Mission Outreach

Monthly Report

May 2019

Restoration & Multiplication

I have just returned to NZ from 7 weeks of ministry in Asia starting with an amazing and very fruitful time at the Catch the Wind Conference in Bangkok, where about 300 people had gathered from 28 nations.

It was a time to renew old relationships and establish new ones. We met many leaders from ARNA (Access Restricted Nations of Asia) and I am so blessed that we have now restored full partnership with these amazing men and women of God.

Opportunities have opened up to partner and minister with our good friends in Pakistan and Afghanistan with a smorgasbord of exciting, life giving and body building projects in both countries. There is a great need for Bibles and training along with water purification systems and schools. We will report more on all those later. We are also planning a ministry team to Pakistan and a small team to visit Afghanistan later this year.

At the beginning of March Warren, Matthew and myself continued the teaching and imparting to Nepal pastors. As a result, we now have 690 churches involved and they have

committed to train 11,630 of their people. This is so encouraging because this training is in response to the vision the Lord showed Samuel and I to establish 1000 Equipping Centres in one year. So we are over half way in only 6 months!



I am very pleased to report that Pastor Samuel Rai of Nepal will be visiting NZ in July this year and we have meetings scheduled in Whangarei, Auckland and Tauranga. Also, later this year, Dr Asher of Pakistan will be with us so we will be updating regarding meetings with him.

Since I took up the Directorship of MO ten months ago, we have seen our membership and giving grow as many old and new friends have joined us. We believe the Lord's heart is that of multiplication here and overseas and our desire



is to serve the Church in NZ and in Asia however we can. Whether it be through encouragement, training or the provision of the Word of God, we desire to see the Lord's body grow in all the nations the Lord gives us to work in.

The Lord is building a great team around us, people who love the Lord and all that MO stands for and its legacy and vision for the future. We live in exciting days albeit challenging with the increase in persecution worldwide. Our brothers and sisters in ARNA need our prayers, encouragement and support. Our country also needs our prayers as the enemy seeks to destroy all that is God in this nation.

Thank you for your love and support

Neil Director

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COUNTRY REPORTS

RELEASING THE GIFTS

It has been exciting to be part of the teaching and training of pastors and leaders in West Nepal in the early part of March of this year. Conferences were held in the cities of Nepalgunj and Dhangadhi.



Both of these cities are major gateways into India as they lie on the Nepali / Indian border and this meant that there were a few delegates attending who oversaw networks of churches in Northern India.

All leaders who attend the Pastor's training are part of the Body Builders vision and commit to disciple 20 new converts within a one year time frame. This is part of the bigger vision to train 1000 leaders by the end of 2019 and see 20,000 new believers come into the Kingdom.

Many Nepali people are coming to Christ and this has created the need for the training of leaders so the Body of Christ can come into a place of maturity. The main emphasis in the teaching has been on Ephesians 4 where the Apostle Paul teaches on the five leadership gifts Christ gave to his church.

In countries like Nepal, where God is moving by His spirit, it is imperative that the gift of the apostle, prophet, evangelist, pastor and teacher are recognized and released to serve the church because these are the leaders God uses to equip saints and see the body grow up into maturity to be like Christ the head. An integral part of this maturity is to see Nepal strengthen and develop its ability to thrust out labourers into the harvest fields of other nations.

The teaching was very well received, particularly in a nation that primarily defines leaders in the Body of Christ as pastors. As the body releases the founding leadership gifts of apostles and prophets, the church begins to gain traction at both regional and national levels because the men gifted and graced to spearhead the advance of the church are positioned where they need to be. What an exciting time for this nation and what an honour to serve the Lord in this season to bring in the harvest where so many are humbly acknowledging the Lordship of Christ.

Blessings Matthew

MULTIPLYING HIS KINGDOM

At the end of 15 training sessions at each conference, I was reminded of John 17:17-20: "Sanctify them in the truth: Your word is truth. As You sent Me into the world, I have also sent them. And for their sakes I sanctify Myself, that they themselves also be sanctified in truth. I do not ask on behalf of these alone, but for those also who believe in Me through their words."

Jesus was praying for US!

Think of the day you were sanctified through faith in Christ, and imagine if you were able to go back conversation by conversation, you would eventually arrive back to the moment Jesus prayed this prayer for us 2000 years ago. We are the ones who have believed through the disciples words. How wonderful it is to be seeing His Kingdom expand this way in Nepal.

Within our western culture, it is hard to describe how hungry the Nepalese church leaders are for His truths. Whilst the interpreter would translate our words, we were able to observe their response.....indescribable!!

At the end of some of the sessions we saw the Holy Spirit minister His power as He promised and distributed His gifts. As we prayed for them to be baptised in the Holy Spirit, he healed their hearts and bodies and delivered them from demonic strongholds.



As a result of the training launched in Oct 2018, 'multiplication' has gone far beyond our expectations. We are not even 6 months into the goal of 1000 Training Centres in one year, and

we have already trained 690. The leaders that we originally trained, are reporting that their trainees have now become the trainers of new recruits within weeks. It is gloriously out of our control, but firmly in the Holy Spirit's control!

Thank you for your support that puts us before such humble and hungry leaders. Blessings Warren



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PROJECTS IN FOCUS

MAY 2019

BAWM Bible Translation, Bangladesh

The Bawm people are one of 11 ethnic groups in Bangladesh with a population of about 16,000-20,000. It claims to be 100% Christian. Rev. L. Dolian laboured to develop the Bawm alphabet and had it first printed in 1952. In 1989, he led the team to complete the translation of the BAWM bible and printing. However, as society develops and Bawm youth also change, there is a need for the Bible to be translated into a form that the young generation can easily understand. In response to these changes, the Rev. began working on a new translation in 2012, but passed away in 2016, leaving two books to be translated. We invite you to help with the final push to complete the new translation this year so it is ready for printing in 2020.

Total Commitment: \$7000 **Balance Needed: \$3875**

MALE SOW Training

School of Workers (SOW) Training is a very effective discipleship training programme used extensively by our contacts in Asia and beyond. We thank you for generous your support for this project and thank the Lord for helping us complete this. We pray it have an exponential growth effect on the church in the Maldives.

Total Commitment: \$7500

CMTC Bible College -Monthly commitment \$1600

Nepal Radio Programme -Monthly commitment \$700



MYANMAR New Testaments

Events of the last decade have increased worldly influences on the youth of Myanmar, who make up 20% of Myanmar's population. This has sparked a vision for one million Myanmar-English New Testaments to be distributed to youth across the country. MO is committed to purchasing 1000 New Testaments towards this vision.

Total Commitment: \$8000 Balance Needed: \$3364

NEPAL 1000 Equipping Centres



This is a project of multiplication we train and equip 1000, who in turn equip up to 20 leaders each, which equals up to 20,000 church leaders equipped in one year. The second two equipping conferences of six, was held last month in West Nepal.

To complete this project we need to print a total of 80,000 copies of books & teaching materials. Praise the Lord that we are now well over half way to achieving this and believe that with your help we will reach our goal by the end of August.

Total Commitment: \$127,000 Balance needed: \$48,000



MAY 2019

RESPONSE COUPON

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PRAYER ROOM IN FOCUS

There has been no shortage of things to pray about over these last two months, with what is going on in China and the murder of 50 Muslims in Christchurch.

Prayer has continued especially while 4 of our people were away, first in Bangkok for the Ethnos Asia Conference and then in Nepal for the Equipping training and Womens's ministry.

We have spent much time in prayer for our brothers and sisters in China, who are facing severe persecution, all kinds of restrictions and in some cases imprisonment. We have been praying for the Uyghur minority group in West China for many years as they have faced much persecution, but now the Governments harassment is being applied to Christians all across the land. Please pray with us for the Chinese believers as we are encouraged to in Hebrews 13:3.



Please continue to pray for Nepal, that this window of opportunity continues to be open. The team from NZ is home again but the training continues as the goal is to mobilise leaders who will train others in the five-fold ministry gifts of Ephesians 4. Also pray for Pastor Samuel and Mangali that they may get the healing they need.

We often pray for Africa, mainly Kenya, Uganda and

South Sudan, as some of our prayer warriors have a calling from God to help in this area of the World. With natural disasters and civil war there is much to pray about, but with the fantastic growth in the Kingdom of God in these countries there is also much to thank God for.

Lastly, New Zealand needs true, lasting peace and healing which can only come from our Father God. According to 2 Chronicles 7:14 the ball is in the NZ believer's court. "If my people who are called by my name (that's us) will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, (that's all us) then will I hear from Heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land." - That's our loving, faithful, gracious Saviour! Amen.

Afghanistan & Pakistan

The work of the Kingdom of God in Afghanistan continues to grow rapidly. This may not be that apparent to the casual observer but to those with a heart to hear God, it is amazing. Please pray for the Afghani Government, that God would give them courage and wisdom as some of the opposition forces try to enforce power-sharing with the legitimate Government, which would be a backward step. Pray for wisdom and protection for President Asraf Ghani and his wife Rula. Also pray for God's Angels to be released over the land to protect the thousands of new Christians.

In Pakistan we are grateful to God for the season of harvest. There are fantastic things happening all over this land. While we have this opportunity let us pray that Pakistani Christians will be active in sharing their faith. Pray for Prime Minister Imran Khan, that he would rule fairly and with justice and that his heart will be open to receive the revelation of the one true God. We ask for special prayer for Dr Asher's uncle and wife. These lovely people manage a large hospital in a dangerous city close to the border with Afghanistan. Pray for protection, courage, boldness, wisdom and the favour of our loving Father.

Dr Asher's mother and father, do an awesome work where they live, especially amongst the tribal people in the district. Pray for Stella that the deterioration in her eyes be reversed.



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TEAMS & VISITING SPEAKERS

Dr Samuel & Mangali Rai

Samuel &

Mangali will be visiting NZ from 5 to 23 July. Since founding GTN Nepal in 1994



Samuel has shared the gospel with 100,000's, trained 1000's and distributed 100,000's of bibles and tracts. It is a great pleasure and honour to have this delightful, high energy charismatic speaker and faithful, commited couple in our midst this year.

Their current itinerary is:

- 7 July Whangarei (venue to be confirmed)
- **10-12 July** City Impact Church, North Shore, Auckland
- 14 July Faithpointe Church, West Harbour, Auckland
- **15 July** MO Prayer Meeting, Tauranga
- **21 July** Hope Centre Church, BC Events Centre, Bethlehem, Tauranga

Team to Pakistan:

We are in the process of planning a team to visit Pakistan later this year. If you are interested in joining us on this trip, please email us for more information.



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