



Children in Naga Village

Asian Gospel Outreach

Spreading the Gospel in Southeast Asia

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Greetings from Thailand!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We hope and pray that you all are doing fine as the Lord Jesus watches over you all. We are doing fine as the Lord keeps us under His guidance and protection. The Lord has blessed us with many blessings. God added many souls to His Kingdom as our evangelists are going to villages with the Gospel.



Picking the spot to build the little dam for baptism



Portable baptistry--Joseph Gwa's version



Die, bury, and rise with Jesus Christ

House of Hope Children

The Lord brought 19 new kids to House of Hope in Myitkyina. Some of the older students completed their preaches while the Kids do the singing and gospel drama. At Myitkyina House of Hope, they have 51 students and 3 families with their kids are helping to take care of the kids. For the House of Hope in HTeebaw, Shan State, the numbers of students has raised up to 39. Shan State is part of Myanmar of union and it is bordering with China in the northeast, bordering with Laos in the southeast, and bordering with Thailand in the south. It is very well-known as the target for human trafficking. Children; boys and girls are taken for sex and illegal labor. God put our evangelist in the area to spread His Good News and to help train the new servants for God's Kingdom.

Brother Barak Dapulu and Ahna are watching over the children with the team of elders there. This year they have 6 new students. All of them are from the non Christian background and now they are in Christ. Praise to the Lord! The new students are from the tribe of Shan, Palaung, and Jingpo. At the City of Tachilek, the heart golden Triangle, brother Sai Tun and his wife Ahdu are serving the Lord with the Shan, Ahka, and Lahu people. They have 18 children there.

At Still Water we have decided that we are taking in too many new kids due to our limited support and with Leah and I are not very strong physically. We have 7 students. The oldest is 17 years old. The youngest is 6. The youngest is a boy by the name of Moses. He is very smart and nice little boy. He lives up to his name. Moses! He is showing his leadership character even though he is a little boy. He is also a happy boy. His father has been in prison for about a year now and he will be there for the next 25 years or so. His father was drugs addicted man and shot the police when the police tried to arrest him. His father was a threat to his mother also. He has a sister and a little sister. His single mother asked us to take him in. It is hard to deny him.

Besides Moses, we have accepted another boy. He is a son of a poor Christian evangelist family that we have known for many years. Sitifa and Ahlema have been serving in many villages for about 14 years. Just in the turning of the year, Sitifa's father got stroke and has been hospital for over a month. He finally was dismissed from the hospital but he cannot walk and can't work in the field as before. Sitifa as the oldest son has to be responsible in supporting the paralyzed father, so he decided to go to work to support the family and asked us to take his son Lazarus in. Sitifa spoke to us with tears.

Planting Season and Prayers

Leah and I have been praying that we have evangelists in Naga Hills, Kachin State, and Rangoon. That is big burden for us. We have many maintenance work to do around Still Water. Joseph has been busy with the rice planting right now. It is a growing season. He planted about 5 acres of rice on the hills east of Myitkyina and he planning to grow about ten acres of paddy rice (wet land). He also planted 300 orange trees this weekend. Leah and I are planning about half of an acre of rice and some corn. We can not do as much as we did in the past. We both are not in a good shape to bend down to pull weeds like we once use to do. We are teaching the kids and going out as much as God open the door for us.



Joseph is preaching

