

Praise Report

From the Mathai's

Fall 2011

Dear Friends and Partners

Fall is here. It is always good to see colors. God is bringing colors to our lives also. Mariamma and I went to India for 3 1/2 weeks. God did great things in India in our ministry.

1. 125 souls got saved
2. 26 people got healed
3. We gave 20 bicycles to preachers for their transportation
4. We gave 25 sewing machines to widows and poor women
5. We gave 530 sarees (Indian dresses) to widows and poor women
6. We distributed 500 Bibles
7. We fed 1111 people
8. We gave school supplies to 134 children

Hard times are in our parts of India. House visitation, tracts distribution, and open air evangelism are very hard to do. Methods are changing to reach the gospel to the unreached. Jesus said, the night is coming when no man can work. John 9:4.

“And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and then the end will come” (Matt. 24:14).

Widow's seminar was on August 20th. There were 240 people. Widows got saved and healed from deafness, blindness, damaged rotator cup. Arthritis, knee problems, asthma and many other diseases. We fed all of them and gave bus fares, sarees and bibles. They got the fire of the Holy Spirit and went back to their villages.



Population:

1,214,464,312

Religious Diversity:

- 74.3%Hundi
- 14.2%Muslim
- 2.23%Christian
- 1.86%Sikh
- 1.35%Ethnoreligionist
- 0.82%Buddhist
- 0.48%Non-religious
- 0.47%Other
- 0.15%Baha'i

Widow's and women's seminars in Chempoor on August 29th. There were 265 people. Women got saved and healed from various diseases. One deaf ear was opened. This meeting was among the un-touchable people. We fed all of them and gave bus fares and sarees. The Holy Spirit was moving upon the hearts of the women there.

Children's seminar: Altogether there were 181 people. 134 children came. We gave them school supplies and Bibles. They were very happy. We preached the gospel to them. 99 children got saved. We fed them and gave them bus fares.

Pastor's seminar on August 30th at Chempoor.

There were 262 people. Pastors came from 186 churches. Pastors got healed from tumors, damaged rotator cup, and other sicknesses.

Bible school staff and students

We had a seminar for them. There were 131 people. This year we have 100 students in our bible schools. We do not charge them any money because they are poor. There were healings in that seminar. Mariamma and I taught in the bible schools while we were there.

Tailoring School

Now we have 23 students at our school. Unsaved women also are coming. We shared the gospel with them. And there is worship and prayer in the school also This school is for widows and poor women. We do not charge them any money.

Radio Ministry:

I am preaching every Friday on the radio in Malayalam language. 40 million people speak this language. Since this January the FEBA internet radio is also broadcasting my message two times every Saturday besides the regular program.

Our Children:

Jobin and Tina are doing good. Tina is going to George Fox University in Newberg, Oregon. Tina wants to become a missionary doctor. Siju and Blessing are in Oklahoma City and they are doing good.

Mariamma and I are working for Jesus Pursuit Church in Albany. We work with the home groups for the church and the Lord is doing great things.

For Prayer:

Mariamma and I are praying to go to India in January, 2012.

For 30 sewing machines, each costs \$95.

For 25 Bicycles: each cost \$86.
For 1000 sarees (Indian dresses) each costs \$4
For 1000 Bibles: each cost \$3
For school supplies for 400 children. Each child costs \$5
To conduct a pastor's seminar.
To conduct a widow's seminar.
To conduct a children's seminar.
To conduct a student' seminar.

Thank you so much for your prayers and support that made this ministry possible to change lives.

With Love, Mathai and Mariamma

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