

Ministry Report
For The Month
Of
July 2021

*Mike
&
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*In Thailand
(The Land Of Smiles)*

Ethnic groups trek
through the jungle
seeking safety from the
Burmese Army attacks. ➤



Sharing God's Treasure With The Land Of Smiles!

“For we have this treasure in jars of clay . . .”

2 Corinthians 4:7

Images We Never Forget!



✚ The Burmese Military continues to savagely attack the ethnic groups in Myanmar without mercy! This little boy's expression says it all . . . the sadness, the hopelessness, the hunger that approximately 115,000 Red (Kaya) Karen are right now experiencing. They were driven from their homes and their houses burned! And this is just one ethnic group among many. We are so grateful to International Disaster Emergency services for their faithful and generous support of the needs among the ethnic groups suffering in Myanmar because of civil unrest. There have been other groups and numerous individuals both in Thailand and from abroad who have generously provided aid. For this we are humbly grateful!

July Preaching Opportunities



⇨ On the first Sunday of July Mike spoke for an informal worship gathering for one of the nearby children's homes. With Covid-19 surging schools have closed once again and the kids are having to return to online classes.

Being a part of worship and seeing the kids help lead the singing is great and inspiring! ⇨



⇨ New guest house at Doi Mot Village where we built a new church building a few years ago. The preacher here is supported by individuals through our Thailand Mission.

Even our kids here in Doi Mot Village know how to have tailgating parties! Here they're celebrating the birthday of the preacher's daughter. ⇨



Berea Home Happenings . . .



↩ Santisuk, whose Bible name is Enoch, recently left for 6 months of Thai military training. After that, he will return and resume his college studies.

Little Esther is off to her first day of school! But in less than one month after the new school year began, schools were closed because of Covid-19. ➡



↩ It's heartwarming to see the kids smile when we visit Berea Home. Wondering if these smiles have anything to do with the pig's head on the table that will soon be eaten!

The purchasing of face masks has become a new and continual budget item for Berea Home during the Coronavirus pandemic. ➤



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We want to purchase this used truck for evangelism and school transportation. **We now have \$2,620 set aside but still need \$1,880.** It has a new engine, clutch and brake pads. It has been completely repaired and is only half the cost of a normal used one! This will be used for the Immanuel Refugee Church/Learning Center. Thanks to those who have contributed! Please help us with this purchase if you can!

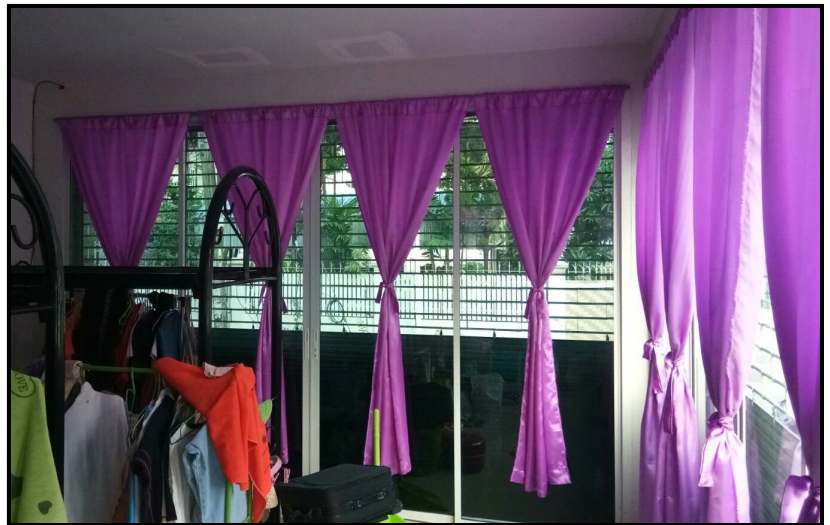
Make check payable to: Salem
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In memo line: Truck For Refugees

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Practical Projects . . .



↑ Some months ago our Thailand Mission purchased curtains for the college girls' rented dorm building.



🏠 Our Thailand Mission also contributed to the purchase of a new sound system for the local police station, a way to build important relationships for the benefit of our homes.