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Dear Friends,

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It is hard to believe that we are nearing the end of another year in this life. As usual, 2025 has been another hodgepodge of many disappointments, challenges, hardships, and blessings. Even though I have suffered with bad health all this year, **what stands out in my mind is how good the Lord has been to me.** His Holy Spirit has given me strength (both physical and spiritual) to keep going. His Provision has far exceeded what I could imagine, much less deserve. I have really enjoyed seeing Him shower blessings on my family. He has given me many wonderful memories that I will cherish for the rest of my life. For example, I was so happy to look at photos of the VBS that was held in the Baca Valley Church in India. **I cannot thank God enough** for using me to help build that church and support the ministry there. It is just sooooo satisfying to be involved in the things of God. I have been happy all week since telling a person that I forgave him for an offense that happened many years ago. The tremendous hurt from that offense had hung over my soul like a dark cloud for about 20 years. Then, last Sunday, the Holy Spirit gave me the unction that I should get rid of that cloud. I approached the person, told him that I forgave him, and went away with a song in my heart to replace the dark cloud. **Please pray** for me, that I would be more submitted to the Holy Spirit. I will especially **need your prayers** on the morning of **October 31.** That is when I will finally have **surgery** (double laminectomy) on my back at WVU.

Philippines- church addition



India VBS- 8 teachers, 70 children



Ukraine- entrance new church



Pastor Joseph Nanneti in India still needs our prayers for his health, especially his kidneys. He was able to carry out a two-day VBS with the help of his family, two other pastors, and four teachers. 70 children attended. **We praise God** for improving the situation in Israel. **Please pray** that the ceasefire will hold, Hamas will give up its weapons, and all other points of the peace plan will work out. **We thank God** for working through President Trump, his team, and America to bring about greater peace in the Gaza region.

Lord, we again ask you to remove Putin as an obstacle to peace for Ukraine. It was very disturbing this month for Russia to bomb Poltava where the mother church of our ministry is located. God kept our friends unharmed but they had to endure very difficult experiences. Pastor Michael Vlasenko wrote to me that his house shook every time a missile or drone caused a nearby explosion. He and his family counted 38 such explosions. Brother Michael has been building a new church in the village of Priztanssonoe during the war. **Please pray** for the Lord to provide building materials for this. **Thank God,** we will be able to send at least \$1,650 in humanitarian aid to Ukraine by the end of this month. \$1,700 was already given to install gas heat in the church's refugee housing.

The Lord is still blessing ministry in Philippines. **We thank God** that \$275 was given to fund the children's feeding stations for another month. God is really using Pastor Aris Alfonso and his congregation to expand the work there, so there are many needs. At the main church- \$1500 is needed to finish building fence, \$4000 (of original \$7000) to build an addition, and \$1000 for gift-giving in December (250 children x \$4). At the daughter church- \$200 is needed to dig deep well, \$400 for electrical connection, \$600 to build restroom, \$400 to buy 50 plastic chairs, \$12000 to build church building, \$200/month to buy church lot (31 months left), and \$600 for gift-giving in December (150 children x \$4). Also, Aris' daughter, Annalois, needs help with college tuition (\$400 per semester). **Please pray** that the Lord will provide for all these needs that many souls will be saved as a result.

In the name of Jesus, your grateful Brother, *Franklin Tuck Jr.*

"Blessed is the man whose strength is in Thee... who passing through the valley of Baca maketh it a well." Psalm 84: 5-6

Projects	Need	Each	Sponsor	Work
Grounds, office building, and garage				
1. Rebuild office building and garage	Total	\$26,000	Yes	Done
2. Pour concrete sidewalk from driveway to front porch	2	\$300	Yes	
3. Install floodlights for individual flags	7	\$50	Yes	
4. Install vinyl siding office (materials)	1	\$1,000		
5. Install vinyl siding office (labor)	1	\$1,125		
6. Replace front door on office	1	\$400		
7. Install trim in office (materials and labor)	1	\$1,600	Yes	Done
Chapel				
1. Finish electrical supply	1	\$300	Yes	Done
2. Finish vinyl siding	1	\$750	Yes	Done
3. Power wash siding outside and block walls inside after flood	1	0	Yes	Done
4. Install 2x4 studs to plumb upstairs walls	1	\$200	Yes	
5. Install wiring and receptacles	1	\$200	Yes	
6. Install insulation in upstairs walls	1	\$200	Yes	
7. Install light fixtures upstairs	2	\$25	Yes	
8. Install drywall on upstairs walls	1	\$350	Yes	
9. Paint upstairs walls	1	\$75	Yes	
10. Install insulation in roof	1	\$200	Yes	
11. Install ceiling tiles upstairs	1	\$300	Yes	
12. Install sub-floor upstairs	1	\$300	Yes	
13. Install flooring upstairs	1	\$400	Yes	
14. Install floor tiles upstairs	1	\$300	Yes	
15. Paint downstairs walls	1	\$75	Yes	
16. Install light fixtures downstairs	2	\$25	Yes	
17. Replace roof	1	\$750	Yes	
Joshua Tuck Memorial				
1. Plant “Joshua’s Tree”	1	\$800	Yes	Done
2. Build stone wall	1	\$300	Yes	
3. Plant small flower garden	1	\$100	Yes	
4. Install memorial plaque	1	\$100	Yes	
5. Install bench	1	\$100	Yes	
Picnic & Entertainment Pavilion				
1. Bulldoze/Excavate area	1	\$1000	Yes	Done
2. Pour concrete in picnic & entertainment area (4 sections)	4	\$500		
3. Erect picnic shelter (3 sections)	3	\$750		
4. Build picnic tables	30	\$75		
5. Erect entertainment area	1	\$750		
Church construction- Andhra Pradesh, India				
1. Foundation and pillars, sub floor, walls, beams & roof, electric system, plumbing & water system, windows, doors, sanctuary chairs, pulpit, sound system, bathroom tiles & fixtures, install baptistry, buy video projector		\$21,100	Yes	Done
2. Road	1	\$200	Yes	
3. Church vehicle	1	?		
Church construction, Dalanguiring, Pangasinan, Philippines				
1. Construct main building	Total	\$11,500	Yes	Done
2. Finish fence around entire property	1	\$1,500		
3. Construct pastor office/meeting area	1	\$7,000	Yes	\$3,000
Parsonage construction, Pangasinan, Philippines	Total	\$15,350	Yes	Done
Church construction, San Fabian, Pangasinan, Philippines				
1. Pay for deed/other documents San Fabian daughter church	1	\$1,000	Yes	Done
2. Buy lot for daughter church in San Fabian	1	\$20,000	Yes	\$13,800
3. Construct main building	1	\$12,000		
4. Drill deep well	1	\$200		
5. Electric power connection	1	\$400		
6. Install restroom	1	\$600		