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Dear Friend,

Many of you have donated and prayed for the Training Center project in India. I am glad to inform you that we have made a steady progress. We have completed the **Staff Quarter** with all three floor slabs and the **Training Center's** first Floor. We have spent around \$426,627.00 for these works. The remaining are (1) Casting slabs for the second floor and third floors; (2) Walls, door, and windows for all three floors of all three wings; (3) Plumbing and Electrification; and (4) the anterior and furnishing.

The fund needed for completion of the entire project is \$900,000.00. I want to believe and trust the Lord of impossibility. He who has begun the great work shall take it to completion. This Training Center will impact the Kingdom's work in south Asia for at least 100 years. It is a vision that demands our faith and sacrifice. So, I write this to invite you to pray with me.

Last three months, the Lord has blessed our works in India. Earlier, I shared with you some news through our quarterly newsletter "Hope South Asia" and "Prayer Bulletin" and now please read below some additional updates from Bihar & North-east India. Thanks again for your fervent prayers & partnership.

Dr. A. K. Lama



Updates from the Field

Celebration of Independence Day:

India celebrated the 75th year of Independence on August 15. The government had initiated a campaign for every house to hoist the national flag on this day. All our partner centers; Ranchi, Lohardaga, Udhampur, Pauri, Jehanabad, Patna, Siliguri, and Guwahati warmly participated in this national celebration. The activities of Guwahati and Jehanabad center are highlighted here.



In Jehanabad, the staff team joined the morning parade with Good News Prayer Fellowship. 100 National flags were distributed. More

than 250 people participated.

New Prayer Centers:

- Jehanabad: Our staff team initiated 14 new prayer fellowships in nearby towns and villages as more people have begun to come for prayers and counseling.

- Bomdila: The staff team has started one new prayer fellowship in a nearby village.
- Siliguri: A new prayer fellowship was started in a village near Jaigaon.

Training Center Building Update:

- The Staff Quarter: Till date the 3rd slab has been completed. The slab casting of the top floor took place on July 4. The brick work of the first floor is under progress.
- Training Center Building: The slab casting of one of the wing of the training building has been completed. It is around 7000 sq. ft. area so it took 2 days to complete, it took place on 16th and 17th of Aug 2022. Labors worked day and night to achieve the work on time.



Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Board of Trustees (both Himalayan for Christ & TLA Educational Trust in India) were held on August 25 & 26 respectively. The Board of Trustees and special invitees from USA attended the meetings.



Special Projects:

- Guwahati Centre received 3 PA systems and 3 Mobile Phones
- Jehanabad Center received 6 PA systems, 1 mobile phone, and 200 Hindi Bibles
- GBET Patna received 5 PA systems and 30 Urdu Bibles

More Bibles, PA system, and smart phone for other centers are also in the process of distribution. Grateful to the Words of Hope and ReFrame Ministries for their generous help.



Pankaj Kumar CDW, Patna Bihar expressed his joy on receiving the PA system. He wrote:

Today I thank God the Father that by His grace I received a portable amplifier. It is helping me a lot in the village prayer center. Before I had to speak in a loud voice, after I received this system, I feel very light in preaching. Even people had difficulty to hear my voice before, now they are able to hear me quite well. The believers are very happy."

Farewell



We gave farewell to Sudipta Sangma, Tailoring Instructor in the month of July. We are grateful for her contribution during her tenure. We wish her lots of success and blessing for her future endeavors.

Welcome to the New Staffs

We are excited to have four new staffs joined the team: Ritumoni Dutta (first from left) as the Tailoring Instructor; Prabin Biswakarma (2nd from left) as Community Development Workers (CDWs), Jai Prakash Sharma (3rd from left) as CDW; and Obed Oraon (4th from left) office Administrator. Our work is now extended to two new places the state of Arunachal Pradesh and West Bengal.



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