MISSION'S MISSIONS

and the SWAT TEAM for Christ

A careful reading of the introductory verse will explain the title directly above. I am a missionary supported by my home church along with other churches for the purpose of producing other missionaries going out from my church for the purpose of producing...surely you get it. Well, we now have two graduates that are on their way to successfully building churches following 2Tim. 2:2. Just in case there is a reader that is moved by the Holy Spirit to support a worthy Filipino trying to start a Filipino church from scratch under the auspices and sound doctrine of their home church and Bible Institute, we have two we can fully recommend. Two Sundays ago we commissioned Nike and Love Dimacali to begin a new church in the city of Aloran nearly 5 hours west of us. Nike graduated a few years ago and left this ministry on good terms. He has some experience in operating a church and now is starting from scratch. They are a fine couple, and we look forward to hearing great reports from that new ministry.

Wednesday PM...2-23-2022 we will commission another fine couple, Alvin and Mae Sumalpong (the couple on the left) will be sent out from our church to officially start a church in Talakag, about one hour away. They have been laying the foundation for this new work for some time now and the people (about 40) are very eager to have their own Bible Believer's Baptist Church in their area. There is some ground available to use to build a temporary shelter from sun and rain and Alvin can start building that shelter in another week. Alvin graduated just a couple years ago, and the couple were married in our church and have been very active for the Lord and have a super good attitude about the ministry in general.

WANT TO HELP?

We have another missions trip approaching in May. This is a long and treacherous trip. The good Lord just provided a sizeable, 4X4, large double cab vehicle to make these trips in. The terrain requires this kind of vehicle. We have made several of these trips in the past and they are always a tremendous success. Many folks and kids have been saved and blessed by the teaching and preaching. Usually, we sent 10 or more of our folks and they combine Bible teaching

VBS, and academic workshops for the kids. We have always provided school supplies for all the kids (600 or more) and the whole community are jumping out of their skin with joy. For some, it might be the first notebook, pencil, and sharpener or eraser they have ever had. In the past we have received "Balik Bayan" boxes full of great school supplies sent from U.S. churches. If you need explanation on these kinds of boxes just reply.

Sometimes churches have just sent funds to help us purchase the necessary materials It is nearing the end of the school year in USA and usually school supplies go on drastic sale, or if you know the company or owner they could even make a charitable donation to the kids in the Philippine Islands.

There is still time to send a Balik Bayan box and it will get here in about 6 weeks. Churches very often love to rally in this effort. So, if any church, group, or individual would like to do this or participate along with someone else sending these boxes...let me know ASAP. These are a real giant blessing.

All is blessed here on our property and in our ministry. Projects, such as the remodeling of the houses or even building more facilities provide work for our men and are soon finished. Praise the Lord. Our health is very fine. Just celebrated my 77th. A teen girl wrote me a B-card that said she really liked that I can still preach even though I am so old. Amen! Gerald Sutek







