

Philippines-Palawan Mission Project Update







Healthier Life in Christ, by Christine

Two days in March our church care group conducted a mini medical mission for our Bible interests and newly baptized members at Green Valley in preparation for our weeklong nightly Growing in Christ Stewardship series. ECG tests, Fasting Blood Sugar and blood typing were done during the 1st day. The following day doctors were available to present the tests results. Due to limited funds, only vitamins were distributed to attendees. Prescriptions were written for patients to purchase.

Danilo Betita, one of our newly baptized members, is suffering from chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) due to his past smoking habits. He has difficulty breathing and was prescribed medicines which he is unable to buy. As a 66-year-old childless widower he is unable to work.

Informed of his need, I approached Dr. Cynie and showed her Danilo's prescription. I was able to secure the medicine from the samples usually given to medical providers by pharmaceutical representatives. A placebo Respimat was demonstrated to me so that I could show Danilo how to take the medicine.

Praise God for his providence! Danilo is feeling better now with the daily dose of inhaler. Consequently, he is now able to take jobs to provide for his daily supplies. Let's continue to pray that he will grow in faith as he continues to experience God's goodness and sustaining mercies each day.

A Vessel, by Betchie

"But the Lord said unto him, go thy way: for he is a chosen vessel unto me, to bear my name before the Gentiles, and kings, and the children of Israel."

Acts 9:15

In the 3rd Quarter 2021 Airways edition, I wrote about Vergel, who through our many youth programs experienced a changed life: a life of depression and sadness to a vibrant life as an active member of our youth group. Since Vergel's baptism, his 19-year-old sister Althea began asking about Adventist beliefs and teachings. We then invited her to worship with us and receive Bible lessons. We pray that she continues to open her mind to spiritual truths and acquire deeper understanding of what it means to have a faithful and true service.





A month after we moved to our rental place in the city of Puerto Princesa, we met another new tenant, Precious, a student, who was no longer a believer. I felt impressed to befriend her and begin exchanging life experiences with her.

One day, Precious and her friend Glaiza decided to come with us to my hometown of Napsan, 60 kilometers away from the city we were all renting and being neighbors. They wanted to hear words from the Lord. What joy! I am humbled to being used as a vessel to share experiences and interactions with young people who continue to seek the truth.

Please pray for our young people that include Precious, Glaiza, Althea and Vergel in their study of our Lord through the Bible and songs.

Update on My Mother Genalyn, by Betchie

"Honor your father and mother," which is the first commandment with promise: "that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth."

Ephesians 6:2-3

It was our whole family's request to the Lord to strengthen our mother again. As the firstborn I took on the obligation to lead out in my mother's healing. I ensure that she walks every morning at 5 am for exercise, and that she eats nutritious vegetables and fruits. It has been a hard road for my mother but with the help of prayers and trust in the Lord, we know nothing is impossible for Him.

Prayer Request and Project Need

Willing hearts to serve as missionaries with AWA in the beautiful island of Palawan ministering to the beautiful people of the Philippines.

Both our Philippine Project vehicles are in need of replacement. Both are serving well and serving extremely hard. Prayerfully consider assisting the project of purchasing new vehicles for Edgar in Sagpangan, and Christine and Betchie in Puerto Princesa.

God bless you!

Your AWA Philippines - Palawan Mission Families

