

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

September & October 2022

The Lord has answered our prayers regarding the Foreign Contribution Registration for our ministry. As you may recall, we have been praying for registration since 2020. This is an imperative registration for the ministry to receive support from abroad. The federal government has already revoked the registration of several religious and charitable organizations. After much prayer and waiting, our registrations came through without any issues. It is valid for the next five years, from April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023. Thank you for all your fervent prayers. The Indian Supreme court has instructed the federal government to implement an Anti-Conversion law in the country of India. Several of our pastors are facing many issues from the military in Myanmar. Please uphold these two requests in prayer!



The annual youth camp was held in Kerala the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of September. There were nearly two hundred participants attending. It was an exciting time for the young people as it was the first in-person camp after the Corona restrictions. The theme was "Go Forward – God will make the way." The delegates actively participated in all the programs and classes with six people accepting Jesus and several dedicating their lives. In October, I visited Hyderabad, Telangana, and the surrounding area for eight days preaching several meetings and teaching at the Bible Institute. One of the main highlights was preaching at two youth rallies. More than 40 participants came for each meeting. Six young people came to know Jesus as their Savior with many surrendering their lives to Christ.



**Project:** Sincere thanks to all those who are sacrificially helping us and especially with our project. As mentioned in previous letters the total amount needed for the church property is \$20,000. Funds received thus far are \$17,135.63 for the project. Payments on these properties have been made with the funds received. The purchase has not been closed thus the landowners are asking for more funds. Please pray with me for the remaining \$2,864.37. It would be a blessing to finish the payment balance as soon as possible.

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Your special prayers are requested for my family. October was a trying month for us. Blessy had to have a much-needed surgery. Many hurdles were faced but God was good to us. His hand was in every situation. **Blessy's health is better and she is slowly recovering.** Thank you for your prayers and support. May God bless you abundantly!

For souls in India,

*Sam Thomas*

Your Missionary Sam Thomas & Family  
(Sam, Blessy, Alexander, Abishua & Anita)

*Note: We plan to come to the US at the end of April 2023 and stay until the last week of October. If you would like us to visit your Church, please contact me on the email mentioned at the top of this letter or send a TEXT message to 405 332 1503.*



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