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Dear Praying Friends and Faithful Partners,

*“When He saw the crowds, He had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then He said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest.” Matthew 9:36-38*

The world today is indeed overwhelming, there are wars and rumors of wars, earthquakes, fires, to top it off, the Pandemic that seems not to go away, and other diseases breaking out, soaring gas and food prices and many, many more problems and challenges. People are dismayed, harassed and helpless, and God has a calling for many of us to reach out to these people, especially to find peace in this chaotic world, through the life-giving, Word of the Gospel. As an old hymn says: “Jesus is the answer for the world today. Above Him there’s no other, Jesus is the Way!” The harvest is indeed plentiful, will you be the answer to our Lord’s prayer and say to Him, “Here am I send me!”

**GUAM.** Time really flies fast! **Mikayla Mays** came to Guam on May 15 of this year to do volunteer work in Guam for three months. Can you imagine, she will soon be leaving August 15! God’s timing was perfect. As I needed extra help at HQ. She helped me with inputting accounting data, record donations, assist me in the Saturday Bible club, Sunday school and many things that needed help from time to time, and most especially her ongoing project of reviewing/improving PMA’s website. We thank God for her time here on Guam! We are praying that as she returns to AZ to complete her college degree in Marketing and Advertising with a minor in Graphic Design and Advertising that her heart will continue to be focused on God’s will for her. We pray that her time on Guam would be a blessing to her that would impact her life for eternity.

**PHILIPPINES.** We thank God for the Vacation Bible school teacher’s training led by teacher **Mercy Sulad**. All our PMF churches sent their teachers/leaders to teach this year’s VBS with its theme: “Stand Firm, and Take Action” from the Book of Daniel. The first training was in Patnanungan with 34 trainees (for 6 churches and their outreaches) and the next one was in Jomalig with 13 teacher trainees (3 churches and their outreaches). After which, each church started their VBS ministries – reaching an average of close to a hundred per church! May the Lord use the teachers to lead the children to a personal relationship with Jesus and may each child grow in the wisdom and knowledge of the Lord and influence their families for eternity!

**BAHAY KALING ORPHANAGE, ORIENTAL MINDORO, PHILIPPINES.** We thank God that our Social worker, **Jezzalyn Esparagoza** conducted a home visit with the mother of siblings that are temporary sheltered with us. It was a good visit where the mother was apprised with the care we provide for her children. We pray that she may make a decision concerning

their future. Our ward, Jose (not his real name), graduated High school and Jezza accompanied him as his guardian. We are so thankful for the steps Jose is taking to becoming a responsible adult. Please pray, that with guidance, he may choose a profession that can be of great help to him in being a responsible person and able to serve others with his choice.

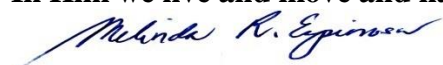
**REPUBLIC OF PALAU.** Another wonderful month we've had serving the Lord here in Palau! There were many really big projects with the airplanes that we were able to make great progress on. **Justin Vaughn** led the team during 211's (one of our Cessna 206) Annual Inspection. This was his first inspection as an IA mechanic. Our team also installed and overhauled nose gear and a new propeller on the Cessna 206. **Dave Kendrick** ferried the King Air from Yap to Palau so we could disassemble the engine and send the parts to Singapore for overhaul. We built an improved aircraft refueling cart with a new high-volume pump so we can refuel the airplanes in 10 minutes instead of 35 minutes. In the PMF church, we celebrated our 26th church anniversary and the pre-teens graduated from children's church and are now attending Sunday services with the adults. We praise God for His provision and blessing this month! ~ **Brock Welge**

**YAP, MICRONESIA.** So much has happened to change our world in just one month. In the US, our Pilot **Dave Kendrick** got COVID and had to reschedule his training for later in August. Then somehow, COVID-19 made its way into the FSM without anyone knowing how and by the time they discovered it, it was already rampant on the islands of Pohnpei and Kosrae. This basically put a halt to all our weekly flights that we were making across the country to help with transportation. I also got thrown into quarantine for 5 days as a precaution since I had passed through Pohnpei when the virus was there. Now, starting in August, the borders of the FSM are officially open and we have already received an influx of people who came in on United. It won't be long before Yap also has COVID. **By: Amos Collins**

**POHNPEI, MICRONESIA.** After 2 ½ years of closed borders, Pohnpei now has a highly contagious outbreak of Covid 19. We are thankful to report that the hospitalizations are few and mostly for those who are already compromised. Those who test positive are asked to isolate at home. One of the state doctors who is a member of PMF church shared, "We have had 2 ½ years to prepare and to learn from the mistakes of other countries. We are now, therefore, better prepared." At PMA we are thankful that we can hold church and continue with our midweek Bible studies. The attitude of fear is still very visible here and PMF church can help with the answer for fear from God's Word: "*I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.*" *Ps 34:4* The silver lining is that the Government has now decided that our borders are open for incoming passengers. No longer a need for 10-day quarantine! We have been praying and waiting for our borders to open and now we have the answer. God is always on time! Yap however, continues to be Covid-free and remains in lockdown until they like Pohnpei will experience their first outbreak. **From: Nob Kalau**

**With so many things happening in the mission field, I am thankful that we have missionaries and volunteers who have answered the call to bring hope and with the message of the Gospel, change lives! Dear Ones, you need not go anywhere to serve the Lord, Jesus challenges you to: "PRAY!" Pray for more laborers to serve with us. "SEND!" By your partnership with our missionaries, you are making a difference in the islands! Wherever you are, you can "SERVE!" those in need. God bless you more!**

**In Him we live and move and have our being,**



**Maria Melinda R. Espinosa, CFO/Administrator**