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Dear Praying Friends and Faithful Partners,

“You are the light of the world, a city set on a hill cannot be hidden.” Matthew 5:14

What a great reminder this is for us believers, especially as we live in these crucial and challenging times. We are His ambassadors, representing Him who is the One true Light. What a great privilege for us to be chosen by Him! Let us always remember that we are supposed to reflect in our lives the True Light of this world. As we follow our Lord Jesus Christ closely, we can shine brightly, resulting that our witness would attract others to know the Lord and compel them to have a deep, abiding and obedient relationship with Him.

GUAM. We thank God for the visit of **Matthias Keppler**, Manager of PMA Deutschland (Germany). He was here on his way to PMA mission stations in Palau, flying with PMA’s aircraft to Yap, then proceed to visit Pohnpei. He will be back again in Guam, middle of this month, this time he will be with us for 4 days. Then, he leaves for the Philippines and visit all our stations there in the Polillos, as well as visit our Bahay Kalinga Orphanage and Children’s Home in Naujan, Mindoro. We thank God for his visit and pray safe travels for him. May he be a blessing to all our PMA mission staff and may we be a blessing to him as well.

PHILIPPINES. We thank God for **Mercy Sulad** who has served PMA for 20 years now as our head teacher of our PMA Learning Academy in Patnanungan, Philippines. She is also very much active in our Pacific Mission Fellowship (PMF) church as Sunday school teacher, teacher trainer for all our Sunday school and Vacation Bible school teachers for all our PMF churches in Polillo and involved with the youth and ladies ministries as well. Before she served us in the Philippines, she was an intern in Guam for our then PMF church for a year, then transferred to PMF Palau where she served for 5 years. So in total, she has faithfully served the Lord through PMA for 26 years! We thank God for her commitment and faithfulness to the Lord. The last time I visited the Philippines, and spent time with her, she said that she has determined that, by God’s grace and strength, nothing will hinder her from serving the Lord with PMA! Please pray for daily strength and provision!

BAHAY KALINGA (BK) ORPHANAGE, NAUJAN, OR. MINDORO, PHILIPPINES. Our BK takes care of children from baby to 12 years old. Our facility can care effectually for children. As of the end of October 2023, we have served 280 children with 99 adoptions. We have had 181 children for temporary care – most of them of them have already been reunited

with their parents, or close relatives willing and able to support and provide for them, but most especially give them the love and care they deserve.

REPUBLIC OF PALAU. *Psalms 100:1-2 - “Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!”* A big praise for this month is the completed preparation of Cessna 206 T8A-213. The plane has been successfully test flown after months of working on the upgrades. We thank God for providing our Pilots and Mechanics the wisdom, and supplying equipment, and parts needed to complete the task. This plane is now ready and awaiting to be transferred to Manila which will be a huge help for the re-starting of the PMA-Philippines Aviation Ministry.

Every October of each year, evangelical churches in Palau organize an event called “Walk for Jesus” where Pacific Mission Fellowship (PMF) – Palau joins year after year. Together, we walk the streets, sing praises and worship our Lord, and pray for the nation, leadership, families, youth and world peace. It is a blessed event for all of us who believe in the One True God and our Lord Jesus Christ!, ~*Angelyn de Liña*

YAP, MICRONESIA. Pastor Petrus Haleyalgiy, shared: “The VBS (Vacation Bible School) team travelled to Fais to conduct a VBS. there We had 74 children and had enough helpers from our PMF church here. We give thanks to God for the open hearts of the people in this island. The Chief and the community allowed our team to stay at the school and conduct our ministry there. We had enough time to minister to the children, complete the VBS and have devotions with our Fais PMF church. Praise God, the Fais congregation were encouraged and the children learned more the Word of God!

POHNPEI, MICRONESIA. AnnJeanette and Allston Abraham are a young couple in their early 30’s. They love the Lord and are enthusiastic volunteers serving at the PMF church in Pohnpei. They enjoy helping the youth group comprised mostly of high-schoolers and planned an alternative for the night of Halloween. The youth dressed up as Bible characters and had fun with competitive games and an inspiring devotional. Couples like the Abrahams are the future of our PMF churches and we are thankful for their devoted heart for God. **By: Sylvia Kalau**

Praise God! What an honor and a privilege to represent Him here on earth. Each day, may He enable us to live a life pleasing to Him. May He inspire our every word and action to draw others to Him, and as His servant, allow our lives to be His light in this dark world. Thank you dear Partners, your light has been shed abroad as you partner and support PMA and our mission staff in prayer and financially. God bless you more!

In Him we live and move and have our being,



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