The Prayer Letter of April & May, 2021

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'You have rejected us, God, and burst upon us; you have been angry—now restore us!" Psalm 60:1

Dear Prayer Partners,

As we drove down to LA Koreatown, we saw more people experiencing homelessness putting tents up along the roads. It seems that it is the result of a greedy and sinful world. The weather in LA lately turns hazy and cloudy and it seems like it may rain at any given minute. Unfortunately, we haven't had a single drop of rain which worries us since we are in a drought. I also heard the news of a volcano eruption in Saint Vincent. The damages from the volcano caused a shortage water and many people had to leave their homes behind. Even the heavy ashes on the church roof made the church collapse. In the midst of the madness of nature and sinful world, we hear God's love and grace which are available to all those who are in need. Logos Hope and other Christian NGO supporters are helping to rebuild the city of St. Vincent with water and supplies. This is the time to repent and love our neighbors. We are waiting for His mercy and grace for the broken world. https://www.christianitytoday.com/news/2021/april/st-vincent-volcano-church-relief-efforts-water-om-ships.html utm source=whatsapp&utm medium=webshare&utm campaign=News

It seems the Covid19 situation is improving in US, but the number of Covid19 positive cases in Asia is increasing. Just Thailand itself increased from 100 to 2,000 plus new cases a day. We heard the country is in partial lockdown. This is delaying our return to Thailand. We are praying for the missionaries and their families who are suffering from Covid infection.

Prayer requests:

- 1. With the sudden increase of Covid positive cases in Thailand, the country is in partial lockdown. Pray for the His mercy to people of Thailand. We are praying for the right time to go back to Thailand.
- 2. We are deputizing some mobilization in Houston and Midland, Texas and visiting the OM USA Ships office in Florence (5/15-27), South Carolina. We pray that we can engage with people for mobilization and meet donors for financial partnership in OM East Asia and Ships projects.
- 3. Seeking wisdom in OM Asia's financial development ministry. Pray that the partnership with the International Generosity Team for the fundraiser in Asia from 2021 and the Logos Hope fundraising plan of 2022 in Asia will be well prepared.

"Yet the Lord longs to be gracious to you; therefore he will rise up to show you compassion. For the Lord is a God of justice. Blessed are all who wait for him!" Isaiah 30:18

We can not predict tomorrow these days. We trust Him and wait for His mercy and grace. May the Lord bless you all with His wisdom to overcome what we face today.

God bless.

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