

# Mordh's Missions Newsletter

Ministry of International Asian Mission Cooperative - Church Planting in Metro Manila – Sent by Grace Bapt. Church, Marion, IA

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### Christmas with a Form of Godliness but no power...

Rom. 1:16 "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto Salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek."

The above verse teaches us about how Paul saw Bible Gospel as the Powerful Force from God to Save the Souls of men from the Penalty of sin and the lake of fire. In fact, the Bible teaches the Lord Jesus came to this earth for the distinct purpose of providing humanity the opportunity to become God's sons by receiving His Righteousness. (John 1:12; Romans 10:3,4,9-13)



While Christmas around the world has become just another holiday to be with family and friends instead of a celebration of the incarnation of our Lord Jesus Christ, Praise God for the Filipino's heart desire to know the truth about Jesus Christ's genuine salvation along with their openness to listen to the Gospel and receive God's Gift...

We are seeing hundreds of souls come to the Lord during this time building towards the Christmas Holiday. The Philippines intensely celebrate the Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Holiday with many



Fireworks (like USA at 4th of July), Family gatherings, School parties, Choirs, and Community activities. Because they are a catholic nation,

they have a good understanding of Jesus Christ and at Christmas they



easily understand Grace vs Works/ Religion upon using the illustration of the "Gift." What a joy to watch them replace their dead, cultural religion with an understanding of Grace, loving eternal forgiveness, and a genuine Relationship with their God and Saviour. Below are photos of the many being Saved!



### Latest Church Plant News

The doors remain open to preach the Gospel at the Police Stations and the Public Schools. We see many police officers both saved and growing in Bible Principles... (below police were given Bibles)



It is exciting to visit our new church plant works in the rural areas that are preaching the Gospel of Hope!



### Please Pray for my Wife

We prayerfully request supporting Churches and our many friends to pray for Laurinda & the rest of our family as this last month we saw her mother go home to the Lord following a long illness. The photo below is the family singing about Heaven at the funeral service...



### Contact & Prayer Needs

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#### Fervent, Effectual Prayers Needed:

- 1) cont. open door to Win Many Souls
- 2) more US churches for monthly support > Operating at 75% of needed support <
- 3) travel safely to Church Plant locations
- 4) new Local Baptist Church Plant in Naga & San Isidro (Bicol) & now in Metro Cavite
- 5) pray for Anniversary of our new church ministry to the Filipinos in Hsinchu, Tiawan
- 6) Pray for our soon coming new local church plant in Davao City, Mindanao
- 7) Tagaytay Church's lot & bldg purchase (paid most of debt & starting their bldg)
- 8) pray for Police Outreach / Discipleship
- 9) pray for my wife's father (Milton) for health needs and our whole family's grief with the death of my wife's mother

**Praise:** God provided Ig donation through a Phoenix Church Agency to plant more churches, assist in finances, & reach souls