



LUCKNOW REGION

(Including Bihar, Lucknow, Rourkee, Uttarakhand, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh)

We thank the Lord for giving us such a blessed month in December. God did wonders in the Lucknow region in the past months. Many souls were saved and we saw tremendous blessing of God in the ministry as well as our personal lives. God used His people in this region for His glory.

Pastor James says, "It is my prayer that I may be utilized by God for the expansion of His Kingdom and let His name be glorified in the Lucknow Region."



TRANSFORMATION CENTER (MEN'S)

Students in the Boys TC are doing well both physically and spiritually. The students along with pastor are continually visiting several villages to share the gospel.

God is honoring our vision and doing great things in the village and surrounding areas. We are also conducting fellowships in three other villages. Seventy five people are gathering in these fellowships. We are planning to start Sunday worship as well.

We do not have electric connection in the TC building yet. Students have to struggle a lot to study in the night. We trust God that He is soon going to provide us with this need. People continue to pray with us.

TRANSFORMATION CENTER (LADIES')

The girls in Lucknow TC too are doing great by the grace of God. God is enabling in-charge Mini and other staffs to fare better for the development of the students. God enabled us to conduct three days fasting prayer. It was a great blessing and a new experience for all of them.

CHILDREN'S HOME

God kept all the Children physically and spiritually well. Though some fell sick due to climate change but God kept them safe. They are very active in the church activities and use their talents through various different ways. Please pray for their health and upcoming exams.

MERCY HOME

God is doing wonderful miracles through Mercy Home. Many mentally sick people have been cured and united with their families in the past one and half year. God is using Pr. Paul and his family in a tremendous way. At present there are two patients in Mercy Home: Sameeksha is getting well and almost improved. She gave birth to a son. The child is pre-mature but God helped to get things better. Now Sameeksha and child are doing well. The other man is also getting better by the power of prayer. God is bringing wonderful changes in his life because of the fasting and prayer. Pastor Paul needs your valuable prayer for the patients to be recovered soon.



We also plan to enlarge this ministry with new strategies. We pray and hope that God who made all things possible is able to do great things in the days to come.

TUITION CENTER

The Tuition Center for the poor children in Lucknow is also faring well. God helped us to reach the children from poor background and give them basic education. We got many contacts through the children and access to their villages and houses. We also show them Christian films which help them to understand the love of Christ Jesus as well.

CITY LIGHT CHURCH

In the City Light Church God is bringing new believers from the neighboring areas. Praise the Lord for mighty works which he has done in growth of the Church. Every Sunday some new people join the church. God also strengthen the believers by bringing new preachers as well.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

City Light Church organized various programs to celebrate Christmas. There was a Carol singing program on 21st-22nd December. We visited the houses of the believers and their neighbors. This was a good time to share the Good News to the people as well.

There was a Christmas celebration in the Boys TC on 22nd for the new believer's in a nearby village.

On 24th December all the staff and TC students went to the railway station and distributed the meal, medicine and clothes to beggars and destitute.

25th December was celebrated as Thanksgiving Sunday. More than 200 people attended the service. There was Christmas Message and fellowship lunch after the service. Soon after there was also an open air meeting. It was a good opportunity to distribute the tracts and to share the



good news to the people on the streets. God helped us to distribute around 2000 tracts and food for 1000 people on this blessed moment.

ABUNDANT BLESSINGS: TRACTOR AND GOAT FARM

In the past years God provided us with land and helped us to construct the TC. This year again God's faithfulness was immense for us. The Lord provided us with two tractors for Lucknow Region, one for Varanasi and one for Lucknow. At times we face limitations due to financial matter however our God is faithful. We have been praying for this provision since many months. God answered our prayer. We heartily thank God and resource persons who contributed the money to buy this. The TC students and in-charges are very happy. It is also a blessing for the villagers as they struggle a lot for the work in the fields. We could use this tractor to cultivate our own land and also help the villagers. This is a great blessing in terms of community development.

People now understand that we genuinely care for them. It is not that we are engaged in conversion but now they are realising the eternal truth that Lord loves them.

God has helped us to win numerous souls in another nearby village. The ministry is growing and developing. The Transformation Center is playing a vital role to evangelize the people in this village and expand our ministry among the people. Through various developmental programs as well we are able to help people in various ways. To carry on with the good work we require funds. Lord helps us to start some work so that we can earn some finance to expand the ministry. We have started a goat farm in Lucknow. This will help us to get financially secure in some ways. We are so grateful to our almighty God for the provisions.

PATNA

In Patna a Christmas celebration program was organized on 18th December. The students of Patna Transformation Center took active part in conducting the program. Sixty people attended the program and shared the love of Christ Jesus with each other. Many of them had not heard the Gospel before. This was the great opportunity for us to share the Good News of Jesus.

We express our heartfelt gratitude to you for your valuable prayer and support. Without you we could never have come this far. Please continue to uphold us in your prayers. May the almighty God bless you and keep you in His graces.

PRAYER POINTS

- Please remember all the students in the TCs and Children Home that God may give them good understanding to learn the God's word, let no one get sick because of the climate and weather change.
- Pray for electricity in the new building in Maati Boys Transformation Center.
- Pray for Sis. Sameeksha and her child and new patient in Mercy Home to get well soon.
- Pray for all the believers in the Church to grow spiritually.