

MONTHLY MISSIONS UPDATE Nov 2021 – New Life Christian Centre



What can an average size church like ours do in 12 months to take Jesus love, care, and gospel to the nations of the world?

VANUATU: We continue to provide funds to support the CRC Bible School on the Island of Santo, which is now called **World Missions Faith Training School**. The School will recommence in March 2022. Pr John and Unuba Weimani (Principal), and Pr Willy have worked hard to restore the school grounds and buildings to get ready. We gave more than \$5000 to help rebuild damaged buildings 2020, and gave towards a new mower Feb 2021. Pr John Weimani in pic – right.....



Special offering: Nov 7th 2021. To go toward further cyclone repair work at WMFTS. ACC, NLCC, Albury and Goolwa CRC churches have given a further \$3200 to fund the finishing off of the staff house destroyed in the cyclone with a new roof. We need to fund travel costs for the building team about to go to Santo to do the work. [If you would like to give, please mark your offering 'Vanuatu cyclone repairs – travel costs'](#). [See overleaf for more info.](#)

SRI LANKA/PNG: People continue to support the Children's Homes and Pre-school (see 'give a coffee' campaign over leaf). In 2019 **Roger Fitton** travelled to PNG twice to assist with IT and will go again when borders are opened.

INDIA.

[Pray for the Mattos \(RAHAB\); their church \(many people have Covid and a 16-year-old boy died\), and for training staff and students in West Bengal. We are aware of the terrible situation with COVID there at present.](#)

RAHAB rescues and rehabilitates neglected, abused and trafficked women. **Greg and Olivia** visited RAHAB and served in the World Missions Faith Training Centre, Siliguri, West Bengal, India Oct/Nov 2019. Olivia lectured in health and first aid as well as devotionals and communion.



NIGEL AND LINDSAY RICE AND FAMILY are home in Aust on furlough in 2021. Our commitment to them is \$2000 per annum. In 2020 our church sent a further \$2000 to assist the Rices as their overall support dropped due to COVID.

Philippines Child feeding programme, and Operation Christmas Child. People in our church support other missions work also, for example ministry training in Myanmar (Burma). PLEASE visit cicchurches.org for more information about CRC World Missions

Pr John Weimani and wife, Unuba, from PNG. John is the CRC Bible School Principal on Santo, Vanuatu. Our church supports them financially in their role each month. Dean of Students, Willy Malon continues on staff. [Unuba recently fractured her ankle. Please pray for a complete re.](#)



Vanuatu is the main country we support as a church and Pr Greg is the 'CRC Field Support Worker', working closely with CRC International Missions Director Pr Silverback and Pr Remy Adams National Chairman Vanuatu. But, it is fantastic that we are serving other nations as well. Interestingly, our support serves people in Buddhist, Muslim, and Hindu areas. Also, we continue to serve our own great country as we reach out locally.

Let us continue to grow our heart for World Missions and **pray for** and **support financially** Christ's work in the Nations. *Pause for a moment please and pray for the above mentioned! Pr Greg (PTO)*



For more information see our **Connect News for ACC** brochure in the foyer and our monthly giving envelop.

WE INVITE YOU TO GIVE USING THE WORLD MISSIONS ENVELOP OR GIVE ONLINE THROUGH OUR WEB SITE

FUNDRAISING INITIATIVE: GIVE A COFFEE

Give a Coffee Campaign: ACC initiative.

Throughout 2020 Door of Hope Preschool in Vavuniya, Sri Lanka faced numerous closures due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Although the pandemic continues to affect daily life in Sri Lanka, our preschool is currently up and running with 12 students enrolled and two teachers. During the challenging times caused by the pandemic, some of our supporters outside the church have had to decrease their support of Door of Hope Preschool. This means we require more funds per month to keep the preschool running. With this in mind, we have decided to bring back our 'Give a Coffee' fundraising campaign. We ran this campaign a number of years ago to raise money for other areas of missions and it was very successful! We are aiming at raising an additional \$700 per month to contribute to the ongoing running of the preschool, as well as a new playground. Give a Coffee Campaign We are looking for people willing to make a commitment to give \$5 per week for one year (the price of a coffee) to contribute to the support of the preschool. If 35 people commit to \$5 per week we will reach the \$700 target we are aiming for per month.

SPECIFIC GIVING ENVELOPS AND INFO IS AVAILABLE ON THE BACK TABLE.



LET'S BUILD

We are raising money to complete the staff house at **WMFTS** which was destroyed by cyclone Harold early in 2020. A team travelled twice from Port Vila to Santo in 2020 to rebuild several structures that were either destroyed or damaged. Still to complete is the Roof for a Staff house pictured below. **Pr Remy and team are travelling there in Nov 2022 to do the work and we need to raise money for their travel. Approx. \$1600 total.** (World Missions Faith Training School, Vanuatu)

ACC, NLCC, Albury and Goolwa CRC raised \$3200 in total for the staff house. **We need \$1600 for travel costs** for the building team to travel from Port Vila to the Island of Santo where the WMFTS is

If you would like to do some building in Vanuatu, please mark your offering **Vanuatu WMFTS Staff house. You will not only be building a house, but you will be building lives!**

