## **Dear Pastors & Praying Friends,**

Again, we would like to start with a thank you for your prayers! God has been answering and working in these areas for which you have prayed. After DJ and Brishka left Kosrae, they immediately applied for a new visa. This process is normally not a long affair in Kosrae, but for some reason, it took over a month to get their new visa. When their family inspected the visa, they found that wrong dates were listed, and the process had to start all over again. This time it did not take the full month, but close to it and they will return to Kosrae this week.

Marlyn has finished off her discipleship in record time. Usually, we work through these lessons about one a week. She wanted to do at least two a week and sometimes even finished three or more. She has kept Megan very busy, which is an answer to prayer. During an activity, she told us what led her to our church. Her two sons have been coming to our church for a while, and we had previously visited their home. But one Sunday, she was at a low point in life and did not feel like going on. That morning her oldest son, JB (10 years old) asked her to come to church with him. That was the first Sunday they came to our church, and the Word of God did the rest!

This year we are trying to have more church-wide activities. In January, we had a church picnic, which ended up being some great fellowship with our people. In February, we had a Sweethearts Banquet with many of our couples coming. We spoke on the subject of our marriage being a ministry. The event was just a great time and seemed to be a help to many people. Also in February, we had a youth group rally. More than thirty young people came out for some volleyball, basketball, Ping-Pong, singing, and a lesson on Joseph. All three of the youth groups were excited to have this, and we are making plans to have another before summer.

A week and a half ago, the main generator that powers our island went down. The blame has been placed on the Chinese fishery, but that may just be an excuse. During the first week, they ran the backup, but it has been overheating and shutting down as well. Last Sunday, the generator finally broke down, and we had two hours of power over the next two days. Thankfully, one of our supporters helped us purchase a small generator that helps keep our food from going bad. We now have power for 8-hours a day and are waiting on a part due to arrive March 6th or 13th.

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During this week, we had our 'king tides,' which are the highest tides of the year. On Monday night, our church was flooded due to the tides and the large amounts of rain. Praise the Lord; there is not much damage, just about 1 to 2 inches of mud throughout the main auditorium and our fellowship hall. This flood also knocked out the water to our church, so we were unable to clean up the mess. Thankfully, we were able to get the water on, and some of our people volunteered to help clean up. It was really gross stuff, being that the water flowed through our neighbor's pigpen before it entered the church. Please pray as we are still cleaning up!

Until He Comes, Daniel, Megan, Emily, & Lauren Fetter

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