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Dear Pastors, Friends, and Supporting Churches,

We thank the Lord for folks that have been saved, baptized, and added to the church since our last prayer letter to you! I would like to highlight 2 of our newest pastors that have been added to the Faith Baptist Church Philippine Ministry in the last few months.

I was blessed to meet Pastor Jerome de Castro and spend time with him on my last trip to the Philippines. I would like to share with you, what they shared with me.

Pastor Jerome de Castro:

- I was born October 7, 1990, here in Sta.Maria, Bulacan.
- I live in Green Valley, Pulong Buhangin, Sta. Maria, Bulacan.
- I was engaged December 17, 2017.
- We were married May 1, 2018.
- My wife's name is Rachel, and my son is Luke Hendrix.
- I got saved by September 22, 2002, and God called me into the ministry in 2019.
- Now I am attending Bible School and at the same time starting a mission work in Barangay. Manggahan, St. Maria, Bulacan.
- My goal is simply to serve the Lord in any way he wanted me to do.
- My goal is to follow the Lord on His command and do everything to the best of my ability, to honor Him in any way I could, to be a willing servant bringing precious souls to Christ.
- We see no reason not to be productive, we see no reason to give up, we see no reason not to work hard.
- What we see is every reason to push through and to move forward for the furtherance of the Gospel. I praise the Lord for everything.

Pastor Joseph Boling Daigo:

- I am Pastor Joseph Daigo, born on May 1, 1989, at San Andres Quezon. I was saved at the age of 12 years old, and I accepted Jesus Christ in my life on October 22, 2002, under the teaching of Southern Baptist Church in San Andres Quezon at the age of 12 and become a janitor of the church.
- August year 2007, I had vacation at my sister's place in Mabatang, Bataan and attended at extension church under Pastor Sammy Medina and I met the former Student, Pastor Alvin Balanquit who invited me in a Pastors and Workers Conference at CBC STA. MARIA as a visitor last October 2007 where I've heard a preaching of the Speaker Pastor Joel Nieva with a theme "IF GOD GIVES YOU 60 YEARS WHAT WILL YOU DO?"
- At the said conference I decided to surrender my life and started to serve GOD and study at Bible School under Pastor Sammy Medina at Christian Baptist Church km 37 Pulong Buhangin, Santa Maria Bulacan and graduated at the year 2011.
- But I left the ministry and worked as a contractor and lived at Barangay. M. Sapa Sta. Maria Bulacan together with my family, and there God teaches me a lot of things, that life was not only about money and treasure to achieve the real happiness. By God's grace He helped me return to His will and calling. There was a project offer to me in San Narciso Quezon to do a Quezelco substation and we prayed to the Lord for a long time because the condition of the construction method was difficult because it was far away from my town and my family in Bulacan. I never thought that this would be the way of God for me to get back at the full time ministry, Now, I realize that all things work together for good to them that love God as He said at Romans 8:28. I am thankful to the Lord because He lead me here in San Narciso Quezon and gives me burden at the people here and decided to start a ministry.
- By the grace of God, I decided to leave my job and offers of the government projects and private companies to join the bidding. Now we are starting a mission here in Barangay Abuyon San Narciso Quezon and I decided to stay here in Quezon on June 9, 2022, with my family.
- Now, my purpose in life is to serve God and fulfill His calling to me with my family. Now we have Sunday worship, Sunday school for adults and children, prayer meeting every Thursday at 6 p.m. and we also have Bible Studies and soul winning.
- We pray to the Lord to find a wide area for house of worship because now we are grateful to the Lord because the attendance every Sunday are increasing. Please always include us on your prayers. Thank you so much. To God be the Glory.

Thank you for your prayers and giving to the Faith Baptist Church Philippine Ministry! This church planting ministry is growing to God be the glory!

Looking unto Jesus,

Joshua Rhoades, Ephesians 3:20-21

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Pastor Jerome de Castro was blessed to lead the Negapatan family to the Lord July 13th! They are from the Manggahan Barangay near where Pastor Jerome will be planting a church.



The Bible studies with these families are growing to where there will be a Bible believing Baptist Church planted soon!





Pastor Joseph Daigo and growing church family on their Sunday services.



This is their Sunday school classroom. It is also their landlord's living room during the week.



Pastor Joseph Daigo truly is going in the highways and hedges finding people to share the Gospel with them.