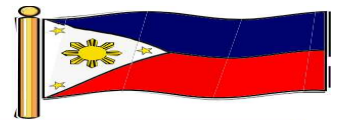


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APRIL 2026 REPORT

Dear Faithful Partners and Praying Friends,

Greetings in the precious name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour! "Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ. " (Philippians 1:2)

It's great joy once again to share God's blessing upon us and the ministry here in Subic, Philippines.

First of all, I want to thank you so much for your continued prayers and support for our ministry here. Your partnership meant so much to us so much so the Lord wrought great things through us and the ministry here. Please keep up this good work in joining together for the furtherance of the Gospel.

For us here, by God's grace, we're all okay and all in good health. I thank God always for His goodness to me so that I'm able to walk normally up to this present time. No more pain from gouty arthritis since last year. My wife also is doing okay and the rest of the family.

We thank God also for giving a good start for the year 2026. Last January, we baptized (fig.1)4 believers which were 2 adults and two kids. Many of the members were happy to witness these four people followed the Lord in water baptism. We pray that more will come as we endeavor to win souls for Christ and become a member of the Local church.

On the closing month of January, Its a blessing that we have a visiting Missionary that we supported since we launch out our mission program. Our people have been greatly blessed as he presented the work God has given him in India and challenge us also through the preaching of God's word. I believed they were encouraged to support missions more especially those who do not currently take part in the missions program of the church.

February was our Mission month to encourage our people to give for missions so that we can support more missionaries in local and foreign missions. By God's grace, we take on more local missionaries this year so that we have already 20 missionaries being supported this year. We pray that we can support more as the Lord provides.

In addition, we commissioned Missionary Tom Mamaclay (Fig. 3) last February to Laoag, Ilocos Sur, a northern province of Luzon. He was a former member and worker of our church but went back to his hometown to pastor a Baptist church there. After recently resigning from the church, he called me up to express his desire to start a work in Laoag, Ilocos Sur and asked me if we could commission him to start a new work there. Upon our church approval, I and some of our men laid our hands on him and commissioned him to become our missionary to Laoag, Ilocos Sur. He became our third sent out missionary to the mission field. Praise God, the work in Laoag is gradually progressing by the Lord's blessing.

Since February is also a love month, we hosted a couple's night (Fig. 4) which is our first, and is aimed to strengthen the marriage relationship of our couples at our church. Were glad, there were 40 couples that attended the event together with some couples from other churches. I invited a Pastor friend to be our guest speaker and preached a very encouraging messages for couples which I believe a great help to them in marriage relationship. I myself have been greatly blessed. There was also an unsaved couple that attended the event which after we shared the Gospel, professed Christ as Savior and Lord. Praise God.

The month of March was our evangelistic month with the theme, "Rooted in evangelism," so I challenge my people to actively involve in soul winning. Praise God, more of our members are going out soul winning and tract distribution every week (Fig. 5). This resulted to many professions of faith among those

people to whom we shared the Gospel. In my desire to boost our soul winning program in our church, I devised a tool we can use in soul winning (fig. 6), so they can easily present the Gospel to the prospects. This is Laminated booklet with drawings that we presented to the prospects to help him understand the plan of salvation. It has also a short script at the back of every pages for the soul winner to know what to say while witnessing. That is now we are using in soulwinning so that even the inexperienced believer can present the Gospel more easily to the unsaved. We are also making Gospel tracts in our own language (with illustrations) that vividly pictures man's lost condition, to make it attractive and interesting to the reader. I hope and pray that this will be a great help in our evangelistic effort.

Related to this, on October 30 this year, we will be hosting a "Soulwinning Conference" which we will hold at a big gymnasium in Subic so that more people can come and attend the conference. Our guest speakers on this conference is, Dr. Ed Laurena, Pastor of Christian Bible Baptist Church in San Pedro, Laguna with his team to conduct a soulwinning seminar in the morning, and preaching in the evening to challenge God's people in soul winning. I will be inviting Baptist Pastors from other churches to come and join this conference to be blessed also and be challenged in soul winning. Please pray for the success of this conference as well as God's provision for great need of this conference.

Please pray also for the need of our present project, a mezzanine we want to put up at our church to accommodate a growing number of people, especially during our church anniversary and inter-church fellowship. We need around \$6,000 for the project which we hope we can build before our Church anniversary on June 7. Please continue to pray for the additional lot we want to buy for church parking space. Our borrowed parking lot is still crowded every Sunday and caused traffic obstruction from passing vehicles. Thank you so much for your continued partnership with our ministry here. May the Lord richly bless you and your church with God's bountiful blessings.

In Christ,

Manny, Violy, Hannah, Joyce, Karen & Precious Catriz



Fig. 1



Fig. 2



Fig. 3



Fig. 4



Fig. 5



Fig. 6