



Winter has passed, and the rains have come to an end. The time of flowers blooming and birds singing has arrived. This is a brand-new season, and the Lord is leading GIU into a spring filled with joy and hope.

I . What We Have Done

1. In March, we mobilized a team to travel to the eastern United States—Boston, North Carolina, Washington, DC, New York, and New Jersey—to visit various churches. We shared what God is doing on the mission field and invited churches to seize the opportunity to actively participate in cross-cultural missions. We deeply sensed the strong passion for missions among these churches.
2. We provided financial assistance for language learning to new workers. This year, the subsidy amount has doubled. Although it still falls far short of actual needs, it has brought them great encouragement.
3. Co-workers traveled to the mission field to carry out discipleship training. As the number of local believers continues to grow, the need for discipleship training is becoming increasingly urgent. At the same time, local theological training centers are in great need of teaching staff. Therefore, our co-workers went to the field to offer courses on the life of Christ, the Bible, and theology, equipping local believers and co-workers.
4. None of GIU's co-workers receive a salary; everyone is wholeheartedly devoted to serving missionaries. The prayer team faithfully intercedes for missionaries every Monday evening. The care team personally visits the field to support and accompany missionaries. The business-as-mission team works alongside the field workers to provide online business training and one-on-one coaching. Meanwhile, administrative staff quietly and faithfully carry out various responsibilities behind the scenes.
5. In terms of emergency preparedness, as unexpected events frequently occur around the world, crisis management and emergency evacuation planning have become especially important. This year, our emergency response team has provided systematic training to help the field workers improve their ability to respond to crises.

II . Our Challenges

The challenges we face this year are significant, but we firmly believe that God's grace is greater and that He will surely supply all our needs.

1. Due to the impact of war, prices continue to rise, with fuel and daily necessities increasing significantly. In some countries, the cost of living has risen by about 30%, with fuel prices increasing even more exceeding 100% in certain regions. This has placed great pressure on the lives and ministries of our field workers. We are currently preparing emergency funds to respond to urgent needs.
2. Due to tensions in the Middle East, our business-as-mission gatherings and training ministries have been postponed. The events originally planned in the region could not take place as scheduled, and the discipleship training school has also been delayed.
3. The country where we are located has also been affected by war. We need to closely monitor developments and be prepared for possible emergency evacuation at any time.

III. Our Next Steps

1. Traveling to Asia for field visits. Our co-worker team will continue to visit and accompany missionaries. Our desire is this: as long as missionaries remain on the field, no matter how difficult the circumstances, we are willing to go, to support and walk alongside them.
2. We are preparing a camp for the high school age missionary kids, so that they may grow deep in their spiritual lives and carry forward the mission

IV. Invitation to Pray with Us

1. Pray for the safety of missionaries on the field, and also for their needs amid rising living costs. May the Lord personally provide and prepare all that is needed.
2. Pray for the high school age Missionary Kids summer camp—that the Lord will grant safety and smooth organization, and provide all the necessary funding.

The GIU Executive Team

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