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to the

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Dear Pastors, Family, and Friends,

First of all, we want to wish you all a very Merry Christmas. We are praying you are all well and enjoying serving our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. He is the Savior that was willing to come into this world to die for my sins, and not mine only but the sins of the whole world. What a joy to celebrate the birth of our Savior.

As we look back upon the year 2021, we see that God is still saving Filipino souls here in Dipolog. Also, there are many being saved in our mission works. This past Sunday we witnessed 5 people being baptized here in Dipolog. We praise the Lord for the working of the Holy Spirit in the lives of the Filipino people.

We began the month of December with our music recital with 38 presentations. We had 6 unsaved visitors present. Please pray as we follow up on these visitors. Our Bible college is on Christmas break right now. Most of the students can not return home to spend Christmas with their families because of travel restrictions, so to help them out we will have them at our home on December 24 for Christmas Caroling and, of course, food and fellowship together to celebrate the birth of Christ. On December 26th after the morning service, the church and college will have an End-of-the-Year Fellowship and on December 29th will be the Christmas Fellowship for the college with a time around the Word of God, games, food, and fellowship. Since we are away from our biological family at this time we adopt the church family as our family.

Come 2022, Bro. Rice's plan is to move the Bible college to Molave. Bro. Rice and I have discussed this matter in detail and we both agree that due to the remote location that it would be best for Beth and I not to move there due to our age and recent illness with covid and hospitalization for me with rapid heart rate and Beth with repetitive UTIs. We do feel well at this time, but we still deal with minor medical issues due to our age. To add to that, the owner of the house we have occupied for the past 13 years is coming back to Dipolog to live in this house. So, we feel like this is another reason to take a medical furlough, whenever that time would be that he will return here to Dipolog. We will start with our medical check-ups in Oklahoma City. As soon as that is complete, we will start contacting churches and begin our meetings. If you have any preference as to when you would like to have me speak in your church toward the end of 2022 or into 2023 please let us know. Please pray with us as we seek the Lord's guidance as to where He would like us to serve after the furlough is complete. Also, please pray about the renewal of our Philippine visas.

Thank you again for your faithful prayers and financial support. May God bless you.

Yours for Souls in the Philippines,

Dan and Beth