

Your Missionaries in South Korea

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Dear Praying Friends,

Spring has arrived in Korea. The earth has risen from its wintery sleep, and Spring blossoms are opening all around us. Each year, the earth's resurrection reminds us of God's faithfulness and Jesus Christ's resurrection as the firstfruits of the dead!

It has been three months since Pastor Park moved down south to plant Cornerstone Baptist Church. He and his family are working hard to serve the people of Daegu. Our church sent a few families to help with outreach, special music, and food preparations. The opening service had many locals attending; the harvest was ready, all that was needed was a laborer. Since then, several families have driven down each week to bless that church. Though the drive is long, our church family is excited to support this new ministry.

Pastor Park's departure created several needs within the church and school administration. Thankfully, the LORD used others within the church to fill the vacuum. Several men, young and old, are taking turns translating the preaching. The translator's job is unique; they serve but are also being trained in the ministry, just as Pastor Park was trained. Other people have been given some school administrative responsibilities to help ease my load and add the experience that I lack.

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Adding “School Principal” to my job description was something I never thought would come my way. God has used this opportunity to take me out of my comfort zone and grow me in a new area. Spending more time with the children and their families has enabled me to serve our church better. During the first three months of this year, we have had 40 first-time visitors, eight salvations, and eight baptisms.

Please pray for our youngest son, Daniel, and his new wife, Chaehyun, as they are expecting their first child at the beginning of August. We are blessed to have a growing family serving God together here in Yangju. Secondly, please pray for our church and school during this transition period without Pastor Park, that we would continue to grow in the grace of God. Also, please contact us if you would like to take part in supporting the new church plant, Cornerstone Baptist Church. Thank you for your prayers and support! May the Lord find us all faithful at his coming.

Together in Christ,
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