

Awaken Hearts

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The Philippines only has two seasons: the hot season and the wet season. People often describe the hot season as hot, hotter, and hottest. The wet season is... well...wet. Tropical storms develop rapidly. Flooding happens in many areas regularly. June is just the beginning of a long, damp stretch.



As we transitioned to our new home, we joined the team of a brand new church plant in Canita/Manila. Almost every weekend, there is an outreach. Last Saturday, the dark, ominous sky loomed ahead, seemingly asking, "What now?" Does outreach get canceled or rescheduled? By faith, we knew the answer. Rain or shine, we are called to be radiant and ready. What a delight to share the Gospel and lugaw (hearty local stew) with hungry hearts!



"Preach the Word; be ready in season and out of season; convince, rebuke, and exhort with all long-suffering and teaching. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine..." 2 Tim. 4:2-3

Indeed the time has come. Whether you are in a small town in the USA or an urban jungle like Manila, the answer remains the same. JESUS! In every storm of life and unfortunate circumstance. Only HE is the way, the truth, and the life! May we never keep the answer to ourselves since it is always in season to share the good news of the Kingdom.



First group for Manila Dream Center

We are so honored to be His ambassadors in Manila. Living the dream we prayed into for years. Speaking of which- DREAM center launched on June 6th with 12-16 missionaries (mostly Filipino)! Mentorship and workshops are in full swing now- thank you for praying with us and making so much in the Kingdom possible!!!



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What is Dream Center?

Did you know most missionaries quit within the first 2-4 years due to a lack of training/support? **

Dream center seeks to come alongside missionaries/leaders in key areas for long-term success on the field:

D- Discipleship and destiny awareness

R- Renew the mind/heart

E- Equipping (specially geared for missionaries)

A- Activation of gifts and skills

M- mentoring and mobilization

** One of the most commonly cited reasons according to 2020 Barna study

Pray with us!

- More of Jesus! His presence, plan, and provision!
- Current 12-16 missionaries in the Manila Dream Center (mostly Filipino leaders)
- Rock-Fish Philippines church plant (our home church)
- Mindoro trip- we will travel to remote island to pour into leaders and assist a local school/children's ministry
- Teisa will be traveling to Poland in Aug. to assist the Mofele's with Iris Europe ministry camp (week of imparting followed by street outreach)
- We finished our beginners Tagalog class at the end of May, but still need divine help for language learning! More classes start in September.

Maraming Salamat po!

We are so very grateful for the amazing provision from last year and the current monthly support! Our cups overflow! For example, last month we blessed women in our community with fresh flowers during street outreach and Mother's Day service. This month we were able to bless the RockFish Childrens ministry with snacks and supplies/toys for their rewards store. Just look at these faces....such treasure in HIM....Thank you again!

"Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the profit that is increasing in your account (the GIVER). But I have received everything in full and I have an abundance..." Philippians 4:17-18

