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Dear Praying Friends and Faithful Partners,

*“For you were called to freedom brethren. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love, serve one another.” Galatians 5:13*

The month of July, Guam (where America’s Day begins), celebrates two freedom days: July 4 – which is America’s Independence Day, and July 21 - Guam’s Liberation Day –an annual commemoration of the invasion by U.S. military forces on July 21, 1944, which ended the Japanese occupation that had begun in 1941. Just as these freedoms were bought and paid for by the blood of those who fought to set the nation, and island free, Jesus Christ gave us freedom to the uttermost – freedom from sin, death and Satan. (Ephesians 1:7) By His death, sin was paid in full, once for all! (Hebrews 10:10) By His blood, our sins have been washed and we are transformed into new creatures! (2 Corinthians 5:17) Thanks be to God! Let us use the freedom we enjoy to love and serve one another!

**GUAM.** Amos Collins, PMA’s Chief Pilot, flew the King Air from Yap to Guam to undergo FAA check ride and medical flight check. We thank God that he passed these with flying colors. FAA also visited our Guam HQ Office to check adherence to their policies. We likewise passed. Praise God!

**PHILIPPINES.** The months of May and June, we have been celebrating the goodness and faithfulness of the Lord as we celebrated milestones in the following PMF churches: Amaga – 15 years; Apad – 5 years; Casuguran – 3 years; Catmon – 7 years; Jomalig – 18 years; Kilogan – 25 years! We thank God for faithful pastors and their wives; interns and church workers who faithfully serve and love all the people they minister to, build them up and disciple them so that they too can reach others in the island for Christ. Pray that they will continue to be steadfast and persevering in their faith!

**BAHAY KALINGA ORPHANAGE, NAUJAN, OR. MINDORO.** **Jeny Gutierrez reports:** “We are thankful that the 24 year old mother of the children who are in our temporary care was able to visit them. She was happy that the children are healthy and are going to school. The children have been with us for a year and three months. Usually, children for temporary shelter stay with us for only 6 months and Social Services monitors them, however, their home situation does not seem to improve and we pray that the Lord will give wisdom to everyone if adoption would be a option for the children. Please pray.

**REPUBLIC OF PALAU.** This month has been eventful in Palau with aviation and church activities. The U.S. military conducted a major operation in the Pacific. We assisted with transportation for the personnel and got to watch fighter jets, C-17s, and C-130s land right in

front of our hangar! It was a great opportunity for a free air show and to share with many different people about the work PMA does in the Pacific. We got another chance for outreach when we hosted a barbecue at our hangar for the other general aviation operators in Palau.

On June 25th and 26th the men of PMF church took a boat to Angaur for a work retreat to finish the summer house church they have been building. With hard work, sweat, and sore muscles they finished pouring the concrete. We got to use the completed summer house for the first time for our weekly Bible study on Saturday. The PMF young adults also went on a much more relaxing retreat, fellowshiping on the beach in the northern part of Palau. God has provided so many opportunities for hard work, fellowship, and outreach this month! – **Melody Coleman**

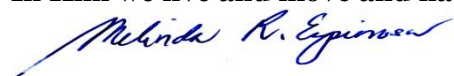
**YAP, MICRONESIA.** June 8 was the 1 year anniversary of the first flight of the King Air in Yap. In one year, we flew both King Airs a total of 1142 hours. This is 4 times the amount of flying that we averaged yearly with the Queen Airs. FSM being closed has really increased the demand for flying and we have been doing our best to keep up. One of the challenges is to stay current. The FAA requires us to have an annual flight test, but they are unwilling to come to Yap where they will have to undergo a 10 day quarantine. So, I had to fly to Guam, take the check ride, renew my medical, then return to Yap, and then go into a 10 day quarantine. Finally I got out and am happy to have all that behind me. Two weeks later, our other Pilot Dave departed for the U.S. for his Check Ride, as well as to reunite with his family for a few weeks. Summer is not the best time for us to be going for these flight checks, because it is the busiest part of the year, and it would be good to have two pilots. Please pray for Dave that his Check ride goes well and pray for us that we can keep up with the demand and the maintenance that comes with flying planes so much.

**POHNPEI, MICRONESIA.** It's so good for Syl and I to be back on our island of Pohnpei. In May, after waiting in Guam for 3 months, we had to complete a 10 day quarantine in order to get back into the country. Hopefully there will be changes to this lockdown of this island nation soon. One young woman who came back from a year of cancer treatment in the US, shared with me how she has experienced the power of God through prayer and is now in remission from the cancer. She wants to be baptized along with her family and declare her faith. Another mother was crying when she told me that her son wanted to be baptized and she would be joining him also. It's a joy to preach the Word of God each Sunday and to observe how God is working in the hearts of His church as individuals respond to the Gospel. It's good to be home! **By Nob Kalau**

**John 8:36 says: “So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.” What a great gift, freedom is, and what a great responsibility as well. We are admonished in Galatians 5:13 to use the freedom we possess to bless and serve others and to love one another.**

**Thank you dear partners for your faithful partnership and support to the ministry and missionaries of PMA. You have been a great part of what we do. We thank God for you!**

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



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