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Dear Praying Friends and Faithful Partners,

“Love must be sincere. Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. Be devoted to one another in love. Honor one another above yourselves. Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord.” Romans 12: 9-12

It is February once again – the “Love Month”. The word “love” is so often misunderstood in the world. First and foremost, it is an action word. It is not just a feeling. It is for us to consciously put aside evil and purposefully, intentionally walk and live in love. Always thinking of others first and to desire always their good. To be sincere also means that our relationship with others is without pretense or falsehood. And we can only do this when we live our life in and through our Lord Jesus Christ – who is Love Himself. “We love because He first loved us.” 1 John 4:19... “God is love” 1 John 4:8

GUAM. We had **Sabine Musselwhite** from Germany come through Guam on her way to Pohnpei where she serves every so often – working on the programs at our “The Cross Radio” which is an FM Station which broadcasts the Good News of our Lord Jesus as well as positive encouraging music that also shares God’s Word. The vital link here on Guam is **Wai Yi Ma**, a faithful sister in the Lord who downloads all the programs into CD which we send to Pohnpei. Indeed the work of the mission is not the work of one man/woman, but a team who sincerely loves and serves the Lord.

PHILIPPINES. From PMF Patnanungan’s **Pastor Bryan Bantucan**: “Last December 15, we celebrated the church’s 38 years in conjunction with our Christmas celebration. We thank God for His faithfulness and goodness in the ministry and for a fruitful year! We also celebrated Christmas with our Compassion families at the Community Plaza with 92 families in attendance and in addition 22 families from PMF Guinayayan. As a pastor, it was truly amazing for me to witness His work in the lives of 100 children and their parents, and the impact love, compassion, and God’s Word can have when we obey Him.”

BAHAY KALINGA ORPHANAGE, NAUJAN, OR. MINDORO, PHILIPPINES. Here is part of a year ender report from **Micah Oda**, our Center Head: “To date we have cared for 442 children – with 67 of them surrendered (Parents who have relinquished their parental rights and given the children to PMA BK for adoption). Children for temporary shelter and have since been returned to their families. Adoptive families include, here in the Philippines: Palawan, Occidental Mindoro, Laguna and Manila, the United States: Oregon, Colorado, Nebraska, among others and families from Norway, Denmark, Sweden, Australia, France, Italy, Spain, Canada and Netherland. **Praise God for the love and tender care BK has given to the children in our care, thanks to all our Caregivers, Social Worker and Center Head!**

REPUBLIC OF PALAU. January is always a busy month because the weather gets windy and rainy causing the boats to cancel. We are so glad that God has provided the means for us to fly the people as an alternative to boat transportation. We also have had an increase in scenic flights as tourism slowly picks back up in Palau. We are thankful for God's provision through these flights. Unfortunately, the summer house and tree house that we built in Angaur for Bible study lost their structural integrity because of termites. We have taken them both down, and the PMA/PMF men are rebuilding them with concrete posts which will protect against termites in the future. One victory is that we got one of our Cessna 206s back in the air after some major repairs to the wing. Brock is in Australia this week overseeing the overhaul of one of our King Air engines. -**Melody Coleman**

YAP, MICRONESIA. We had a successful trip to Woleai to begin salvage of N44MA which had crashed on takeoff last July. We spent a day and a half disassembling as much as we could. With limited tools, we accomplished much more than we expected and were able to bring a lot of undamaged parts back with us which we will use as spares for our other Queen Air (N46MA) which is the identical twin sister to N44MA. God blessed us with perfect weather and lots of helping hands. We also thank God that Pius our PMF church elder flew with us and met with the Woleai church family. **By: Amos Collins**

POHNPEI, MICRONESIA. One Sunday morning at PMF church in Pohnpei 4 Chinese men walked in the door. As we greeted them, we found out that they were medical doctors coming to the island to help in the hospital for one year. Only one of them spoke English and he was assigned to be the translator for the group. "Peter, where have you learned to speak such good 'English?'" I asked. Peter replied, "There is a couple in New Zealand that meet with me regularly online and teach me English by reading from the Bible." After Nob shared the sermon, Peter approached him and asked if he could meet with him and talk. He had many questions about the purpose of life and was looking for answers. How amazing is our God who would bring a seeker like Peter from China to our island and to our international church service to hear the message of Jesus. "*So neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but only God, who makes things grow.*" 1 Cor.3:7 - **Sylvia Kalau**

We are so thankful to God to you dear partners who faithfully show your love by supporting our missionaries and ministry. "*All this is for your benefit, so that the grace that is reaching more and more people may cause thanksgiving to overflow to the glory of God.*" 2 Corinthians 4:15

God bless you more!

In Him we live and move and have our being,



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