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India Mission Update May-Oct 2024

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MISSION REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY-OCT 2024

"I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." Phillipians 4:13

Greetings in the precious name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Do appreciate all your prayers for our mission work in India and for our family.

The following are the activities of the mission work:

For the month of May - On 4th and 5th May, at Bethany church, Asifabad two day meetings took place. Pray for Pastor Pavan and his family. The Pastor's wife, has been sick on an off but doing well now. Pray the growth of Bethany Church. Pastor A. Emmanuel and Pastor Anand Kumar ministered the Word of God. On 11th and 12th revival meetings took place at Bethesda Church, Kolvai. Do pray for Pastor Joseph and his family and also pray for his son and daughter's career. Pastor Prakash preached the Word. On 18th and 19th Christian Church at Rompally regular meetings took place. This place is in the very remoted place away from towns and villages with less public transportation. Pray for Pastor Anand Kumar and his family. Pastor Reuben shared the Word of God. On 25th and 26th fasting prayer meetings took place at Kamanapally Church; where Naresh is the pastor. Pastor Lazar preached the Word.

For the month of June - on 1st and 2nd Fasting Prayers were conducted at Elim Church, Dandepally. Pastor Kiran Kumar and Pastor Lazar spoke and encouraged the church during those days. Pray for the spiritual growth of the church. We are looking for a good pastor to shepherd the church. For the time being pastors from our nearby mission churches are looking after the worship sevice; and once in a while few of our brethren from Life Gate Tabernacle are visiting them once or twice a month for their worship services. From 6th to 9th Bi-yearly Pastors' Conference was conducted at our missions' headquarters at Kakainada. On the last day of the meeting, graduation service of bible school took place as well as naming ceremony of the son of Bro. Jonathan Paul took place. Bro. P A Swamy, myself and

others preached during the conference. On 15th and 16th at Bethany Church, Bellampally two days fasting meeting took place; Pastor A. Emmanuel preached the Word. Do pray for the growth of the church. On 23rd Sunday as well as on 30th Sunday, Shalem Church, Thukkuguda was visited with Bro. KSM Peter, Bro. John Suresh, Bro. Kamalakar and myself. We shared the Word of God and also spoke to the brethren to take of few things that needed to be corrected.

For the month of July - On 6th and 7th Fasting prayers were conducted; Pastor Lazar shared the Word of God and strengthened the believers over there. The re-construction work was stalled due to some issues from local people. It's been several years the foundation of the new building has stopped. Pray that the Lord may intervene so that a new permit may be issued for the church building. On 7th Shalem Church, Thukkuguda was visited for their worship service to strengthen the believers and pastor. On 10th the house of a church member of Jehovah Nissi Church was dedicated. Several gentiles, relatives and church members attended the open-air tent meeting; followed by a fellowship meal. On 18th Wedding Reception of Chinna Bhaskar's daughter took place at Hubli, karnataka state. Many attended the special occasion; it was a very good time of singing, preaching and word of exhortation to the newly wed couples. Myself and Bro. Kamalakar shared the message. On 28th Dedication Service at Zion Church, Rachepally took place as they have re-roofed the church building (as old roof was leaking for many years). Along with the roof, new tiles were laid on the floor, walls were raised a few inches and painted. It was a great joy to see the church building having a new look. Myself, Bro. Sam Wesley and Bro. Kamalakar took part in the special services. Pray for Pastor Moshe (Paul Moses) and his family.

For the month of August - On 3rd and 4th, Fasting prayers were conducted at Philadelphia church, Kawalla. Pray for Pastor Naresh and his family. On 10th and 11th two-day meetings were conducted at Battapally (a nearby mission to Rachepally church). Pastor Moshe (Paul Moses) is looking after the mission at Battapally (Sun. 9:00-11:00am) and Rachepally (Sun. 11:30am to 1:30pm). We have few mission churches that are lacking pastors; do pray that Lord of the Harvest sends labourers on the field. On 15th Youth Meeting was conducted at Life Gate Tabernacle, Hyderabad (for three mission churches namely, Shalem Church, Jehovah Nissi and LGT) with Guest Speaker Bro. Charles Theodore. The country's Independence day holiday was made best use by having all the youth come together and great time in the house of the Lord. On 24th and 25th, two day fasting prayer meetings were conducted at Bethany Church, Sompally; Pastor Vijay Kumar of Paloncha share the Word of God. Pray for Pastor Ch. Ravi Kumar as he also looks after another mission church at Sarapaka.

For the month of September - On 7th and 8th Two days meetings at Life Gate Tabernacle took place with Guest Speaker Bro. Samuel for Saturday service and for Sunday service Bro. John Paul (Engineer). It was a good time of preaching and revival. Also, on 7th and 8th Fasting prayers were conducted as usual so that nearby mission church members could come and have spiritual guidance and fellowship. Pastor Kiran Kumar, Bro. Sam Wesley, Bro. Johnson shared the Word of God. Also on 14th and 15th at Bethel Church, Mangela two day fasting prayers were conducted; Pastor Paulu and Pastor Aharon

For the month of October - On 5th and 6th as usual every month at Elim Church, Dandepally fasting prayer on saturday and worship service went well with many nearby mission churches attending the services; Bro. Kamalakar preached the Word of God. On 12th and 13th Rehoboth Church, Ellaram two day meeting took place; Pastor Benny shared God's Word and on 19th and 20th fasting prayers took place at Bethany Church, Asifabad. Pray for Pastor Pavan and his family. On 24th and 25th Church

Building Anniversary meetings took place at Jehovah Nissi Church, NFC Nagar. Bro. Matthew Henry and myself preached the Word of God.

On 10th October, my granddaughter (Elsie's daughter) 1st Birthday was celebrated with a special thanksgiving meeting at Life Gate Tabernacle, Hyderabad. My grand-daughter was named as Elenor Ashna. There was good gathering with singing, preaching and witness. About 100 people attended the meeting with dinner. As soon I returned to India, once again church meetings were conducted from 11th to 13th of October at Life Gate Tabernacle, Hyderabad with Guest Speaker Bro. John Paul (of Gautamnagar). The theme was about Rapture. Many souls were revived.

Though I was attending mission's conference(s) and reporting about the mission work in India during the month of August, September and first week of October in the USA; the mission work in the Telangana continued as usual. I am indeed thankful for those who gave me an opportunity to preach and share the progress of the mission work.

Special prayers are needed for:

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| 1. Christmas evangelical meetings in the church members houses of Life Gate Tabernacle from the last week of November till the third week of December. | 2. Holy Convocation at the missions' head quarters in Kakinada from 13th to 15th January 2025. | 3. Regional Meetings at Dandepally (for the whole area of Telangana mission churches) from 3rd to 5th February 2025. |
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It would be indeed great if each supporting church would help to take up a "Christmas-offering" for the 45 pastors and their families, who are ministering in Telangana area. It would be a great blessing to the pastors on the mission field. Hope you would consider with your generous offering during the Christmas season.

Have a great Christ centered Christmas by singing carols, proclaiming the good news about His birth; and enter with thanksgiving and praise into the New Year to be blessed and a blessings to one and all.

In Christ Jesus,
Bro. Robert Emmanuel
Missionary to India

Enclosed as attachment: Some pictures of the meetings



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