

Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I am going to the Father. John 14:12.

Operation Christmas Child VBS

This year GTM and Celebration Foursquare Church (CFC) Navotas partnered with Operation Christmas Child (OCC) to host a 12 day Vacation Bible School (VBS). Though it required a huge investment of time, it produced excellent results. Attendees averaged 24 with most of the children making it to all 12 lessons and graduating. We had two groups: one for ages 4-9 and one for ages 10-13. The older children have grown a lot through this discipleship class, and every week they are becoming more and more engaged in the Sunday church service.

Many people know about OCC and how it gives out Christmas boxes to children in less wealthy nations. What many do not realize is that OCC also provides a high quality curriculum for discipleship of children. Each child gets a gift box, a lesson book, and a New Testament Bible in their language. The VBS concludes with graduation day, which is not only exciting to the children, but is an opportunity to invite their parents into the church. Several parents who came to the



graduation had never attended church before and were afraid they would feel uncomfortable. Instead, they felt welcomed and loved, and they appreciated what the church had done for their children. We know the Word of God shared with both the children and the parents is a seed that will bear fruit in the future.



Learning from JM

Seven year old JM has made CFC his new home. He is the first one to show up Sunday morning, sometimes hours before service, and would be the last to leave if we let him. Whenever either CFC or GTM has activities for children, he is always there, and whenever we have an activity not for children, we often catch him trying to sneak in. JM is also participating in the GTM literacy program to learn reading and writing. On Sunday morning he is the first to grab his tithe envelope and prepare it, giving whatever small amount he saved from his snack money. He attends our weekly prayer gathering. He sometimes struggles with how to pray and articulate like the adults, but he always makes sure to share something good that God did for him or his family. Though he is the youngest and least educated, he is one of the most confident. He is occasionally a challenge to us, but we are so blessed and amazed at how on fire little JM is in serving the Lord. We pray more adults would share his enthusiasm and love for Jesus.



New Happy Kids Group in Marcel



Now that Chris and Melda have planted Celebration Foursquare Church, Navotas, Philippines, in the central part of town, Melda and Michelle are working together to establish a presence in the southern area of town. They have started a weekly children's group in a tent that the local government is letting them use free of charge. They have ministered to 30 children so far. This tent is a huge blessing because the area does not have any other large spaces for meetings. They also have one adult Bible study with hopes to soon start more. Their goal is to eventually start a home church since the area is too far from the main church for many to attend.

A Year in Transition, GTM Philippines

Over the past few years GTM Philippines has experienced many great success stories, and while we love what we are doing, one chapter is closing, and we are now looking to the next chapter of our ministry. Going forward, we will be realigning our ministry focus around church planting. Michelle and Arnel will continue what they do best: evangelizing and starting new groups. However, going forward, they will partner more with others in the local churches who can take over the new groups and disciple the new believers. They will also focus the majority of their efforts towards two specific areas which are candidates for church plants. The groups overseen by Kelly (Fisher's of Men) and Jechelin (Young Women) are both going strong, but we have begun the process of transitioning them to the care and supervision of JIL Navotas. Similarly, we have transferred our Momshies group and one youth group to the care of CFC Navotas.



Third Quarter 2022	Year to Date 2022	Overall 2019-Present
Salvations: 38	Salvations: 128	Salvations: 500
Baptisms: 0	Baptisms: 48	Baptisms: 74
Healings: 0	Healings: 4	Healings: 11

NEW MAILING ADDRESS: PLEASE NOTE OUR NEW MAILING ADDRESS IS P.O. BOX 1030, CHARLESTOWN, NH 03603.

GTM New Hampshire

GTM Store Overflowing! Thanks to a generous donation, our store is overflowing with inventory, especially high quality glassware and décor. **We are open Thursdays and Fridays from 1-4:00 PM and the first Saturday of the month from 10:00-2:00 PM. A HUGE THANK YOU** to Theresa Methot for doing a wonderful job organizing and displaying our merchandise.



Holiday Bazaar, Saturday, October 29, 2022 from 10:00-3:00 PM. Sponsored by the Loving Hearts Sewing Group The GTM Store is opening another huge room for more merchandise and vendors so it will be a great time to get a head start on the holidays!



Current Donation Needs: Men's and women's winter clothing; children and infant clothing; kitchen items (toasters, blenders, cake mixers, coffee makers, coffee grinders, juicers, food processors, lunch pails, thermoses, strainers, irons, pots & pans); Furniture (**no mattresses**); lamps; men's tools; children's games and toys; adult games and puzzles; jewelry; office folders; paper shredders, Christmas cards; stationary. We **do not need** glassware or summer clothing at this time. **Also, please limit clothing to one brown paper bag size at a time and no tares or stains on clothing. Thank you!**

Food For Kids Backpack Program: GTM is back in action with the Charlestown backpack program that feeds 50+ children every weekend.



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