



# Ekklesia Update

OCTOBER 28, 2010

*Vision: Reaching the world for Jesus  
Mission: To be HIS faithful disciples and conformed to HIS image*

## *God's grace is sufficient!*

Again, God is good and faithful, even though we had to go through many challenges in our ministry, still, we believe that His grace is always sufficient for us. Two families were struggling in their husband-wife relationship and they left the church afterward. We were trying as much as we could to solve the problem, however they have made decision on their own. We pray that God will help them to remember His grace, and their heart will be softened by His mercy.

Despite those challenges, we move forward on God's direction. The small group we started in Mission Viejo went well and we were planning to start 2 more small groups in Rowland Heights area and Fullerton area. Our goal is: Our church member will be well taken care of and we will be able to reach more people for Jesus. About 12 people get together on every other Tuesday, included some member who couldn't come to church due to the work schedule.

Recently, about a month ago God sent a new family to our church. This family just moved from Indonesia few months ago. They are Florenza family: Benny, Rini, and their son Samuel. They were invited to come



*Florenza family, new member*

to our Bible Study at one time and come to our church on a regular basis since then. It is not coincident if Benny is a bass guitar player. We have been praying for 6 months that God will give us a bass player and now we have it. The coming of Florenza family has become a blessing for our congregation to see that God knows what we need and He knows when and how to fulfill it.

Another great event happened in our church. On September 26, Jimmy Pohan, our musician and Debbie Kondoy, one of our worship leader were engaged.

## *Prayer Request*

1. Please pray for the desire of our church member to bring their friends and families to Jesus.
2. Please pray for the need of person who may serve as a translator who speaks Indonesian and English well, during our Sunday Service.
3. Please pray for our plan to start 2 more small groups (total 3) that God will prepare people's heart for His plan.
4. Please pray for our discipleship retreat on December 3-5 2010.
5. Please pray for our new/upcoming Steering Committee, that God will give us people who will serve the Lord faithfully and able to work together with our pastor as solid team.
6. Please pray for the health of Pastor Jonas and wife as they cannot afford to buy health insurance.

Jonas & Aymien Muljo

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Jimmy and Debbie have known each other since couple years ago and they are preparing for their wedding next year. Jimmy has no family in the state and the whole congregation have become his family by showing their love and care to Jimmy, through the preparation, ceremony, and celebration.



*Jimmy and Debbie's engagement*

God has given us so many blessings in our ministry, not always in the form of material things. We are so grateful about that. As a member of a network between South East Asia and Pacific Islands CRCs (SEAPI), we are committed to meet twice a year in the form of retreat and conference to study, pray, and share one another. Member of this network consist of: Hmong, Laotian, Vietnam, Filipino, Karen, and Indonesian CRCs. We were given an opportunity to go to Camp Hiawatha, Upper Peninsula (Michigan) on August 2010 to meet one another. Through this meeting we were encouraged and strengthened. We shared our burdens, we share our problems, and we shares our happiness as well.

Thanksgiving and Christmas are coming up. We want to be instrument to bless this world through Thanksgiving and Christmas celebration. Also, we are preparing for our discipleship retreat on December 3-5, 2010 in Big Bear California. Glory to the Lamb of God!!



*Some of SEAPI CRC Leaders who met in Upper Peninsula, Michigan*