

CMA Easter Letter 2014

By the providence of God we (the CMA family) have entered the New Year 2014 on the wings of an Eagle as the Lord carried the Israelites from Egypt to Canaan (Exodus 19:4).

Jesus Christ, Son of Living God, King of Kings and Lord of Lords died for our sins on the cross, was buried and resurrected from dead and appeared to many for 40 days and went to heaven to prepare a place for us which He wants to give anyone who believes in Him as a gift only by His grace.

"And if Christ has not been raised your faith is futile" (I Corinthians 15:17). Whoever believes this resurrected Jesus shall not perish but have Eternal Life (John 3:16). Do you have this Eternal Life? If you have the assurance of Eternal life then you must proclaim (be a witness) this resurrected Christ to the unreached (Matthew 28:19-20).

Christ Mission Ashram and all its believers are determined to proclaim this Jesus to the remaining 2600 unreached people groups out of total 4635.

Pastors' & Evangelists Meeting Of CMA

Please pray for the growth of all the CMA churches, that each church may catch the vision to be mother church by reaching 30-40 kilometers far villages and establishing daughter churches. Please also pray for the upcoming baptism & communion service of all the CMA churches on Easter Sunday.

Holy City Kolkata

This year the Holy City Kolkata Convention was held on 22nd-25th January 2014 and the main speaker was Rev. Chung Phil Do (Founder pastor of Suyoung Ro Presbyterian Church, Korea). God has blessed Kolkata's pastors and leaders through these three days of seminar. On 25th January the grand celebration was held at St. Thomas School Ground which was attended also by Rev. Dick Lagewaard and Rev. Vogel from Netherlands.

CMA Board Meeting

CMA Board members met on 8th January and 27th March at the CMA office and discussed upcoming important issues. By God's grace the Kolkata Love Church Diary was published.

Visiting Daughter Churches

During the past three months I, along with different guests were able to visit several churches, such as Andul PC, Nischintapur PC, Pahalampur Inmanuel PC, Kamalpur PC, Haldia PC, North 24 pgs PC, Kuemuri PC, Surendra Nagar PC, Kolkata Love PC, Grace PC, Satjelia PC, Parul PC, Nishindra PC, and Shiliguri Philadelphia PC. At Parul PC a baptism and communion service was held where 8 adults and 15 children were baptized. Pray that their whole family may turn to the Lord as well. At Parul PC a day with Jesus was also held for the growth of the church. We thank God for the mutation & plan sanction of Parul PC. A burial ground is needed for the church in that district Hoogly.

Visitors during the month of January - March 2014

1. Team from CCA (Korea)

Thank God that this year also CCA team from Suwon came to visit In Kolkata and different daughter churches from Date: 8th ~ 14th January 2014. The Middle school students with talented teachers performed many well prepared song, dance and kits to proclaim gospel.

2. Dutch Pastors (Holland):

Rev. Dick Lagewaard and Rev. Gert Jan Vogel and his wife came from the Netherland Reformed church to teach at India Reformed Theological Seminary from 25th January to 10th February. We are thankful to EVTA and for the pastors' valuable teaching to our students and also for the donation to our mission.

3. Youngpha Songyohae Medical Missions Contribution (Korea):

This was Youngpha Songyohae's 14th Mission trip to Kolkata and Sunderban for the Free Medical Camp in Eye operation camp. This year they treated 600 patients and performed 32 cataract operations. CMA has had a partnership with them for The Good Samaritan Hospital work together. Please pray that Lord may grant us equipment and staff to start the hospital. Also pray for Government License & finance.

We are also thankful to Elder for donation for Kolkata Mission Centre and for Dibendu Dutta's lift.

4. Church Planting Seminar (USA)

We are thankful for Rev. Bill Smith from USA, a church planter, who gave a two-day seminar lecture at Lydia Mission house to our seminary students, pastors and evangelist about church planting. He also delivered a message in Kolkata Love Church on Sunday. Please pray that he might be able to teach again for a week in the years to come.

5. 12th Barnabas Rest Festival at IBIZA for Minister's wives (USA):

Rev. Cho Young Soo, Mrs. Lee Jong Soo and Rev. Kim Ill Ho conducted 12th Barnabas Rest Festival at IBIZA Resort, Kolkata where 30 pastor's & evangelist's wives were blessed by lectures, good food and counseling. They also participated in our seminary graduation and ordination services at Canning Campus. We are thankful and grateful to them for such a great ministry.

6. Pastor Jurjen, Rick, Kees and Arnoud (Holland)

We are blessed by the presence of these four brothers from Amsterdam amongst us. They were young, energetic, dynamic God's servants with full of God's love and joy. They were with us from 12th to 25th March. They have visited and ministered in more than 10 churches and spent the last two days of their trip in Parul Presbyterian church for "Day with Jesus" and the Sunday Baptism ceremony where 23 people were baptized. They also conducted a revival meeting at Shiliguri Philadelphia Presbyterian Church.

Prayer Requests:

1. Pray that God may give growth in our Kolkata Love Presbyterian Church.
2. Thank God for the needed fund for building the fourth & fifth floors of the Kolkata Mission Centre & Kolkata Love Church by 15th April 2014 to continue the work in the City of Kolkata.
3. God may help us to complete the remaining work of Good Samaritan Hospital and start with Ophthalmology, Dental, Pediatrics, Gynecology and Dermatology department. It's fund.
4. Pray that God may send many students to our Ideal Mission School & IRPTS.
6. Pray for the construction work of Kandi Presbyterian Church which is ministering to Muslims. Pray for the fund of more US\$5000/- for purchasing a piece of Land for Grace Church in Dum Dum, Kolkata within this month.
7. Pray for the growth of all Churches under our mission and that there pastors may be self supporting.

For Family:

1. Our daughter Esther is in her 3rd year of Medicine in Poznan, Poland. Please pray that God may give her wisdom and good health for success to one day be medical missionary for building His Kingdom.
2. Our younger daughter Jemimah is studying at Liberty University. And our youngest son Barnabas is in grade 11.
3. Please pray for my wife Sang Yee as she has been quite ill for the past 5 months. That God may grant her good health and more strength and creativity to do His work in India.
4. God may give me good health (maintain blood pressure and sugar).
5. My eldest son Samuel may complete his graduation smoothly. may find God's plan in His life. My son Ranjit wants to become a singer and spread the gospel through music. Pray that God may lead him and guide him.
7. All family may bear the gospel by generation to generation (Isaiah 59:21)

We thank you all for your continuous prayer and support for CMA's ministry in India. We feel blessed that God has partnered us together to expand His Kingdom by sharing Christ's love to this aching world. As we remember God's immense love for us, may we show the same love to others. I would like to wish you are a **Happy Easter** on behalf of my family and all the CMA members. Praise the Lord, Christ is risen!

In Resurrected Christ,

Rev. Dr. Sukrit & Mrs. Sangyee Roy,

& all CMA members.

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With Rev. Lagewaard & Rev. Vogel (& wife) in front of CLPC



Palm Sunday procession



Good Friday church service



CMA GRADUATION AND ORDINATION SERVICE AT IRPTS on 7th March 2014



8th Ordination service where Naren Tudu, Sunil Adak, Monjoy Narganary, Alex Kamrkulang



Five persons were installed as Kwonsanim(Prachina)



Rev.Jureng ,Arround, Rick and Kees were in Satjelia Island Church with believers.



Korea Youngpha Songyohae Medical team at Good Samaritan Hospital with Cataract Patient.



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believer whose three Children died due to poison in food, AILA destroyed the House Juriyan in front of the house which is also destroyed by last storm on 4.4.14. Pray.



Christian Children Accademy from Suwon Korea in Sunderban Island Procliming Gospel.