

The Peeler Family

Maintenance for Missions, Ministries and Local Churches



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Dear Faithful Prayer Partners,

Greetings to you all from Yap. This has indeed been an adventure as well as a blessing from the Lord. The people here are wonderful. They are eager to learn God's word and it is a pleasure to be able to minister to them. I have been able to preach once at Paul's church in Makiy and Melinda helped in the children's service. We have also been with Mark to hold Bible study in Maap each Sunday afternoon. The national who was preaching at Yap Baptist Church had to go to Guam and I have been privileged to preach there since he left. It has been a great opportunity for God to stretch me and use me in ways I never thought possible. This is the church that Mark Zimmer will be taking over when Paul Zimmer returns to Yap. The people at Yap Baptist are a diverse group. There are Yapese and Philipinos as well as Outer Islanders. Mark has been holding a teen meeting here every Thursday evening. Melinda helps Diane with snacks for the meeting. Teens are the same the world over; they all love to eat. Please pray especially for one girl who was saved about a week ago. Her name is Mac and she is from the outer island of Fais. She attends the church in Makiy. Melinda stayed with the children so Diane could go to Mac's house, pick her up and talk with her. Diane was able to lead her to the Lord that day. Praise the Lord!

The work here is going well. We have completed most of the things needed at Paul's house. I helped Mark install windows in the livingroom and kitchen. I also did some electrical work in the kitchen and an upstairs room Paul is preparing for a teacher that will be coming to help. We also put up new trim and installed an air conditioner. Melinda made curtains for bathroom, living room and one of the bedrooms. She also helped Diane make up a gift bag for the ladies for Mother's Day. Diane had the ladies over for a time of fellowship and a meal. She then brought an appropriate challenge for the day. It was a good outreach to the new ladies in Gagil. We are now working on Mark and Diane's house here at Yap Baptist. We have installed 11 new windows which will make air conditioning possible. Most days the temperature is about 85 to 90 in the house and the humidity is about 85%, so AC is a welcome relief. We are spraying the ceilings now and will be installing some new fans that they received as a gift.

Please don't forget to pray for these ongoing needs: 1) New supporting churches 2) Travel safety 3) Ministry opportunities 4) Unspoken requests. We also have a praise! The Lord has given us three new supporting churches since we have been in Yap. Thank you for your cards, letters, e-mails and most of all your prayers. We love and pray for you all.

In His Service,

Jack and Melinda

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