



News from Nepal

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Greetings Co-laborers in Christ,

Praise God! The old year is gone, and a new year has begun. We resolve to continue our labor for the Lord Jesus Christ and His everlasting gospel with expectation of His glorious return!

Then I saw another angel flying in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach to those who dwell on the earth--to every nation, tribe, tongue, and people. - Revelation 14:6

CHITWAN AREA – MERCY CENTER & MERCY HOME ORPHANAGE

Pastor Pandey and his son Sanish continue to faithfully labor with Trinity Reformed Church and the Mercy Home Orphanage in the Chitwan area. The Chitwan District is one of seventy-seven districts of Nepal, and takes up the southwestern corner of Bagmati Province. Bharatpur, the largest city of Nepal after Kathmandu, is its administrative center. Right now, there are seven churches that Pastor Pandey and Sanish are working with in this large area. Traveling to these scattered churches is very difficult. Please pray for Pastor Pandey and Sanish as they often visit these remote areas to provide Biblical encouragement and teaching.



CELEBRATING CHRIST'S BIRTH

Because these churches are in the steep foothills of the Himalayas, government officials rarely visit. The Pandey's see this as an opportunity to reach out to these isolated villages in the name of Christ. Often this involves something as simple as providing food. In another case, they were able to minister to a man whose home was destroyed by a forest fire. This has opened the door to start a Sunday school and a regular day school for children, ages three to seven. There was no school in this village and children had to walk for an hour one way to attend the nearest school. There is still a serious need for teachers as well as



THE NEW SCHOOL

a better place to house our school. Please pray for Pastor Pandey and Sanish as they seek to help rural village churches and for the solid establishment of this new school.

The Mercy Center ministry is a key component of WBM's ministry in the Chitwan area. It serves as a meeting place for the church, classrooms, and an orphanage. Currently the orphanage has eighteen children. Fencing is needed around the property for the protection of the children and the facility. Please pray that funds will be provided for the fencing project.

KATHMANDU – BETHLEHEM MERCY CENTER & SLUM AREA

Janak and Pastor Purna continue to serve Christ in Kathmandu and the three surrounding districts. In December, a Gospel Christmas program was held in the slum area for all the children. Each child was given a small gift in Jesus' name. They are being taught God's word and of His love. Pray that these precious ones will come to trust in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior.

The slum area Christians give thanks to God and to you our supporters for helping provide new land for a church to meet. Currently

we have three groups meeting in Kathmandu slums. After many difficulties, we are happy to report the land is now ready to be used and just recently the first meeting for fellowship and worship was held. Part of the delay there was that the previous property owner took the roof and walls of the building with him when he left to build his new house! While they have no walls or roof, they do have the remaining foundation. Pastor Purna reports there is great beauty in meeting under the open sky in view of God's creation. All Glory to God! So there is a need to help them with some funds to construct a simple structure so they can meet rain or shine. The approximate cost is \$3,500 for this project. Please pray about helping, if you are able. Remember, these slum dwellers are the poorest of the poor in Nepal.

WESTERN NEPAL – MERCY CENTER KOHALPUR

Our brothers, Prashant, Udaya, and Mohan continue to work in western Nepal. Within the fifteen districts in which they minister, there are thirty-five churches with pastoral teams in every district. Recently more than one hundred baptisms were performed. Praise be to God for these confessions of faith in Jesus Christ!

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CHRISTMAS UNDER THE OPEN SKY

The sewing center ministry for women has started again following the lifting of COVID restrictions for that area. There has also been new land purchased for a church, with a plan to establish two more churches in the area in 2022.

Pastor Mohan recently ministered to a family where both the father and child were sick. He prayed with them for healing and was able to share the Good News of forgiveness of sins and new life in Jesus Christ. Pray for the father and son to be

given physical and spiritual health in Jesus' name.

While they labor in western Nepal, the impact of their work is being felt elsewhere. Many of the Christians must go to India to find work. Subsequently, those Christians have started a fellowship in India. There is

also a small fellowship in Malaysia that has come about in a similar way through WBM's Gospel ministry in Nepal. There is even now a mission team on the Chinese border. Nepali Christians are going into all the world!

Dear brothers and sisters, our God is at work through the many faithful servants in Nepal to testify to the redeeming love of Christ and advance His everlasting kingdom. This is just a sample of what is happening in that land. God is using your prayers and generosity to gather in the elect in Nepal and beyond. Thank you for partnering with us.

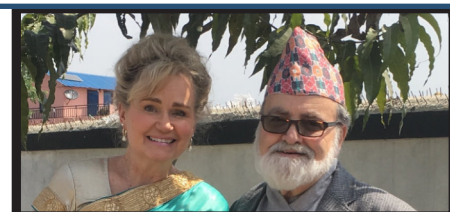
In Christ's Service and Yours,

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