



OBEYING THE GREAT COMMISSION

Going – Discipling – Baptizing - Teaching

Matthew 28:19-20

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

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SIBC VISION: LOVE GOD, LOVE THE CHURCH AND LOVE OTHERS



Christmas Outreach on Dec. 16



Villagers heard the Good News and received gifts.



Children received stockings and stuffed animals.



Villagers received Christmas gifts.



Adults were given donated clothing.

Christmas Outreach on Dec. 23



We prepared clothes and gifts for the 2 outreaches.



Visitors signed in and then had dinner.



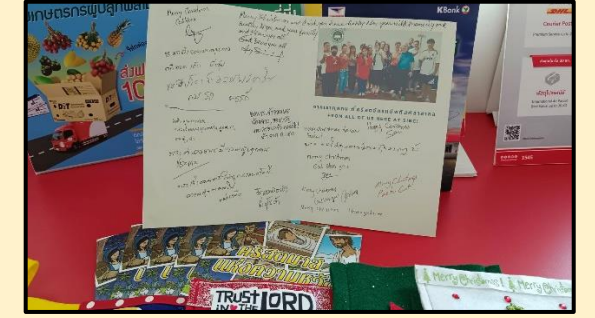
Children and adults are happy to receive gifts.



About 20 people received Jesus before candlelight.



2 believers from last year.



We signed a card and sent baby clothes to Dow.



Oat got a guitar as a gift on his 1st anniversary.

Myanmar Student Outreach



Sharing the Good News at Khon Kaen University.



This is the 2nd year here. Many want to know Jesus.

Believe and be baptized



Explaining to Por before he received Jesus. (Dec. 3)



Por was baptized on the following Sunday. (Dec. 10)

Bible Study is growing



Pastor Martin taught about Prayer on Wed. Dec. 13.



Now we have 12 children come to church regularly.

Pray for a new place



God has led us to a great piece of land.



Preparing a new church plan for the right time.

Celebration with church family



New bass and electric guitar for the worship team.



All members were happy to get gifts from the pastor.



We enjoyed eating and talking together. (Dec.30)



Exchanging gifts was full of fun and good memories.

Fruits from 2 outreaches



8 visitors from Dec. 16 and 12 visitors from Dec. 23.



57 people on Dec. 31st (The highest of the year.)



These 4 Christians want to be our members.



Other visitors are interested in believing in Jesus.

Prayer Requests:

1. To receive an official letter from Thailand Baptist Foundation to open a church bank account.
2. To raise money to buy land and build a church.
3. For Khon Kaen people to be receptive to the Gospel.
4. For Pastor Curt to complete all paperwork for 501(3)c status.

A note from the Pastor:

In December, we had some heartwarming and miraculous moments. On the 16th, we visited Samrong village, sharing the Christmas message with over 100 people and giving gifts and clothes to everyone. This led to six or seven new faces at our church this past Sunday, eager to learn more about Christ. On the 23rd, we held another outreach at our church, drawing in a surprising 128 people. Pastor Somjai from the Thailand Baptist Convention joined us, delivering a powerful message on Christmas, and we were thrilled to witness over 20 individuals expressing a desire to welcome Christ into their lives.

On Christmas Eve, I had the privilege of speaking to the Myanmar Student Association at Khon Kaen University, sharing the significance of Jesus and Christmas. This event sparked interest from a couple of ladies considering joining our church.

As we continue to grow, we are in search of new property since our current building is no longer sufficient. We've identified a great piece of land close to the main road and are seeking donations to acquire it and build a new church with the necessary facilities. It's incredible to witness what God is doing in a city where less than 0.2% know Christ – the fields are indeed ripe for harvest, as Jesus said in John 4:35!

In the upcoming year, please consider how you can contribute to this ministry and help spread the Gospel. I want to express my gratitude to all who supported us in 2023 through donations and prayers. Your generosity has made a significant impact on our outreach efforts.

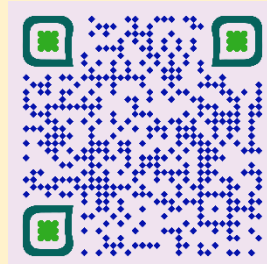
Your servant in Christ,
Curt Mathis

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GIVE BY CHECK:

1. Make check out to Kingwood First Baptist Church
2. In the memo section write: Thailand Missions
3. Mail to:

Kingwood First Baptist Church
3500 Woodland Hills Drive
Kingwood, Texas 77339



GIVE ONLINE:

Scan the QR code and select Mission – Thailand then follow the prompts to complete how you would like to give.

Current Supporters



If you would like to become a monthly or one-time supporter, our church would be very grateful. If you do send money to Kingwood First Baptist Church, please email me, and let me know. It will help in planning future projects for fulfilling the Great Commission.

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