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Dear Pastors, Friends, and Supporting Churches,

We thank the Lord for folks that have gotten born again, baptized, and are serving in the churches throughout the Faith Baptist Church Philippine Ministry in the last month! In 2019, I was blessed to meet a 9-year-old boy that came to Christian Baptist Church in Santa Maria, Bulacan province, where Pastor Sammy Medina is the pastor. He came to church on his birthday and received the greatest gift, the Lord Jesus Christ as his Saviour. This past month, several family members of Jed, who is now 12, have gotten saved and baptized. All because of the Lord working in the life of 12-year-old Jed. Jed has expressed how he wants to be a pastor and have Pastor Medina's job as pastor. This is fruit that abounds to your account!

The Lord has been using Pastor Tom Guevarra in Bataan. Pastor Tom started a church in the living room of his home. The space began to get much smaller as folks were getting saved and bringing friends and family to hear of this Jesus that had saved their soul. Pastor Tom and his wife received permission to use the community basketball pad as a larger area to have church services. As soon as the large pile of trash that had accumulated on the pad was clear, Pastor Tom continued to have services. It was a blessing to visit Pastor Tom and family there at the basketball pad. They had built a 3-wall enclosure but were subject to the rain and wind. Because of your faithful giving, the Lord provided land to be purchased and a concrete building to be built. The Lord is growing the church and it's a blessing to share pictures of Pastor Tom and Mrs. Guevarra with church family in the new building.

Pastor Jerime Valderama has completed building and painting the boat that he will be using to travel at Polilio Island. It was a blessing to travel to Polilio Island and preach in the churches there in 2019. For Pastor Valderama to be able to have the boat, will save hundreds of hours walking across the island, and spend the time that was saved, in preaching the Gospel. It's a joy to share the pictures of boat being built from trees that are around the church property.

Thank you for your faithfulness in praying and financial giving to this church planting, soul saving, Christ exalting ministry!

Looking unto Jesus,

Joshua Rhoades, Ephesians 3:20-21

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Here is Pastor Tom Guevarra and church family in their new church building and growing! The building is designed to be able to add a second and third floor as their numbers increase.



Here is Pastor Sammy Medina baptizing Jed's relatives that have recently been born again!



There is no Lowe's or Home Depot on Polilio Island. There is a group of men that are consumed in reaching their islands for the Lord through folks getting saved, baptized, and added to the church to the glory of God. Praise the Lord for Pastor Jerime Valderama and the other pastors that aren't afraid of hard work, and seek to accomplish the will of God.