

# DE TORRES NEWSLETTER

*"... they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ." Acts 5:42*

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## Family Update

We thank the Lord for your faithful prayers and partnership with us!

As I am still awaiting full recovery from my broken collar bone and the rehabilitation of my arm, our family has experienced a greater challenge with our youngest son Nathan who had an auto-immune disease. Since last June he started losing all his hair and is undergoing treatment.



He has been responding well on the treatments as he continues to be in school and serve in our media ministry.

Maron is now a third-year irregular student in college taking Financial Management. He is a

## 17th CHURCH ANNIVERSARY / SOULS WON / WATER BAPTISMS

It has been 17 years since the Lord led us to pioneer Carpenter's House Baptist Church Philippines in 2006 as we were sent out from CHBC Germantown Ohio. We thank the Lord for my late pastor Earl. D Wilcher and how the Lord led us to our new home church at Sunlight Baptist Church in Kernersville, NC led by my pastor Jeremy Anderson. As we celebrate and remember why God led us here, we praise the Lord for the 1,798 attendance we had in 2 services with 592 visitors and 482 professions of faith. To date we have baptized 63 as a result of this anniversary.

## CHBC MISSIONS PROGRAM AND 10 NEW DISTRICT COMMUNITY CHURCHES



We have 3 new young people surrendered full-time to be trained and serve in the ministry namely Clady (15), Ashely (16) and Shan (17). We have another preacher boy Bernie (23) getting married soon and another preacher Ronnel (31) being wed on Dec. 5. We rejoice for the 6th Church Anniversary of the church we planted in Bulacan under Pastor El Bravo and the complete purchase of the 1000 sq. meter property there. Please pray as we plan to build a bigger facility for them as they had 610 attendance when I preached for them last Oct. 29.

The Lord has given me the burden and leading to start 10 District Community Churches in the 10 adjacent cities and municipalities. I praise the Lord for the 10 preachers I am training and equipping. If the Lord wills and provides, in the next 10 years of my life before I turn 60 my aim is to buy property and build 10 community churches each with 250 sq. meter and a 3-storey church facility with parsonage in these 10 community districts worth \$150,000 each. Please do pray with me as the Lord has put a great burden on me for this.

## TASK FORCE TAGALIGTAS!



The Lord continues to use and bless this ministry as I have started and led this law-enforcement ministry in 2004. I thank the Lord for Signal-Sixty Three Ministries led by Officer William Graham who have recently trained, gave bullet-resistant vests and the gospel to several officers where we saw them making the decision to accept Jesus Christ.

Please do pray for our country and security as the issue on the West Philippine Sea against China has caused and raised preparations for an armed confrontation where our national



blessing to the church and encouragement to me personally as he is part of our Administrative and Financial Management Ministry Team.

I always thank the Lord for Pam for all her endless prayers and support personally and ministerially. We look forward to our 25th Silver Wedding Anniversary this January 23, 2024. Looking back when we started in 2006 as young missionaries with all our shares of tears, heartaches and great difficulties we can only see God's grace and goodness in our relationship, family and ministry. She has continuously been the silent partner of everything that God has accomplished in us and through us. She continues to manage her small business endeavors to help with our personal and family needs. She continues to assist and counsel with our church full-time staff and the ladies ministry.

We have always celebrated our family's special days privately. But on my 50th birthday the church surprised me with a celebration after our church service last Oct. 29. Close pastor-friends, military and law enforcement officers as well as local and national government officials attended and conveyed their greetings. On the day of my birthday the next day I celebrated my 50th on a scheduled annual ministry strategic meeting where my family, our preachers and staff were present.

We covet your continued and earnest prayers for us especially for me and Pam with the many ministry doors the Lord has opened for us but especially for the many decisions I make not only as a missionary helping and encouraging our local pastors but also as a pastor to our church and a consultant to several important government officials and senior uniformed officers.



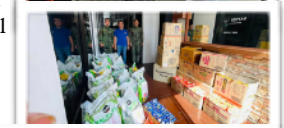
leaders has shifted our foreign policy in favor of the US. Having access and information to many possible situations, I ask for you to pray for me as I desire reach as many souls we can right now and at the same time for wisdom as we prepare if the Lord still carries with the possibilities of hostilities.

## MINISTRY UPDATES!

We praise the Lord for His faithfulness and His people here doing everything we can to meet the needs and be a blessing that we can continue to see souls saved, lives changed, families built, the Gospel preached and everyone serving faithfully. Please do pray for God's leading in our ministries in 2024 as we have prayed and prepared during our annual strategic ministry planning. Our Christian school is a blessing as more church members see the importance and need of putting their kids under a godly-environment and biblical education. The Seminary has also seen an increase of Bible College students from our own church as all our Sunday school teachers and church leaders have seen the need to equip themselves so they can effectively minister. We praise the Lord that our long-time and much needed "Project Cool Church" is almost done as finally the auditorium and Growth Point areas and Fellowship Hall will be fully air-conditioned. We are just raising the needed payment for installation of an additional transformer to carry all the electrical load.

We have also experienced several strong earthquakes and the eruption of the Taal volcano near us. As a church, we always have helped in these calamities with relief goods and help through our "Joseph Storehouse" ministry in coordination with our Task Force TAGALIGTAS foundation ministry.

Our Persons-With-Disability (PWD) ministry through AKAYniSOL has been able not just to help with mobility devices but have been instrumental in leading many of its recipients to the Lord. As I have been chosen as the Secretary-General, the Lord has allowed me to reach not just PWDs but to influence national government agencies and the national legislature for their upliftment and needed government support. I have realised that half of Jesus ministry was to the lame, blind, deaf and maimed. I am thankful also to have helped pastors, missionaries, their families and churches be given free wheelchairs and other assistive devices that many cannot afford to purchase.



## PERSONAL MINISTRY TO OUR COMMUNITY AND NATION

We thank the Lord for the opportunity to be trusted as a close senior adviser and consultant to our City Mayor Arlene Arcillas, our Congresswoman and next Governor Sol Aragon, and to some Presidential and Vice-Presidential advisers. As I pray to not just be a witness but an influence to them so that we can have a community and country that is always open to the Gospel and ask them to consider Biblical perspectives.

We thank the Lord for the personal friendships that they have with us and their high-regards for who we are as a church and our stand on the Word of God.

Please pray for God's protection and preservation always for our testimony and ministries.

