



March 2018

Dear Pastor and church,

**Winter Youth Camp – God’s Way**

After a week of unusually cold weather (45°F) for Taiwan, we traveled to the mountains with a group from Lighthouse and Dali Faith Baptist Church and not only found better weather (70°F) but also



enjoyed good Christian fellowship with youth from eight other churches as well as fellow missionaries (55 youth and 20 missionaries/church workers). Since we only see some of these collaborators once or twice a year if they can attend, this in itself was a blessing to us. However, it was also great for these teens to be



challenged by Bible messages to live life “*God’s Way*.” One salvation decision and other decisions to live life God’s way and serve Him were also made. We know that the challenge for these young people is going home and living their decisions in the normal life routine. Please pray with us for them because if the Lord tarries, they are the future of our churches in Taiwan.


**Chinese New Year - The Year of the Dog**

For the last five years to take advantage of Taiwan’s most important celebration, Chinese New Year, we have printed and passed out our own gospel tracts (pictured above). Using the traditional Chinese New Year theme but taking it in a direction to present the gospel, we have had the opportunity to pass out several thousand tracts each year. Some years like the Year of the Lamb are easy, but others like the Year of the Monkey are very challenging. This year, with dogs being thought of as man’s best friend, was a good way to introduce man’s real Best Friend – Jesus Christ and contrast His faithfulness with our unfaithfulness. Just as important, we are teaching our people to actively look for opportunities to present the gospel. Please pray for our “gospel blitzes” to be fruitful and for the Lord to help us be aware of other witnessing and ministering opportunities.

Finally, both churches are doing well but also facing challenges that need your prayer. At DFBC we have several Christians who continue to attend but haven’t made the commitment to join the church. At LBC Sister Lio Shu-er continues to faithfully attend but still hasn’t followed the Lord in baptism and Sister Ariel Wang hasn’t been attending services over concern about her oldest son’s preparation for the upcoming high school entrance exam. Please pray that they will follow the Lord, and that we will have wisdom to help them.

For souls,

Andy &amp; Lisa Simpson

**More Prayer Requests:**

1. More souls to be saved
2. Leaders in training
3. Easter outreaches and services
4. Health (Lisa- testing for abdominal pain)

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