

We are so Thankful God Called You Here to be with us...

How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the Gospel of peace and bring glad tidings of good things. - Rom 10:15



A DAY OFF?

Many people like to take their birthday off ...

We trekked to the mountain church on Catherine's birthday. So glad we did ... the 85 (+) children each presented Catherine with flowers.

The women also presented Catherine with flowers and letters expressing their love for her.

One young lady, Sherry Ann, read her letter aloud to Catherine in front of the congregation. They asked if she wanted to read it in Ilonggo and she said "No, English".

She began to sob and spoke through her tears..

"We are so thankful that God called you here to be with us ..."

Those words spoke volumes to Catherine and I and put into perspective why we serve in a third world mission field.



Would you like to partner with the work in the Philippine mission field?

We could use your help!

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Unexpected Blessings ...



A young couple from New York has been wandering the Philippines for two years doing good deeds wherever they go ...

They wandered into the mountain church some weeks ago and brought us a couple hundred Tupperware type containers.

So glad they did ... Yesterday we had over 180 people at the church ... we typically have around 80 on a Tuesday. We did not have enough plates ... but we had plenty of the Tupperware's to use in the feeding program!

Thanks Oliver and Sherry!

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**Would you get
excited about
a new pair of
"shower
shoes"?**

Yesterday we
were able to
give away over
200 pairs to
families in need.

Do simple things
like this meet a
need?



I think if you ask the boy standing next to me in the picture he will agree that it does ... he actually wore his current pair all the way through the heel.

Thank you to those that provided the flip-flops, shoes, lotions and clothes that we were able to distribute yesterday in the mountain church.

Suppose a brother or sister is in need ...



Everything that we do is because of individuals like you!

We are merely hands and feet delivering what The Lord has provided through you.

During the recent medical mission the baby to the left was identified as being malnourished. She is a year old but is very frail and weak.

Last week we attempted to follow up by visiting the mother and baby in their “home”.

Directions here consist of “over there”, “just a little more”, “keep on going”.

We had to cease the voyage to her home as we found ourselves in an area where our safety was in jeopardy.

We sent word through the mountain grapevine that we would like to see the mother and baby and they arrived at the church yesterday.

We were able to provide the mother with baby milk, baby cereal, vitamins and clothes. These are items that she would not normally have access to.

Catherine prayed with the mother and baby, explained to the mother that we are there to help as we can, and expressed the love of Jesus to her and her baby.

We can only provide items like milk, cereal, vitamins and clothes because you have delivered them into our hands to deliver to those in need.

Showing the love of Jesus in a practical way ... life changing and life saving!

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Our ministry objectives are to show the love of Jesus to the impoverished people of the Philippines through practical outreach ... through action!

Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth.

- 1 John 3:18

How Can You Help?

Our immediate needs are for our furlough.

We plan to attend the mission's conference in California in October, and then travel to Illinois, Virginia and Florida to visit with churches, family and friends. We would return to the Philippines in December.

We need to start coordinating travel, purchase of tickets, etc. in July.

We are coming to the understanding that proper rest and recuperation is a vital part of success in serving in the third world mission field.

Would you consider making a special contribution to this furlough travel?

Everything we do is because of people that come along side of us, whether it is financially, through Balikbayan boxes filled with supplies, visiting us on site to help with building projects, or serving with us shoulder to shoulder in the field.

We appreciate all that you allow to happen here!

The Parting Shot



We got a new dishwasher in the mountains!