

THAILAND GOSPEL TELEGRAM

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"So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it."
Isaiah 55:11 ASV



Chiang Mai city filled with smog

It is now that time of year that the northern part of Thailand is experiencing unhealthy levels of pollution from pm 2.5 microfine dust from all the slash and burn farming from both inside the country and neighboring countries. In recent years this has been an ongoing environmental issue that has yet to be resolved. This pollution makes the city we live in one of the most polluted cities in the world during this time of year. We ask that you please pray for our city, that God will be merciful and send the much needed rain and wind to help clear up the air in our city.

The Orphanage



The children of the orphanage

We thank God that He is with the children of Suk Jai Children's Home and has led them through another year. This year we have altogether 24 children. In about a weeks time the students at the orphanage will be on their summer vacation for about 2 months. Their classes will resume again on the 17th of May. This year one of the older girls named Na see will be finishing high school and will continue her education at a nurse's aid school in the city of Chiang Mai. Her course will take around 6 months to complete. We ask that you please keep her in your prayers since this will be her first time coming into the city to study and it will be a new and different environment for her. This year we will also be accepting 2-3 new children at the orphanage since we will now have some vacancies available. During the children's summer vacation we plan to have a number of activities for the children like VBS and music classes. We ask that you please continue to pray for the children that they will grow up to

be good adults and ultimately people that God can use to further His kingdom.

News from the Churches

Mae Gone Church

We began our ministry in this village in 1996. We praise God that about 1 year later in 1997 a majority of the villagers of this village accepted Christ as their Lord and Savior and were baptized. Since then more and more people and families living in this village have accepted Christ.



father and his daughter



Mother Na-suh

Up until recently there was just 2 more families in this village that have yet to accept Christ. The families are a father and mother and their daughter. The father name is Ya-theh 86 years old, the mother name is Na-suh 84 years old, the daughter name is Na-kaw 65 years old. The daughter is married so she is now a separate family, so the daughter's family includes the daughter and her husband. The father of this family is from a line of witch doctors that have been passed down from generation to generation. We have been ministering to these 2 families, sharing the Gospel with them and praying for them for the last 27 years. Throughout the 27 years that they have been hearing God's word it has not gone to waste and the seed that was planted came to fruition in God's time (God's word living and active does not return him void). We praise God that finally on the 12th of December 2022 God worked in their hearts and both of these families accepted Christ and were baptized. After about 2 months of becoming Christians the son in law of this family suddenly died from an illness that he had for many years. We ask that you please pray for this family of new believers that their faith in God may continue to grow and be strengthen despite their loss.



Tom and Linda visiting Kae Noi church

On the 18th of January to the 8th of February, Ruth and I got the chance to welcome our forwarding agents Tom and Linda who came to visit us from the U.S. for the first time after the pandemic. We took both Tom and Linda to visit the different churches we ministered in. We felt blessed that Tom prepared a



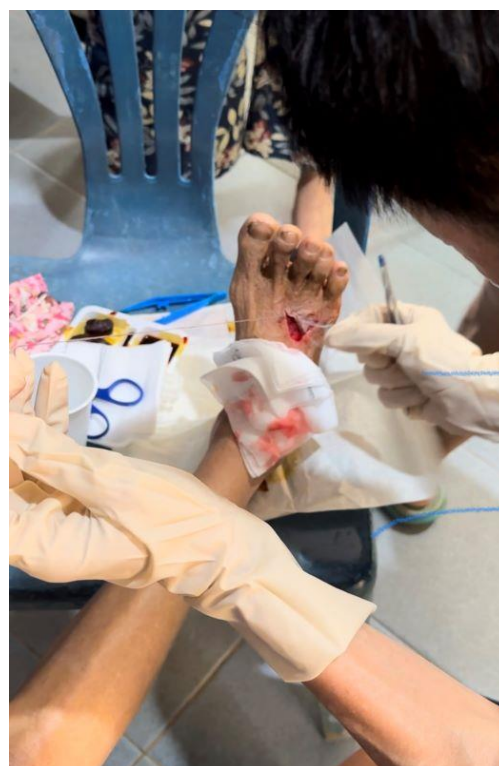
Tom sharing the message



Teaching at Bible conference



Linda teaching the children at the orphanage



doctor is stitching up the wound of a village lady who had a motorcycle accident



Bible conference

On the 5th-8th of March, we held a Bible Teaching Conference and Medical Ministry at Mae Gone village. The Bible teaching was held in the morning and night while the

medical ministry was held in the afternoon to evening. The medical ministry is one of the ways in which we spread the Gospel by showing God's love to non-believers as we welcomed all people from the village and surrounding villages both believers and non-believers to come and get a medical check up free of charge. We want to show them that as Christians our God loves them and cares for them very much, so we as His servants have come in His name to care for them. We would like to sincerely thank the mission team from

Singapore who have dedicated their time in coming to serve God together with us.



Ruth and her assistants cooked daily meals for those who attended the Bible conference



Group photo of those who attended this Bible Conference and Medical Ministry

Nong Khio Church



Abel and minister Law lo

Minister Law Lo and his wife Na ma have been serving at this village and church for over 30 years. Before the covid pandemic, Law Lo got a stroke because of his high blood pressure. In the same year, his only son got into a motorcycle accident and fell into a coma and later passed away. His son died leaving behind two little daughters. This event has left minister Law Lo in a bad condition so we ask that you please keep his family in your prayers that God will be with them to strengthen and encourage them through their time of difficulty. The minister Law lo and his wife told us that it's time to find a new pastor to replace him. Please pray with us to find a new pastor for this church.

We also praise God that 5teenagers from Nong khio village have decided to accept Christ as their Savior. They will be baptized in the next 2 weeks

We are grateful for your continued support. Through your support God is blessing our work in many ways. May God continue to bless your work and outreach for Him.