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GOD'S LIVING WORD FOR ALL PEOPLE

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"It's a New Year – Yet We Preach the Same Old Message"

"Go Ye into All the World and Preach the Gospel"

Dear Friends and Supporters,

Our resolve is to continue to preach the Old-fashioned Gospel, i.e., nothing can save but God's Love in Christ. It's not a Woke gospel that replaces good with evil and brazenly promotes racism, gender identity, and body mutilation, with perverts openly stealing the innocence of our young children, rampant in our schools. Nor is it a Humanistic or Progressive gospel; a watered-down feel-good gospel that condones everything that God hates, while despising everything that God loves. Conservatives and Christians alike get lied about and rudely shouted down. Anything not in full agreement with their twisted causes gets viciously demonstrated against.

Yes, we will continue to preach the authentic Gospel without apology—saved by Grace alone apart from works (John 3:16, 1 Cor 15:1–4, Eph 2:8–9, Titus 3:4–6). It declares that all people everywhere must repent and believe because everyone needs Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord (Acts 17:30). God is righteous; no impure thing can enter into His presence and live (1 Cor 6:9). The Gospel also warns that the Lake of Fire awaits all who reject Christ (John 3:36).

The Gospel is a divine message, revealed in a divine Book, by the divine Author, about His divine Son, the Lord Jesus Christ! It is God's Good News of redemption and forgiveness of sin—restoring us to a right relationship with God through Christ, *The Lamb of God Who Takes Away the Sin of the World*. He's the only one that can save to the uttermost all who come to Him in faith believing (John 1:29; Heb 7:25).

"Nor is salvation found in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved"...only by the Name, person, and work of the Lord Jesus Christ (Acts 4:12). The message is a Good News declaration of a free gift from a loving God. He postponed the coming final judgment because He is long-suffering toward us-ward, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance (2 Peter 3:9).

Note this verse does *not* say God is longsuffering towards sin, or the unrepentant sinner, but towards us, believers who need to get busy. Referring to Himself, Jesus explained this in a parable about a certain Nobleman who traveled to a far country to receive a kingdom, and would then return. Before leaving, he called his ten servants together, giving them each a large sum of money. He then specifically instructed them to *"occupy till I return"* (Luke 19:12–13). The term occupy (*pragma teuomai*) means to carry out business. That is, God's business of reaching lost souls for Christ. Incidentally, *Pragma* is where we get our word for pragmatic or practical.

With that a mind, Jesus charged His Apostles just previous to returning to Heaven, recorded in many Scriptures: *"All authority is given to Me in heaven and on earth. 'Go therefore and make disciples of all nations...'"* (Matthew 28:18–19); *"Go into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature"* (Mark 15:16); *"Repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all peoples"* (cf. Luke 24:47); *"As the Father has sent Me, so send I you"* (John 20:21); *"Ye shall be my witnesses...unto the uttermost ends of the earth"* (cf. Acts 1:8).

Christ also said “*I will build my Church and the Gates of Hell shall not prevail against it*” (Matt 16:18). This is God’s plan, and our marching orders. We (the Church and members in particular) are commanded to be about God’s business of building Christ’s Church. Wanna know God’s will for your life? Besides whatever else you may do, this is God’s *Prime Directive*, i.e., to be personally involved in world evangelism in one way, shape, or form. Either *give, send, or go*, yourself, to the uttermost regions beyond, like Paul did (2 Cor 10:16). It’s exciting; I know personally!

God’s instructions in Romans 10:14-15 are crystal clear: “How then shall they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And, how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As it is written: ‘How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace, who bring glad tidings of good things!’”

We too have gladly given our lives, have gone to the uttermost unreached regions of Northeast Thailand, and are now serving the Lord there, along with other newly opened avenues of ministry. I might add that we



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have been blessed with an abundance of fruit for the cause of Christ. Unfortunately, we now find our faith-based financial support significantly lacking. Please pray with us that someone will respond, partner with us, and pick up our waning support. You may contact our mission agency at the address in the blue logo at the bottom of the page: BWMOM, PO Box 3303, Chattanooga, TN 37404. Or, contact our mission board at: Tel: (423) 624-8330. Or, email Arlene Cunningham at <Arleen@bwmom.org>.