

GBCP Ministry
January 2010 Newsletter

Dear Royal Family and friends,

We are grateful for all your prayers and contributions for the saints in Pakistan. Here is a recent picture of the church morning meetings. They meet 6 mornings a week. An elder woman, faithful everyday in our church for bible doctrine, went with grace in her sleep to be with the Lord in January.



Baby it's cold outside and they are still are faithful every morning.

In the past month GBCP church registration has been halted and temporarily denied because of failure to prove stability of residence with the church address. The owners of the building are refusing to give us a lease for the year. Please keep this in your prayers as we are looking for some land in the New Christian colony to purchase. A few land owners have offered us land to buy. We need funding for this. If this comes to fruition, we will also use our home as a church base in the colony the church is currently in and put the speaker outside our home for all to continue to listen to the messages. Faisal's family is already set up with a computer and internet. This will save us the monthly rent fee and still make doctrine available for all who listen at the current colony.

In the new Christian colony, we have had the most positive responses to sound doctrine from the young men in this colony. Here is a picture of the men's group that study's Drue Freeman's "Foundation Study Workbook" every night with Zulifqar and Chris.

Men's bible study group



Evg. Pervaz, who is the distributor in Pakistan for VMI and the “Foundation Study”, is proof reading and finalizing the “Basics Book”. Please keep this also in prayer for accuracy. Pervaz asked Faisal to teach at his church in Lahore through the SKYPE internet this last Sunday. The meeting was a blessing to all and they asked him to teach once a month on Sunday at the Lahore church. Faisal most graciously agreed.

The meeting in Lahore and Faisalabad with Rev. Moses was phenomenal according to our church group. We also brought Pastor James from the Salvation Army church in Faisalabad, and he was very grateful for Moses and the doctrines he presented.



Faisalabad meeting Pastor James, Zulifqar and Chris

The "Jesus +" cable ministry in Faisalabad, where we are airing bible doctrine daily for 3 hours, has been getting some positive responses to the messages. The owner eyes were opened when he heard the “Doctrine of Grace” with Scott and Faisal translating. People called in and want to know more about this church. However, in late December, there was 1 negative complaint to the local authorities from a Muslim, which caused Jesus + to shut down for a week. Victory was ours as the cable company went to court, won and got their license back. We are now airing morning, afternoon, and evening.

Also in January a door opened for us to have the “Tree of Life” available in the library of a Bible Seminary in Faisalabad. This bible school is one of the biggest in Pakistan where many come to prepare for ministry. We continue to distribute the “Tree” to 4 other ministries that have opened their door.

Thank you for all the beautiful wedding dresses. We will be sending them to Pakistan this month. Our hope is to get a picture of every dress on a Pakistani bride and send it to the giver of the dress. We have written the name in the tags of each dress.

We are excited about reprinting 2000 “My Heart” books for distribution in Pakistan. This is a great and wonderful evangelizing tool for the young and old. We have many children’s ministries and their teacher’s waiting for this book and the lesson’s which will be done in the month of February.

Rufin and Aqeel continue to grow in His grace and knowledge.

Zulifqar and Chris go out and teach the villages every Sunday afternoon. We prayerfully are in need of a motorcycle to save money for these weekly and daily ministries. Renting motorcycles and rickshaws cost us money for traveling. The cost of a new motorcycle is \$800. They do travel by public transportation when they can, but many villages cannot be reached this way.



Village # 57 the man is blue shirt and turban is Muslim



village #23

Our goal and ministry mission is to bring sound doctrine to Pakistan and all Urdu speaking saints and the Gospel to the lost. We present the truth in hopes that they will believe and reveal our Lord through their living lives. There are now 85 doctrinal classes available to anyone, anywhere who understands the Urdu language and has internet access. God has been faithful and to Jesus be the glory. Wow! What a loving God we have. He does **everything** for us.

Resting this day in Him,
Faisal and Carrie John
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Personal note:

I want to respectfully and gratefully thank GBC Pastor Bob McLaughlin, Pastor Joe Sugrue, FGM Evangelist Scott Grande, Tom Catroneo, BTBM Pastor Gene Cunningham, TNSP, Rev. Moses, Mark Clark and new friend Emilio Nana and many others. Thank you for encouraging me to build up my gift of Pastor/teacher through fellowship, all the doctrines made available for this ministry, and doctrinal books. Thank you so much for the dedicated work that you all do for Jesus' sake in order to present the truth that sets us free. Our Lord said in John 8:31b & 32

“If you continue in My word, then you are truly disciples of Mine; and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.”

Your brother Faisal John