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Crossroad

As our evangelism area points increasing so our expenses of fuel Increases also week after week, however, this need is not much a great reason that our movement will be hindered. Week after week we are trying our best to moved forward to press on reaching the remote villages in Samal Island. In return God slowly open more doors for his work to be done. In our actual record there are 5 souls accepted the Lord and just last week 2 for transfer of membership. Our children bible study also is growing and we now have 5 villages who give us permission to teach their children the word of God.

Traced

Fire, it seems this word sounds dangerous yes it is. During the time we have a trip going to Bukidnon and while we are there something happened in Samal Island. According to one of our member named Marilyn Cabanas a fire blown up in the night in their village and destroy almost all the houses including their house. And because of that incident the local officials give them a temporary place while looking for relocation site. You know I remember the last time her family attended our church service it was last two years ago, I keep on visiting them every week but they keep on not attending but the night after they experienced that fire things change and they understand that God made a strong message to them. She said "God knows where my house is and he can trace where my heart is too". And because of that incident some of the people who experience that fire open their heart to the Lord.

Historic event

Early in this month our young people made their first election of officers for the youth organization. The event was attended with 15 young people and they just started their first BTC just yesterday in the church.

I also decided to give to the young people our program preparation every Sunday and the song leading and the evangelism program. On the month of January our church will be hosting the Davao Missionary Baptist Youth Fellowship or DMBYF and The Ladies Auxiliary Fellowship. Please pray for these events.

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Celebrating God's Faithfulness

report the whole cover things that was happened this 2009 including our Thanksgiving day. Last Sunday the church celebrates the faithfulness of God throughout the whole year. The celebration includes the giving of gifts for the children, adult and young people. though this thanksgiving celebration will not be done because of financial reason but God made a strong

As I said, this move by using His our financial budget

Land MBC and the Young Married Couple Sunday school class of the said Church. Your Christmas gift to me became

the answer of our church thanksgiving be done. God's faithfulness in our lives and in the growth of His church is the reason why we need to thank Him. Though we are struggling in

people at Promise still God is worthy to



received our Gratitude. The fact is that my wife and I can't let go this year without thinking God's worthiness because we had proven His faithfulness to us in so many times this year.

Part 2









The Communion Service

Our Church members remembers the body and blood that was offered by our Lord Jesus on the Cross. Because we are

taught by the word of God to be serious in the Lord supper so some of the members that admitted themselves unworthy did

not partake. Our Lord Supper was participated by 15 members of our church Last December 13,2009.

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Prayer Lists:

- Pray for the safety Travel of Ptr. Michael Reese and Bro. Trey. Going to the Philippines
- 2. Our Vacation Bible School on the Month Of April
- We have to transfer our residence from Davao city to Samal Island on April
- Vehicle, Motorcycle and my License will expire on April please pray That God will provide the financial need.
- Change oil, tune up and yearly checked up of the Vehicle on March

New Open door

Last Saturday I received an approval from the Local official of a New village that we are planning to have a bible study in their multi-purpose Hall. So This coming

Friday and Saturday we will be having a children Bible study (Story), also the local official will make an announcement to Gather the children and adult for the entire village to attend the bible study. I believe that God is

giving this opportunity as His gift not just for me who are in the field but to those who pray and give in support to the Lord's work.

The program this Saturday will include bible story,

games and may be giving of candy to the children. So please Pray for this new open door that many will come to know Jesus as their Personal Savior.

I would like to Thank all of you at Promise Land MBC and Young Married Couple Class for all the Help you give. Though we cannot give you any thing material this holiday season and to the year coming but Our Love and continued hard work in the Lord work is our commitment not just to you but also to our God. My prayer that our burden in the mission work will continue pondering in our hearts.

thank you so much