

Lauver Newsletter

Southern Thailand ◆



Here's what has happened in the last two months and whats to come!

These past two months have once again flown by! Now that we have left behind the hot month of April, our classes are back in full swing. Most days it is still very hot here but this past week we have been getting a bit of a reprieve from the heat with a few rain showers and some cooler temps.

We have a very big update to share and an answered, long time, prayer request. Our dear friends (and brother and sister in Christ), David and Nan, received the call out of the blue that their daughter would be able to have her scoliosis surgery! The call came with just about a weeks notice but it was all in Gods timing. Just as our Heavenly father's ways are above our ways so were His plans for how He orchestrated the events leading up to the date their daughter (Melody) would have her surgery.

David and Nan both had a long time friend that was visiting and stayign in their home who helped holding the fort down at home while they traveled to Bangkok for the surgery. The Ohlers oldest daughter, Chloe, and a family friend, Levi, were arriving in Bangkok from the States the eve before Melody went into the hospital and the following day, our friends, Travis and Tiff, returned to Thailand (they are currently settling into the Pathio area where they hope to have a wide reaching ministry there. Eric, Myself, Marissa and the group that arrived from the states were all able to be there in Bangkok during Melody's surgery. She is home now and recovering amazingly!

David's friend, Joshua, was visiting to see what we are doing here. His time here encompassed more than I'm sure he could have ever imagined but we found him to be such an enthusiastic and helpful member of our body and ministry during his time.

Prayer Requests

Pray for Ben in this upcoming season of life and the decisions before him.

Pray for our classes: at home, at the factories, at Pak Nam. We desire not just to teach them English but that the gospel message would go forward in our teachings and that God would use it to change hearts.

Pray for the connections we have made. That God would cause us to share bodily our faith and that by His Spirit moving in people he would be pleased to add to his numner.

Pray for the girls eye pressures.



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He has just returned to Myanmar. He desires to move to Thailand with his wife and children and serve in whatever way the Lord would have for him here. Please pray for him over these next few months as they prepare for their future. Also keep in prayer his oldest daughter, Angel, who will begin University in Bangkok next week!

Our classes continue to grow in Pak Nam. We now offer a Friday evening and Saturday evening class. Bill Ohler is now teaching an English class to the adults in the government building in Chumphon and Aung Kyaw Htwe is teaching a class on Saturday morning to the kids to learn Burmese, their native language.

This past few weeks have also brought with it a share of motorbike accidents for people we know. We praise God that everyone is "okay" though some were more hurt than others. Please pray for everyone's recovery and that this would just be yet another time to share the love of God with them. Not only in our service but in our words as well. That they would be open to hearing the word of God and prayer for them and with them. The power of Prayer in God's healing has already been a testimony in one of these cases.

Our family just returned from a trip to Bangkok where we see an eye doctor for the girls. Things again did not go as planned but once again we just trust in the Lord in his timing and his plans. We ended up seeing a different doctor than we did before and the care we received was great. However, both girls eye pressures are very high, the highest they have ever been. I have reached out to their specialist in Philly informing her of their current condition and we are planning to return to Bangkok in another month for a follow up. We can attest to how good God is and his power to heal and we pray that he will heal the girls eyes and reduce their pressures to a safe range.

We have had a few birthday celebrations these past two months along with a graduation! Ben has officially completed high school and is now seeking where he will attend University. Please keep him in your prayers as he seeks the Lord's wisdom and guidance in this next season of life.

