

Dear Missionary Cousin,

What a joy it is to share with you what is happening through Beyond the Reef for the glory of God. Even as the world is responding to the Coronavirus, the Holy Spirit continues to draw the lost to the Father through Jesus Christ. And He continues to form Christ in every believer for the glory of God our Father.

We appreciate your continued prayers and financial support as we seek to walk in obedience to His calling, commission, and continued opportunities to minister the various island communities on the Mainland and around the Pacific Rim.



The Passing of a Dear Pastor and Friend

The Chuukese community at large and the congregation of the Chuukese New Life Christian Church in Longview-Kelso, WA, were devastated by the sudden death of our beloved friend and pastor, Reverend Marvin Danis. Marvin's faith became sight in June when he died in his sleep.

I first met Brother Marvin in the mid 1990s at the summer Campmeetings held in Aurora, OR. He honored me by serving as my translator when I spoke to the Chuukese congregations. He was also a trusted friend and confidant as he served as the Island Liaison to the Board of Beyond the Reef. This past year Brother Marvin worked feverishly to translate two bible studies from English to Chuukese. He finished the second study just two days before his homegoing. Both studies are posted on Beyond the Reef's website.

We ask that you would remember his wife Dermina, his children, the Danis family, and the congregation of CNLCC in your prayers. He was a man of grace with a beautiful smile and Christ-like spirit. He will be greatly missed. Yet, we know we will see him again in the Great Resurrection. Kinisou Chapur Jesus! (Thank you Jesus in Chuukese)



Ministry During COVID

Because of your faithful giving we were able to distribute over \$4,500 to multiple Chuukese churches to assist with groceries. Pictured here is Sister Carol Jack, wife of Pastor Anderson Jack, New Life Christian Church in Vancouver, WA.

Online Bible Classes

In response to the social distancing and limited travel we have been offering weekly online bible classes to the Chuukese pastors and ministers. Every Thursday evening from 6:00=7:30pm (HWT) we gather via Zoom and study God's Word. (2 Timothy 2:15; 3:16-17)

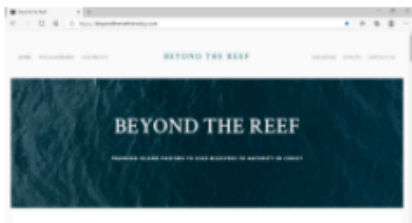


Through the online bible classes we are connecting with others from Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Colorado, Arizona, the Big Island (Hawaii), and on Oahu. What a joy to spend time in God's Word with these men.



From Our Ohana to Yours

Celebrations were heard in our family and around Oahu when our daughter Denise graduated with her BA in Christian Ministry from Pacific Rim Christian University (PACRIM) in May. We are so excited for her. Her life is an amazing story of God's grace. Thank you for your continued prayers for our family.



Updated Website

We are pleased to announce the updating of our website. Karla Takazono is our new webmaster and is bringing her talent and expertise to Beyond the Reef. Please go to www.beyondthereefministry.com and check out the stories, pictures, and multiple FREE resources.