

## Dear Partners in the Ministry,

Greetings from the Landingin family and from the mission field of Cambodia. We hope and we pray that you are all doing well by the grace of God.

Thank you for your love and prayers to our family, we are all doing well. We are thankful and always rejoicing in the

Lord for your partnership in the ministry.



Please allow us to share the goodness and the faithfulness of God through our lives and the mission work that God entrusted to us.

We conducted an evangelistic meeting last March 2023 with two hundred in attendance at our village church ministry.



Praise the Lord for twenty-three individuals who made their public profession of faith during the invitation.





This is also a special month to me as a father and to my wife Rachel as our eldest son Rafael, an eight-year-old boy received the Lord Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior.



Together with my family, as a missionary church planter in Cambodia, it's always our desire and prayer to God to allow us and to use us to plant more and start more new mission work in the places where God is leading us. We praise the Lord for the opportunity to start a new mission work or a new plant church last April 2023.



Grace Baptist Church Trapeang Kampleang Village in Kandal Province is our newest plant church in Cambodia. This is our third plant church which is forty minutes outside the capital city of Phnom Penh.

We started reaching the children in this village by teaching them basic English language lesson, Bible stories and Bible verses.

For the last ten months, from a handful children, the Lord blessed the work, and we are now averaging seventy children every Sunday.

Along the way, some parents started coming and attending our gathering.

Lord willing, in the next two months, we are celebrating our first-year church anniversary in this mission work.







One Sunday morning, after our 7:00am prayer time with the children, I asked them if who ate their breakfast before coming to church.

Only one young girl from seventy children raised her hand and ate her breakfast before coming to church.

I asked the same question the following Sunday, only two to three children had their breakfast before coming to church.

With the help of our church in Phnom Penh, they are providing bags of snacks for all the children every Sunday after teaching them.





As we feed them with spiritual food, it is also our desire to feed them physically.

Please help us to pray, we would like to serve a breakfast meal to every child before teaching them.

By doing this, we need \$250 every month for this feeding program ministry.

Please help us to pray for churches or individuals that will sponsor this amount or any amount you would like to give so no children will go home hungry after church.



As we continue to serve the Lord, our mission is not only to reach the people of Cambodia through the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ.

We also minister and encourage our fellow laborers in the Lord through our monthly Pastors, Missionaries and Family Fellowship Meeting.

Through this fellowship or through this meeting, we hear different challenges in different ministries, and we are able to pray and encourage one another.





If you are able, please make a plan and bring a mission team with you and minister to our people and to our fellow laborers.

Please come and preach to us. See what the Lord is doing on the other side of the world.

It is a life changing experience. I know and I believe that God will greatly use your testimony, your great love for God in a pagan Buddhist country.

This year 2024, is our fourteen years serving the Lord in Cambodia. Lord willing, this coming August 2024, Grace Baptist Church Phnom Penh is celebrating its 14th Year Church Homecoming or 14th Year Church Anniversary. We are thankful and rejoicing in the Lord for all the great things God hath done in our lives.

The Lord remains faithful and true from all the difficulties, challenges, hard times and good times in the ministry. Last October 2023, during our 13th Year Church Homecoming, we have 103 in attendance and five first time visitors came forward during the invitation to receive Christ as their Lord and Savior. The Lord continues to add people in the church and baptized those who decided to follow the Lord in water baptism. Praise the Lord!













Last month, February 5th, we conducted a sending out service for our second Cambodian missionary family that will go and start a new church in Kampong Cham Province which is two hours northeast of Phnom Penh. Pastor Saravorn serves as the resident pastor of Grace Baptist Church Phnom Penh for ten years.

We gathered around 140 students on February 4th, Saturday afternoon and preach the gospel to them and about 40 students made their public profession of faith.

Lord willing, this will be our fourth plant church this year in fourteen years of laboring for the cause of Christ in Cambodia.

Please remember Pastor Saravorn and his family in your prayers. By faith, he will move his family from the capital city to the remote village in the province.

They need to rent a place that will serve as their mission house and a place to gather the people and the children and minister to them.

We are praying for ten people that will support Pastor Saravorn and his family \$50 a month to support the needs for

their family and the needs in starting a new church.





In fourteen years of serving the Lord in a foreign field, we have seen many miracles happened and many prayers have been answered.

How can we forget the impossible things become possible through the goodness and faithfulness of God.

From the many people that heard the gospel and received Christ as their Savior, from the lives that surrendered to Christ and start serving God, from purchasing a permanent piece of land for the ministry, from allowing us to construct a beautiful church building and a fellowship hall building for our feeding ministry through the generosity of God's people and partners in the ministry. Thank you for investing for eternal things.

We know that investing for souls is eternal and investing for structures are just temporal but to us and to our people, these are monuments of our faith in God.

These are landmarks that we can pass on to our children and to the next generations that will continue the work that God started in our lives.

Yes, it's hard! Yes, it's not easy being in the firing line. One email or few pages of this prayer letter is not enough to tell you all our experiences.

But looking back from all the great things that God has done in our lives, we are forever grateful to God and to you all.







Please join us in prayers as we continue to attempt great things for the Lord this year and the coming years.

We are praying to start the construction of a three-Storey orphanage building project this year as the Lord provides. This orphanage building, Lord willing, once its completed will help us to in-house thirty hopeless, abused, abandon children.

Through the orphanage ministry, we will take care of them, love them, guide them, teach them, feed them, send them to a regular school and train them in the ministry and someday, Lord willing, in the future, we are praying that they will have the same desire and burden to reach their own people to share and to preach the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ.

It is our prayer to see a Buddhist country turn upside down for Christ through the teaching and preaching of the gospel. The amount needed for the three-Storey Orphanage Building Project is a huge amount, it will cost \$195,000 to build this project.

It's like moving the mount Everest from the mountain of Himalayas of Nepal to Cambodia figuratively speaking, it's unrealistic.

Any amount of donations as the Lord leads and touches your heart will be a great help and addition to the project fund that we are praying.

It's not our desire to lose hope and stop believing because of this great amount needed for this project.

As the Lord Jesus tells his disciples that if they have faith as a grain of mustard seed, they can move mountains.

May the Lord see our hearts and honors our faith as we continue to pray and ask the Lord to touch His people once again as you all start receiving and reading this letter. May the Lord allow us to witness to move another impossible mountain for God's glory and for God's people in Cambodia.

I believe that when God gives a vision, God always gives the provision to fulfil it. Luke 1:37, For with God nothing shall be impossible.



We pray for you all and we love you all.

Thank you for your partnership in the ministry in Southeast Asia.

May the Lord continue to be with you all and to bless you abundantly.

We appreciate all that you for the Lord, for the people of Cambodia and for my family.

Please let us know if you are able to receive and open this email. God bless you all.

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