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Calvary Bible Fellowship

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THE GREAT PHYSICIAN

their circumstances are overwhelming making it almost impossible for them to see clearly their need for salvation. This is why James tells us that we are not to look at someone in need and do nothing - James 2:16. Instead we are to help meet their practical needs in a effort to open their hearts to their greatest need, which is for the Gospel of Jesus Christ!

The church created an NGO [non government organization] a few years back called Bulig sa Bukid [help for the poor]. The main purpose of the NGO is to reach out to those in need with food, school supplies, and medical missions. The outreaches are not random, we always work in communities where we have an established relationship with a solid Bible teaching church.



Doctor Bob and Jossie

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COUPLES CONFERENCE

The three most important words we can say in marriage are "I love you." Words are not enough though, they need to be backed up by our actions. What can be difficult to figure out what those actions should look like. Does love mean to go on a date, or buy some flowers, or wash the dishes? There is a lot that can be said for experience. It was a blessing to have Bob and Jossie Beck come and share about their forty five years of marriage with many of the couples at the church. They gave lot of practical advice on what it means to daily not just say, but show, we love each other!





New Church Building

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Doctor Mark Claparols led a team of around ten doctors, most of them from Bacolod, as well as Doctor Bob and Jossie Beck, down for a one day Medical missions in Hlmamaylan. They were able to do pediatric checkups, minor surgeries, as well as screening for a multitude of common medical maladies. Over the course of several hours the doctors were able to help well over 100 patients from the community around Simbahan sa Bukid



The best part was before each of the patients left we had several pastors there to pray with them. It was a blessing to have the doctors come and give the free check-ups, but it is even better to point people to the Great Physician!

One of the Pastors who prayed for the patients, Pastor Edwin from Simbahan sa Bukid, had just lost his wife a few week earlier. Yet there he was with a smile on his face praying with and reaching out with the love of Jesus to others who were struggling physically!

Sunday: Book of Revelation - This coming Sunday we will come to the final chapter of the book of Revelation. You do not want to miss the incredible climax as we come to the Tree of Life. The same Tree that Adam and Eve were cut off from in the Garden of Eden, will be available for the healing of the nations!

If you have missed any of the teachings they are all available on the church YouTube page!

Wednesday: Worship night - Wednesday - October 11 @6pm. Bring a dish to share as we will have dinner together. Mike Yap will share a short devotion - then we will have an extended time of worship together!



Friday Bible Study - Make sure not to miss the Friday weekly Men's, Women's and Youth Bible Study. It is a great opportunity for the families to come and be blessed. We start at 5:30pm. Bring a dish to share. Then at 6pm we break up into groups for Bible Study. Starting this week we will be meeting in the New Church!

New Building - We were blessed to have our first service in the New Building on Cuadra Street on Sunday. We will now be meeting there for all the services throughout the week. All Sunday, Wednesday, and Friday services will be held there!

Fifteen years: Jen and I just wanted to personally say thank you to everyone who blessed us this past month by wishing us a happy Birthday [for Jen] and Anniversary. The Lord has truly blessed over these past fifteen years. Both with opportunities to serve Him in ministry and practically by blessing us with an amazing family. Every time we look at Hallel [our little miracle] we are reminded how the Lord truly does do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think [Ephesians 3:20]!



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- Sunday 8:30am & 10am - Book of Revelation @New Building
- Tuesday 6pm - Book of Psalms @Elisha Center
- Wednesday 6:30pm - Book of Psalms @New Building
- First Wednesday 6pm - Worship & Communion
- Second Thursday 6pm - Book of Daniel @Network Silay
- Friday Study 5:30pm - Men's - Women's - Youth Bible Study

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