

APAC NEWS UPDATE

Burmese Church Planting in Thailand

In April 2018, AWF-APAC facilitated a church planting partnership project to reach out the Burmese migrant workers in Mahachai, Thailand for Christ. The Thailand C&MA as the main partner invited Rev. Than Tun, a Burmese pastor to work among these contract workers.



Praise God, according to Pastor Than Tun, there are more than 40 individuals are coming every Sunday for worship service.



Currently, Pastor Than Tun baptized two new converts of Buddhist background. Right now there are seven new contacts who are joining the morning worship service.



During weekends, the Grace Mission Community church provides Basic English and Basic Thai classes for the migrant workers in the afternoons and Bible study in the mornings.



Revisiting Palu, Indonesia

In September 2018, a destructive tsunami hit Palu, in the island of Sulawesi, Indonesia



that destroyed huge properties and killed many lives. In partnership with our Alliance family around the globe, the Gereja Kemah Injil of Indonesia (GKII) have responded in bringing help to the victims under the leadership of Dr. Daniel Ronda, GKII National President.



Today, Rev. Daniel Ronda and Rev. Lai Ka Lai, the General Secretary of Hong Kong Alliance Mission, are visiting Palu to get an update of the relief work and the building project. Rev. Lai is asking prayers for God's protection of this trip.

General Assembly /Council

Today is the first day of the Thailand C&MA annual assembly. This annual gathering will end on March 29. Please continue to uphold this in your prayer.

Kindly pray also for the coming council of the Khmer Evangelical Church (KEC Cambodia) on April 1-3, 2019. Pray that God's Spirit will empower all the leaders to be united and in one accord for the glory of God especially in the election of their new national leadership team.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance Churches of the Philippines (CAMACOP) will also hold its General Assembly on April 23-28, 2019 under the leadership of Rev. Eduardo Cajés, the national president. Pray for the on-going preparations and safety of the event.

Whereabouts for months of April & May

1. Cambodia – April 1-6, 2019 for KEC General Council
2. April 21-May 4, 2019 – Germany for AWF EXCOM/AWF Missions Leaders/Emerald Regional Conference
3. May 27-30, 2019 – Mumbai, India for National Alliance Fellowship of India (NAFI) meeting

Thank you once again for your partnership in prayers.

Blessings,
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