

THANKS FOR PRAYING: For outreaches in schools and some slum communities in December and January. Hope these photos help show how responsive children were because of your prayers. Please keep praying for each child reached during that time.



FEBRUARY 1ST TO 8TH

Children's Response to Correspondence Lessons: Children who write to us often want to tell what they are learning, and for many that is knowing they're loved by God.

Naree: *I have a feeling that God is now in my heart. It makes me want to thank Him.*

Somjit: *Even if I don't know much about God yet I'm happy to know that I am special to Him.*

Arberia (13): *Studying the lessons helps me know God better. But I feel bad as when I am doing well, I forget about God. Usually I think about Him only when I'm in trouble or sad.*

Natcha (11): *I really like the lessons. They teach what Jesus has experienced and how much God loves the people of this world. Here is my drawing of Jesus →*

Payeyah: *I feel very excited because I have never been special to anyone before.*

Suhaila (11): *I am very glad that I have God to lean on.*

Aimeca (17): *I used to run away from every kind of problem I had. But now I know I don't have to be afraid of things because I have God standing beside me.*

Tanvarat: *I'm very happy because I have never been special to anyone before. Even my parents don't see me as special.*

Jiraporn (15): *I'm glad to be special to God. People only love us if we're good or attractive. I'm glad God isn't like that. He always loves me and forgives me too.*



These letters represent similar letters from hundreds of other children. Please pray for each one. May they keep growing in their understanding of God and His ways and their desire to know Him.

February 2nd: Team members will participate in a seminar for Thai Church leaders on the 4/14 Window (re those from 4 to 14yrs). They ask your prayers they will make good connections with others who share the Team's vision to reach and teach 'unreached' Thai children.

FEBRUARY 9TH TO 15TH

11th to 15th School Outreaches in Mahasarakam (NE Thailand): Another great opportunity to reach children who haven't before heard the story of Jesus and all He has done for them and His love for them. Please make these outreaches a prayer focus this week. The Team asks you to pray

- For each Team member going there – NoiNon, Doi, Ganya, Dang, Corin and Fon – for God's Spirit to guide and anoint each one in all they do in each school.
- For each child – that God will prepare their hearts and give them a hunger to know Him.
- For good health and for God's protection on the Team and the Church members they'll work with – and especially in all the travelling they'll have this week.
- For each child – may God make His truth real to them and give them an understanding of all they hear which is beyond their natural understanding.

Revision of Correspondence Lessons: Several lessons need revision and reprinting. This is an important part of our work so that lessons can remain relevant and also be able to clearly present eternal truth. Please pray for Doi, Jeen, NoiNon and Valerie as each one has a part in this.

FEBRUARY 16TH TO 22ND

Responding to the Lessons: Its always great to see young people responding to the lessons in such a variety of ways. Please pray for wisdom for Team members as they reply to each one.

Prangtip (15): *Thanks for the prizes and birthday gift. I was excited because it was my first ever birthday present. Just opening your lessons makes me happy. Please pray for my exams.*

Jinda (15): *The lessons help me know God better. I've done them all now, and I want to pray for you all on the Team. Let me know if there are things you want me to pray for.*

Sunisa: *I don't do well in school, but knowing I have God by my side helps me not to get too anxious.*

Chesarat (15): *I'd like to have a friend like Jesus. I hope God will give me such a friend. I'm impressed by the lessons. They are the stories God has given us.*

Autchara (13): *My goal - I want to teach children about Jesus and live so I please God. My lesson is late because I lost it when my mother cleaned up. I searched all over. Then I prayed and found it.*

Plyfah: *At school I often don't understand but when I think of God, I can start to understand it all.*

Meetum (16): *One thing I asked God is to help me at school and He is answering. I want to encourage all in our Club to pray to God and trust in Him. Don't be afraid to love Him and welcome Him into your life. I do thank God for being by my side, and thank you for loving me too.*

Children in Mahasarakam: Pray for each child who heard about Jesus last week in schools there. May God keep speaking to them and may they have a desire to know and follow Jesus. Pray that many will start doing our lessons. Pray too for any children who may already be getting opposition because of their desire to start the lessons. May God help each one in miraculous ways.

FEBRUARY 23RD TO 28TH

Correspondence Lessons: Lot more letters! And these are only a small number from all of last month's letter, but their comments represent those from many hundreds of other children. It is always exciting for us to see how God makes His love and power and real to them in ways that are relevant to their needs. Please pray for these children and all others here who are seeking Jesus.

Petchapararat (11): *It's true that these lessons help me learn about God! I used to think God is not real, but now I know He is real because He answers my prayers.*

Nuananong (10): *I was always late for school. I tried to get up early, but couldn't. So, I asked Jesus to help ... and guess what? I've got to school on time everyday without Mum having to wake me.*

Sarla (12): *My father was arrested and put in jail. They said we must pay 4 million baht. My family has no money like that. All I could do was cry. Then I prayed and when he was released we didn't have to pay anything to the police. My Mum and I were amazed. I thank God for helping my family.*

Intira: *One time I wanted to buy a snack, and I asked God. Later as I walked to class I saw a 10 baht coin. I was very happy, because it was enough to buy snacks!*

Ratana (12): *I had problems with my studies, and also with a friend, but I am glad that God helped me to get through that.*

Chanawee (9): *When I couldn't do math at school I asked God to help, and He answered my prayers!*

Suchada (12): *I am so glad to know God from the lessons. Thank you. Once I prayed at school and then got 28 out of 30 on a test! How could Jesus help us with everything and how could He not sin?*

Beyachad (13): *I am Buddhist and so is my family, but I want to learn about other beliefs. If I'm like this will Jesus still love me?*

Yang (15): *I don't know if I can stay at school. My future is uncertain because I'm actually a stateless person. Could you pray for my situation and also for me not to be so fearful.*

More School Outreaches: Please pray too for schools in Udornthani (also in the northeast). We had arranged to go there this month, but then school authorities decided to have exams a month early this year. We'll be going to these schools in June instead.

And thank God too for Team members and the ability God is giving each one to do all that's involved in school outreaches – from leading fun activities to teaching children how to pray. Pray too for new Team members as we look at this year's needs.

