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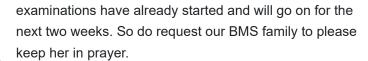


Greeting from India.

It's an honour for me to share about the wonderful work going on all across Asia, and the ways in which the Lord is moving in our midst and saving Souls!

In the last two months we have done a number of 3 3rd trainings all across our ministry and the results have been rapidly increasing our movement. I was in the mountains of Chiang-Mai Thailand in July meeting and training leaders, as well as in Bangladesh. It was exciting to see how this module is now being made effective in their churches!

It's sad, however, to report the sudden tragedies that recently hit Orissa and Bangladesh. Cyclone 'FANI' caused terrible damages for our leaders and their families who had to endure loss of their homes. Our people in Bangladesh too, had to face the severity of the floods that destroyed many homes and fields. However, inspite of the tragedies and turmoil that affected these regions, people never ceased to proclaim the Gospel message.





The Street Servants schools in Kolkata, recently got together to celebrate Independence day on 15th August. The children with their parents joined us to hoist the Indian flag and also participated in dance programmes and other activities.

The Street Schools have become such a great way of helping these kids have free education and get the basic teachings before they can be sent to government schools.

The BMS staff and family in Kolkata also got together to celebrate India's Independence followed by Prayer and a Breakfast meal together. It was a wonderful time of fellowship.



In Thailand I had a little personal time with Bro. Thra Tim and his family to visit the Elephant farm on the outskirts of Chiang-Mai and it was a great fun and experience for me to see the elephants and spend time with the family who actually own the farm. My wife Gill and Abigail are doing fine by God's grace. Abigail's half yearly



With our vision to empower, equip and encourage our people to reach their own in making disciples, we have seen our local leaders completely committed in gaining great results in the DM movement. The OTS (Obey, Teach and Share) strategy of the 3 3rd module is being used very effectively to bring people to Christ. As a result, many people have accepted Christ and taken baptisms and many new home churches have started in these last two months. We praise God for these amazing results!



Please pray for

- *Chiang-Mai Thailand as they set their vision to implement the DMM in their churches.
- * Our family for good health and protection and for Abigail's exams.
- * For 10,000 home leaders training all across South Asia.

I take this opportunity to thank all our partners for their continued support in the DM Movement and helping us press on towards making a great Kingdom Impact!

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