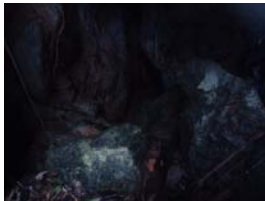




MABUHAY

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

In January we were able to visit Antique aging to survey the area again for a underwater project to protect the rare fish in our area. Took another look at the cave to check for the classification of the formations and the data needed to have help in preserving them. Shared the beauty under the water with friends who went with in support of the plans of the Training Center.



January 20th was the weekend of Sinulog a Cebuano Festival to celebrate the Santo Nino (The Christ Child) brought by the Spaniards in the establishment of the Catholic church here in the Philippines. During this time people fast, pray, and seek the guidance and blessings of the Santo Nino. We volunteered to serve at the First Aid Station in the church and along the with walking as Medical Responders in the possession. As we are praying for the people and the truth to be revealed some ask why we help. Then we are able to share the truth about Christ with them. Sadly a new Philippine National Policewoman did not have her prayer answered by Santo Nino like she thought and took her own life. God opened doors for us to share with the family and the comfort that only the Lord may bring at this time.



We were also able to help the Philippine Coast Guard by providing them with Medic First Aid Training and Certification. While there I meet many young men who know the Lord and actively live out their faith in spite of the persecution they get for standing firm and not wavering in living a life pleasing to the Lord. Made new friends in Christ and enjoy the fellowship they share and their families.



ACTION PHILIPPINES

August 30, 2007

Special points of Interest:

- ☺ Youth Camp in Southern Leyte
- ☺ Skills training for livelihood of graduates
- ☺ Praise & Thanks
- ☺ New opportunities through local Government involvement

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**Know God,
Take ACTION**

We were also able to provide training to 167 Philippine National Police Cadets in their Basic Training for CPR and First Aid. We worked along side the BFP Mobolo Station during this training assisting with vehicle extrication and patient packaging. We are blessed to find believers there also who cant to instill Gods principals in their work place.



During this training the Chief decided he would like his guys to be training in Medic First Aid and would like to help in programs for some of our children at the center to have a chance at being a Fire Rescuers the volunteer group Rescue 160.



Some of our children participate in Girl Scouts so we helped with the Swimming and Water safety along with Basic First and CPR. They enjoyed vary much and asked us to come again next year. There was also rope course and climbing exercises. Joshua was a great help and encourager to them to press on and try new heights.



Dive Skills & Resort Training Center

Through the Donation of Hope Evangelical Lutheran Church and the Lange Family we were able to bye one complete set of Scuba Equipment and Manuals he will need to start his Dive Master Training. Ransom is so excited and appreciates the support for his life changing opportunities. He realizes and gives God the Glory for His provision and open opportunities in his life. He continues to serve in the City Church on Sunday preparing and take down of the sound equipment for the Sunday Services as well as assist in the feeding programs during the week. Daghan Salamat (thank you so much) for you faithful support and prayers!



We also have the great opportunity to bye a vehicle. Please help us to purchase this vehicle for transportation of the students for training and outing.

Christ For Asia

There are a few changes that the Lord is bringing forth in CFA with great blessing in store as well. One we are receiving more short term teams from Hong Kong and the Gospel is being shared as they get to know our children. Along with new interns coming and spending time in ministry and with the children on a personal level as they assist the House Parents in daily activities and outings for the summer. One activity is updating of skills on CPR and Basic First Aid.



The Rauch Family will be returning to Germany for their home assignment as the Lord is providing for their children's education opportunities and for CFA to grow even more. As we begin to build a skills training center and have our own school now the need for closer communications in the west is needed Harald will still be visiting 4 times a year with some of the family at time. We will miss them here yet know God is moving to complete His will for CFA as a whole.



PRAISE & PRAYER CORNER

- ♥ **PRAISE** the Lord for the opportunity in His new adventure for us in the Dive & Resort Training Center & the partners He is providing for this great work of His both abroad and locally and with the Government!
- ♥ **PRAISE** the Lord for the children who are excited to learn how to read and learn more about Jesus!!!
- ♥ **PRAISE** the Lord for the interest of new opportunities for training and Networking with Government officials and agencies!
- ♥ **PRAISE** the Lord for Ransom, a boy from Nehemiah House, who is the first student in our new skills training in program of Snorkeling & Diving Instructor. Please pray he will be able complete the program in one year and the financial support needed for exams and equipment will be provided.
- ♥ **PRAISE** for the Christian Artist God provided for our Logo and prints of the project.
- ♥ **PRAISE** the Lord for the rebuilding of the 2000 people who were able to move into new homes affected by the Guinsaugon mudslide.
- ♥ Pray the Lord would continue to open the doors for the **Dive & Resort Skills Training Center** and bring workers who desires to work in the ministry and that the financial and supply needs would be met so we may start construction by September 2006.
- ♥ Pray for finances for the feeding programs and medical outreach in the areas through the churches.
- ♥ Pray for the Lord's provision for the additional support, both prayer partners and finances needs for the continuation of the work in the Philippines.
- ♥ Pray for travel mercies, safety, health, and God's open doors for us as we travel to the Provincial areas of the Philippines to provide training for Children's Ministry and First Aid to personnel.



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