



# June Missions AIM Report 2017

My wife has been a tremendous blessing to the church, for she regularly cooks lunch for everyone that attends. I am amazed at her really hard work. Further, she regularly chats with those who have come or those who haven't to ask their attendance. She is really more than a blessing from God! I continue to be amazed at the work of God in her! And, agree with this concept: God's answers are better than our prayers!

**REGULARLY, WE HAVE SEEN MORE VISITORS AND MORE FREQUENT ATTENDERS AT OUR SERVICES THAN PREVIOUSLY. SO FAR, THE HIGHEST ATTENDANCE HAS BEEN 17 FOR THE WEEK. THIS INCLUDES THE MORE REGULAR MEMBERS AND THE VISITORS. OUR BAPTIZED BROTHER HAS MADE EFFORTS ON HIS PART TO BRING STUDENTS TO HEAR THE GOSPEL MESSAGE. HE PURSUADES THEM TO TRY TO HEAR IT AT LEAST ONCE. THIS OFFERS THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXPLAIN THE GOSPEL TO THEM. HE HAS ALSO GIVEN US HIS PERSPECTIVE OF THE CHINESE MENTALITY. THIS HELPS US.**



**Pictured above, we are learning Search for Truth, the beginning of the creation.**



We needed to buy another table for our living room, because one just was not enough. We bought one online, so we had to assemble it. Our attendees are helping us with the finishing touches!

## REVELATION 1:3

"Blessed is he that readeth, and they that hear the words of this prophecy, and keep those things which are written therein: for the time is at hand." KJV



To help the attendees get to know the scriptures, we have dedicated a short time within the service to memorize the scriptures. Here, they are memorizing the texts that are the key scriptures of the Bible study.

## Prayer Requests

- **Pray for people to be open and receive the Holy Spirit!**
- **Pray for the Jesus church: That they would be faithful and develop a heart for Jesus more deeply.**
- **Pray for our translators work!**
- **Pray for China and the development of the works established!**
- **Pray for the seed to grow!**
- **Pray for us to be submissive to His will!**
- **Pray for China, South Korea and Japan!**
- **Pray for Israel!**



**Praying for our attendees: Maybe it's the first time anyone has prayed over them! We are blessed to have the opportunity to pray for their salvation and for the blessings of God upon their lives.**

Deuteronomy 6:4, "Hear, O Israel:  
The LORD our God *is* one LORD:"

Every service, we repeat these words three times.



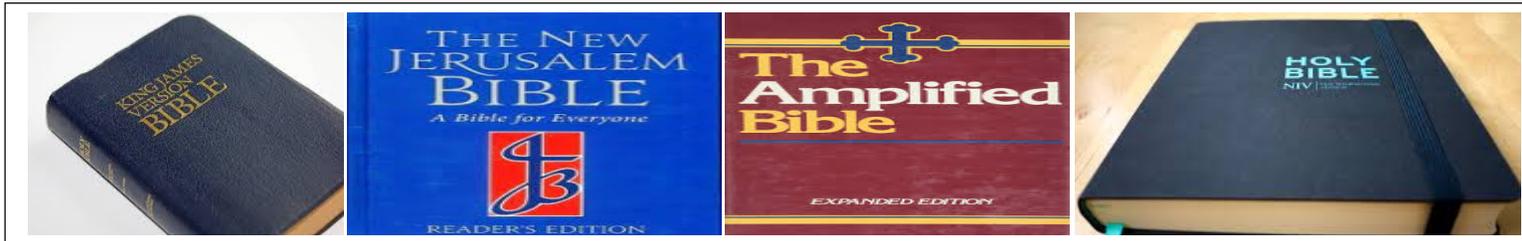
Pictured above, I am giving my testimony. According to our Chinese brother, this helps them identify more and learn about how people come to the gospel. It gives them inspiration for them to give their lives to the gospel and its message.



**After services, we have lunch together. One of our attendees brought us some watermelon. We are very happy to share the gospel with them. In China, many times, it is the first time they open it and read it in our Bible study!**



Our baptized Singaporean brother is sharing his testimony in English. I attempted to translate it into Chinese. He is also our regular translator and helper in regards to the Chinese way of thinking.



## **NEXT STEPS: MISSIONS EVERYWHERE**

**As ministers of the gospel, our goal is to preach the anointed word of God and hear from God messages that grip the hearts of people for their salvation. Surely, our task is really a grand one. And, in Bible College, the shouldered tasks for the instructors and students were to delve into the Bible in depth. Yet, broaching the topic of why our choice has been a certain version of the Bible should be made with certainty. The more I think about it, the more I wish I had more knowledge of the background of the Bible we use, its different translations and the reasons for choosing a certain version. Peter preached on the Day of Pentecost about the message of the gospel. From his time till now, variations of gospel messages have sprung forth. Yet, we cling to one message, the message of Acts 2:38. The scribes in the Old Testament were very particular about copying the script with minute detail. Yet, should not there be a wise choice of looking more deeply and getting an approval of a particular version and the reasons why?**

**Further, in many countries of the world, where the language is not English, versions have been produced. And, mostly, as ministers, we accept the versions because we have no background into translation, really, of the original. We have to depend on the translators almost without question. But, we might disagree with them regarding salvation. Doesn't this bother you? Israel Biblical Studies may deepen our own understanding of the whys. And/or a committee dedicated within our movement to verify every version in our language and other languages would be a wonderful step for ensuring the authenticity and reasons for our choices. What say you?**

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