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Missionary to Thailand

REACHING STUDENTS, MAKING DISCIPLES

Make new friends and keep the old...

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We have some new friends joining us for Large Group (our church gathering) every week! Nong and his son Pugan enjoy hanging out with us each week for friendship and English practice, and have even started asking for prayer about things in their lives. We visited their family's coffee shop and met Om, Nong's wife, and all their dogs.

(Left: me with a cuddly one-month old puppy, Pugan, Roxanne, Aaron, Nong)



It is still a main part of my week to spend time with my running club. Every year we spend several months preparing for a local 10k/half marathon race held in August. I'm grateful for the opportunity to get to know such a varied group of people, and show them the love of Jesus. Please pray with me that they will be curious about Jesus, and experience His power when I share and pray for them.

(Left: lunch after the race, a tradition. Right: the running club at our local race)



Every so often I get to see friends from TLC English Center in Chiang Mai. I'm always encouraged to see my former students (and always friends!) doing well in their careers and growing in the Lord.

(Left: with Gik, now a kindergarten teacher; and Golf, who owns a restaurant, soon to be a chain.)

PRAISE AND PRAYER

PRAISE GOD FOR: new friends coming to our church gathering, and that they sense God's presence with us; friendships on campus and in the community; former students who continue to follow God.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: wisdom and discernment as I share Bible stories with friends who want to learn about Jesus; more friends to be curious; my preparation for a short itineration in CA this January to April...I hope to see you soon! (Details to follow, or you can email me before then!)

SPARE SIXTY

Will you please spend the next sixty seconds praying for this specific need in Thailand?

Tattoos as body art is a fairly recent concept in Thailand. Usually, tattoos show that a person has invited a spirit to protect or even possess him or her. Pray that people will be set free from spirits and submit their lives to our loving, powerful God.



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