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Dear Praying Friends,

We want to thank each and every one of you for your faithful prayers and financial support as we continue to build IBOM Asia. Our churches planted this last year are doing well and growing thanks to your prayers and God's amazing grace.



Pastor Boy Ling had a packed house and needs to expand their building. He has a precious wife with a servant's heart. I was humbled as I observed how she went around and served each person a small lunch



after the service. **Boy Ling prayer request:** Needs \$7000 for building extension.



I thoroughly enjoyed spending the afternoon and evening service with **Pastor A Lin**, his family and church. There was a good crowd from the community in attendance with several who were new converts. We shared discipleship lessons with them and preached the evening service. A Lin is a hard worker and is constantly going into the villages and evangelizing. In His time, God will do even greater and

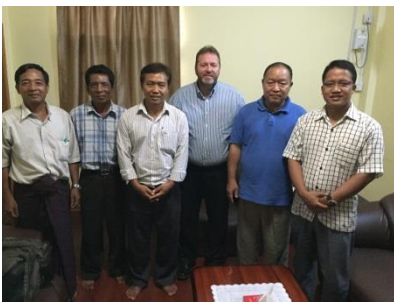
mightier things through this ministry. **A Lin prayer request:** their contract is up for renewal and this could affect their ministry. Pray for the Lord's will concerning this. Also, there are five faithful young men in this church that I believe God may be preparing for the ministry. Pray for these "Faithful Five" as I have nicknamed them, that the Lord will have His way with them.

The greatest need of any missionary is the intercessory prayers of the local church!



Pastor Myo Min Tun is doing a great job as well. They are just getting started in their work. Min is evangelizing these Buddhist people and God is blessing him for his efforts. All these people are either new converts or are people seeking the Truth. I am glad that we have Min there in Palaye Myothit.

The ministry opportunities in Mynamar (Burma) are so abundant; I cannot seem to keep up. We have five men that are ready to start churches and seven other men who have just started having Bible Studies in people's homes and hoping to establish a church soon. We need to raise \$4200 for each of these men which will cover three years of monthly support of \$100 and an additional \$600 for each to cover start-up costs of songbooks, chairs, etc.



I taught Discipleship and Evangelism in our partner Bible College of 136 students while there. There are a lot of prospective church planters in this group. Our future in Myanmar looks exciting.

I want to close with this story and prayer request. Pictured below is Essad, he is a Muslim, following after the teachings of Muhammad and Islam. He was my driver while in Yangon. He was a very nice man, but religiously lost. I witnessed to him for hours as we drove. Tears streamed down his face as he told me "Sir, I believe what you say is true but if I leave my religion, my family will forsake me and some will even try to kill me. Please pray for me, that if your Christ wants me to be saved, that He will soften the hearts of my family and friends so I can get saved without losing them". Please pray for him and his family. Also pray for me as I return there and request his services that I may continue to witness to him, that Christ might win him!

Trusting in your prayers and His provisions,

Bro. Chris Murray

***I would love to come and share with your congregation
the opportunity of planting a church in Asia.***

Rev. 3:8

Prayerfully consider having a Plant A Church Sunday!

