. Makona Gina (PNGSHM Inc. President) on <u>72850567 / makona.gina@gmail.com</u> or Mr. Aine Kombuk (PNGSHM Inc. Accountant) on <u>72231632 / 72120132 / akombuk@bsp.com.pg</u>.
- ✓ If you are interested to partner and become a member of PNGSHM Inc. Contact above mentioned names or you can email at pngshm@gmail.com. You can follow PNGSHM on <u>https://www.facebook.com/PNGSHM/</u>

Thank you!

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