

SISON in ACTION

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“And if you give yourself to the hungry and satisfy the desire of the afflicted, then your light will rise in darkness and your gloom will become like midday” Isaiah 58:10 (NASB)

We would like to take this opportunity to thank God for you, for all your prayers for our family and for our ministry. Thank you for your continuous financial support given in faith to our ministry. It has been seven years (5 yrs field assignment and 2 yrs pre-field) since we decided to go full time in answer to God’s call in our lives. We praise and thank God for His faithfulness in providing for our needs, for equipping us, for guiding, sustaining, and protecting us.

Street Children



As we continue to minister to street kids, our relationship with them got closer and deeper. However, our confidence in the local government programs to help restore these kids with their family has gone down. The government program is more punitive and often causes more damage to the already shattered lives of the street kids.

Having a passion to restore and bring healing to street kids and their families, together with local partners and from the States, God led us to form KIDS Home, a non-profit NGO (non-governmental organization). On April 12, 2010, KIDS Home was officially registered with the SEC (Securities and Exchange

Commission), praise GOD!

God has increased our territories and workers. We now have a team simultaneously reaching the street kids around the lower Antipolo (LA) and the upper Antipolo UA areas. We visit and feed the UA kids three days a week. On Wednesdays, we combine both groups in a Bible study, fellowship and feeding at our partner’s church building. On Sundays, the same groups of kids gather at the church for fellowship and worship service.

Special Activities

- Last February, we brought most of these kids to Jabez Camp, a four-day Out-Of-School Youth Camp. This is an ACTION sponsored evangelistic camp put together specifically for street kids to encounter Jesus Christ.
- As a follow-up, we brought the same group with other additional street kids to a Christian youth camp in Iba, Zambales on April 19 & 20. In this camp, they interacted with other church youth and leaders. They participated in all the team and character building activities and competitions.
- One common problem these kids have is tooth decay. Recently, the Lord provided tooth extraction to 15 of these kids through a mother and daughter whom we met when we shared our ministry to their Bible study group and with no hesitation; volunteered their dental services. Praise GOD!
- As I am writing this letter, our street kids are on their second day of five days DVBS (Daily Vacation Bible School). GOD loves the street kids too!

We are so blessed to see the eagerness and willingness of these kids to participate in our weekly fellowship and worship. We are so blessed to hear some of them give thanks to God when they pray. Just like to all the saints, GOD has placed in the hearts of these street kids the desire to know Him more. Halleluiah!

Future Projects

- GOD willing, we are hoping to purchase this one small lot (located next to the church of our ministry partner) and develop it into a drop-in center. A drop-in center is a non-threatening place, a neutral ground where street kids are free to come and eat a warm meal, take baths, do laundry, take short naps, watch wholesome videos, for first aid, attend a Bible study, pray and for counseling.
- We're hoping through partnership with some other local churches around the country that have a heart for street kids, chains of this drop-in center will begin propagating.
- GOD willing, we are also hoping to purchase an existing camp site in Antipolo a fully developed 5,000 square meters property located up in the hills of Antipolo. Already built within the property are several dorm buildings, a fairly large multi purpose hall, two large kitchens, two big houses which can be utilized for skills training and discipleship center. Then there are a couple of smaller structures where one could be used for administration office and the other for prayer and counseling. We believe that in GOD'S perfect time we will have a place where we can move these kids to from the streets to be disciplined.

This camp site will be used as a shelter/center to house street kids who will commit their lives to Jesus Christ. Besides daily Bible and discipleship class at the center/shelter, several programs will be made available to these kids depending on their maturity and academic background. Some of which are; basic literacy, ALS (Alternative Learning System) (GED equivalent in the States), job skill training such as carpentry, home electronics, plumbing, computer repair and programming, air-conditioning technician, automotive mechanic, sewing, soap manufacturing and vegetable farming.



Prayer Request

Please pray for...

- Quality time with our son Bryan, opportunities for rests, time to visit friends and love ones, and be able to give a report on our ministry during our furlough.
- Unity among members, leaders and pastors of the Church.
- GOD'S guidance and wisdom as we try to seek, reach and lead more lost souls to the Lord among the city street dwellers.
- Safety and protection for our family from the work of the enemy both physical and spiritual, including our son Bryan.
- Provision to build a drop-in center for street kids.
- Provision to purchase both properties to be used as a drop-in center and for a shelter/center, discipleship and training center for street kids and their families.

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