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NEWSLETTER - 2ND QTR. 2020

Dear Friends in Christ,

We thank the Lord for His goodness and mercy to us here during these past several months. We've had no one in our congregation affected by the "virus" and only 2 or 3 in our whole town but no fatalities.

Ministry Updates

- We were forced to cancel all of our normal summer activities this year as the country was on lockdown during those months of April and May - no Bible Clubs, no VBS, no camps, no mission outreaches, no anything for the first time since we began ministry here. Although disappointing for us we know the Lord is still on His throne. I told our staff - "next summer we double our efforts!"
- One positive note is that because everyone was initially forced to stay home for worship on Sundays, it has helped to develop spiritual leadership in many of the men in our church family. I'm sure this will help strengthen our church in the long run.
- We have returned to our church building for worship since last June. There are however, many protocols still in place regarding limited passengers for public transportation which increases the cost per person. Also, those 20 and below and 60 and above are not supposed to go out in public and so we are seeing only about half of our normal congregation on Sundays. Please pray for the government here to be reasonable regarding protocols and for our church family to be faithful despite the challenges.
- Since public schools cannot yet meet and all the children are in their homes our staff are going from place to place holding mini Bible Clubs and Sunday Schools for around 100 children weekly.

Visit our website at:
www.mcbcministries.org

- We thank the Lord for the funding that came in allowing us to homeschool the 2 boys in our children's home - Philip and Christian. Two young ladies who were saved and discipled in our ministry here (also degreed teachers) agreed to teach them. We have converted one of the upstairs bedrooms into their classroom.

They are using the same desks that our children used 20 years ago! The Lord certainly has provided everything needed for all of the children in our orphanage for which we are very thankful.

Prayer Requests

- **More souls to be saved** - my wife and I have recently witnessed to a man slightly younger than myself who is diabetic and having dialysis twice weekly. Pray for his salvation.
- **Personal vehicle** - please pray we can get a newer one soon.

We pray the Lord will continue to bless each of you and we thank you for your faithful prayers and support on our behalf. We especially pray for those churches who are undergoing persecution for your willingness to meet for worship (despite the wrongful mandates of your local government), that God will give you wisdom and discernment for these times! May Jesus Christ be honored and exalted in all of our lives and ministries even during difficult times - He certainly is worthy!

Serving the Master,
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Christian and Philip
ready for homeschool!



Young adults' recent fellowship!