

Cross Mission

Transforming Lives in India

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Dear Brothers and sisters, Greetings in Jesus name. We are very happy to share what the Lord is doing here in India. God is transforming the lives in India. Thank you for your prayers and financial support.

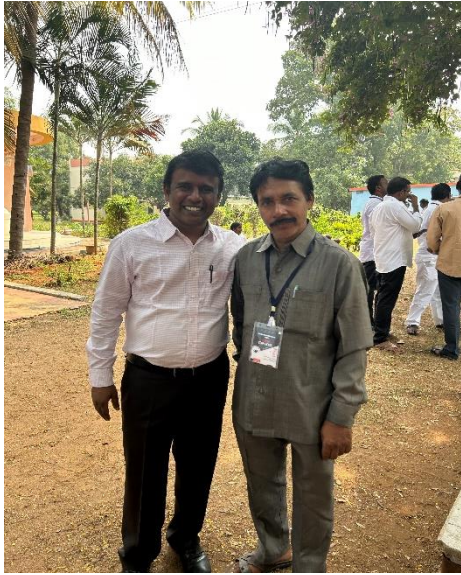
“To him who alone does great wonders, His love endures forever”. Psalm36:4

Young sister stood for Jesus: she is from a village and studying her bacheleros in science. The whole family worships Hindu godess in her village. We got an oppurnuity to viist their family and share the Good news to her and God did a miracle in her life. She repnted of her sins and trusted in Jesus. Its not an easy decision for her because no one from her family gave their lives to the Lord. Its so hard for her to trust in Jesus and follow Him. The great thing God did in her life is



she took Baptism and coming to the church. She led her mother to christ and now she is praying of her father. What a joy to see God is at work in this family. The words she spoke to me few weeks back is that she want to live a life that pleases God whatever it might look like.

Muslim church planter (180 million Muslims in India): Our mission is to make disciples and plant churches among the unreached in India. God has been working in many ways in the villages of India. The greatest thing for us to train Muslim church planter in one STC. We are training four Muslim brothers want to reach their Muslim community in the villages and started churches in their region. I hope you know 180 million Muslim as I have been speaking with him, he said it was so hard for him to stand for the Lord as his people are opposing him and excommunicated him from the community. He started a church in his house. He led new family to the Lord and the beauty of the Lord church is he



has few Hindus came to know the Lord of His Testimony. The story goes like this His sister got admitted in hospital and he prayed Allah to heal her and all his people prayed but no use. One brother came and prayed for his sister and God healed her then he started asking that brother about Jesus and he shared the gospel and led him to the Lord. Church planter realized Jesus is the real God as he is working and started a house church. He led 2 people to the lord last week. He is a disciple maker. Lets make disciples who make disciples.

Deeper conference: we had deeper conference on personal spiritual life for 90 pastors. As we train our church planters for one year, we continue to partner with them for 5 more years to take them deep in their walk with Christ and their ministry. we want to see these leaders get matured in Christ so that they can disciple people in their churches. We had wonderful time of three days conference on personal spiritual life. We had special day of worship and prayer for one and half hour which led pastors to spend time with the lord and we saw many pastors confessing their sins with tears through the work of the holy spirit. We are thankful to the team that lead and modeled. Many pastors spoke to me that this time has been learning and refreshing time for them to go the villages and do ministry. We are thankful to the partners for helping us to train and resource and network pastors.



S and B lives changed: we have 30 children in our orphanage. All these children are from poor background. Some children are not able to get education because of their situation. We give good education, food and shelter. We also give them the Gospel to them. **S** and **B** girls are very special children for us. They came as 5 years old but now they are studying 9th class. **S** father left mother and her family is very poor that she is not able to go to school. God connected us and we bought her to house of joy and her life changed. We have been taking care of her for 10 years and she always come to us asks can I help in anyway. It was like for us to think that she wants to help us because she realized God helped her in life. She gave her life to Jesus now.



B is also from poor background and her families cannot take care of her because of their condition God helped us to bring her into the family of house of joy. She was talking to us that she never realized how much God loves her until she came to house of joy and she is very talented in dance and music. Shared the gospel in Sunday school class for house of joy kids and she gave her life to the Lord.

Our family: Our family is doing well. I had tough with allergic bronchitis for one month. God healed me now and I am able to travel. Pastor Mohan and Maria are doing well. My mom maria is getting through a small surgery on her back of the neck tomorrow. Would you pray for her. Paul and peter are learning music. Paul is really good with the drums. Thanks for all your prayers and support. We need your continued prayers and support for 2023.



Prayer requests:

1. Pray for us and the churches to grow in faith.
2. Pray for the brothers and sisters who are getting opposition from families.
3. Pray for the 4 shepherds training center's – training 100 pastors.
4. Pray for the resources house of joy kids and school and STC's
5. Pray for pastor Mohan and maria - surgery.
6. pray for the pastors who went back to the villages after deeper conference.
7. pray for the need of church building for pastor john Paul in his village.