



FELLOWSHIP NEWS

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Theme: *Arise and shine, for your light has come ! And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you. Isaiah 60:1.*

2016 Theme: "LET YOUR LIGHT SO SHINE BEFORE MEN." (Matt. 5:16)

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HOW TO RE-VITALISE YOUR CHURCH

- Carey Suante.

Zomi churches everywhere suffer from their inability to utilize local talents effectively to re-vitalize the church. The church services are predictable and monotonous. There is apparent lack of creativity and resourcefulness in organising programmes and services. Their way of conducting worship services are more or less the same everywhere.

Acknowledging that different Christians do have different God-given talents and interests Zomi churches can and should utilize these talents for the glory of God. Up until now, these ministries (see below) seem to be given less importance although they are the very ingredients that will revitalise and empower the church and its other existing ministries.

The running of the church can be enhanced and empowered by adding ministries/departments. But most importantly, it will allow members to take a more active part in the ministry of the church, and it is to be absolutely voluntary. It is a way to serve God without being "full-time missionaries".

Hence, only the genuinely interested and dedicated folks will come forth and be part of these ministries instead of appointing en mass from the congregation, which only results in mediocre performances.

Granted that these ministries are not as important as reaching out to the unsaved, however I do believe these ministries will complement and enhance that vital ministry of preaching Gospel to the unsaved (and encouraging the saved and the anointed), and not to forget, make our worship services a more pleasant experience.

Usher Ministry

Zomi Churches can and should seek volunteers (on an annual or monthly basis) from amongst its congregation to form the Usher Ministry.

This ministry will provide ushers who will act as guides, hosts, stewards, etc. to arrange seats, hand out programmes and newsletters, welcome congregation and guests, provide drinking water for preachers, look after the sound systems and mics, help the speaker set up presentations, and so on. In short, it will help in the smooth running of church services. Although ushers always exists in every church you go, they are more often than not, incompetent and ineffective. Their incompetency however is not their fault. It is simply because no proper guidance and direction exists. Not much thought and consideration goes into appointing ushers which results in ineffective ushering and stewardship. Our worship services and fellowships will improve at least a hundred folds if the Chairman/Chairperson is helped by resourceful ushers who upholds the decorum of the church and maintains it.

Choir Ministry

Most Zomi Churches still don't even have regular church choirs. Even when they do have one, they are totally unprofessional and a pain to listen to. If the Zomi Churches are serious about praising and exalting the Living God, one simple yet effective way is to show genuine care for the church choir.

The pathetic state of our choirs and our reluctance to spend much on choirs is anti-thesis to what we preach from the pulpit.

If developed with care and devotion, a choir can become the magnet to attracting new churchgoers and members. It will revitalize our worship services. A church choir can also become the ambassador for the church by entertaining and performing in other churches and fellowships.

BIBLE TANGTEL

"Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart, Be acceptable in your sight, O Lord!"

[Psalms 19:14]

"Topa aw ka kam a thu pawtte leh ka lungtang a ngaihtuahna te na mit muh in ki pahpih huai hi hen"

SUNDAY PROGRAMME

10.04.2016 [Time: 2:00-3:30 PM]

- ◆ 2:00-2:25 Praise & Worship : P&W team
- ◆ 2:25-3:05 **Message** : **Upa Gen Than Lian**
- ◆ 3:05-3:10 Hymn : P&W team
- ◆ 3:10-3:13 Offertory prayer : Pa Pum Lian Khai
- ◆ 3:13-3:20 Announcement : if any
- ◆ 3:20-3:27 Hymn : P&W team
- ◆ 3:27-3:30 Closing prayer : Pa Arup Roy

Nung Nipi (03.04.2016) sum lutdan

Sunday collection	: Rs. 2,150.00
Tithe (Sawm-ah-khat)	: Rs. 97,368.00
Antang pham	: Rs. 680.00
Faith Promise	: Rs. 5,200.00
A gawm khawm	: Rs. 1,05,398.00

COMING SUNDAY PROGRAMME: (HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE)

17.04.2016 [Time: 2:00-3:30 PM]

- ◆ 2:00-2:25 Praise & Worship : P&W team
- ◆ 2:30-3:15 **Message/Holy Communion service** :
- ◆ 3:15-3:18 Special No. : G.M.B
- ◆ 3:18-3:20 Offertory prayer : Pa Hahau
- ◆ 3:20-3:24 Announcement : If any
- ◆ 3:24-3:28 Hymn : P&W team
- ◆ 3:28-3:30 Closing prayer : Pa M.C. Dal Thang.

Welcome to ZCFD' family

(3rd April 2016)

1. Khamlunmung S/o Niangdeihching
2. Kapsuankhai Lianzaw S/o Lunzahau Lianzaw
3. H. Lian gin mung S/o Gin en thang.
4. Vungneikim D/o Kapsuankhai Lianzaw.

APRIL USHERS

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Publication/Publicity Ministry

Zomi churches can and should seek volunteers (on an annual or monthly basis) from amongst its congregation to form the Publication/Publicity Ministry.

In today's world where we are bombarded with advertisements and promotions of products and services every second in every form vying for our attention, it is no wonder the church could hardly attract our attention any more. The church should not simply assume its members and more importantly its non-members to know "what's good for them." It should never tire of proclaiming the Good News, especially to those not listening.

It's thus the job of this ministry to inform, inspire and even promote the relevance of the Gospel in this life of ours.

This ministry should be in-charge of the newsletter and content of the Fellowship website. It should be their aim to be relevant and timely with their articles and posts.

While contents for the newsletter comprises articles, news items and fellowship programmes, etc, contents for the website can include apart from the above, videos and photos i.e. digital contents.

In conclusion, it's my humble belief that by designating these functions of the church as ministries we are reinforcing their importance and their rightful places in the church. Although worshipping is a matter of the heart and a personal one, the right ambience can help in bringing you closer to your self and therefore God. No wonder Jesus went into a quiet garden called Gethsemane in solitude (because it has the right ambience to chat with the Almighty) to commune with God in his last hour .

THU TUAMTUAM:

A. TRANSFER&POSTING.

- Fellowship member muanhuai mahmah ahi **Nu Sawnbawi** leh **Pa Mangboi Samte** te innkuan teng sepna tawh kisai in nungkal in Delhi nusia in Patna leh Guwahati hong zuatsan ta uh. Topa'n om pih ciat ta uh hen.
- **Pa M.C.Dal Thang** zong a sepna Raipur pan in nung kal teng in Delhi ah hong ki transper ta hi. PTL!
- I fellowship member muan huai mah ana hi **Pa L. Thang Sian Mang** leh a Innkuan te nung kha 26th March 2016 ni'n Delhi ah dam in hong tung kik uh a, tu in E-35, Siddharh Nagar, Near. Buddhan Singh Park Ashram, New Delhi-110014 ah Inn la in Dt. 9th April in Pastor in siansuahna nei hi. Pa L.Thang Sian Mang sepna tawh kisai in mai kal sung in Delhi ah Innsung mite nusia phot in a sepna mun zuan kik ding hi. Thunget na'h phawk ni.

B. FELLOWSHIP SUNG THU THEIH TUAK KHEN KHAT TE:

1. April 9,2016 ni'n L/Deptt. In Prayer Meeting cum Fellowship nuam tak in Nu Ginngaihching(Pastorpi') Inn Kishangarh Vasant Kunj ah nei thei uhi.PTL!
2. April 17, 2016 Holy Communion service ding hi.
3. April 23, 2016 ciangin Joint Meeting neih hi ding. Tuani ciangin Department tengin Project/Budget/Year Plan puaklut ciat hi ding hi.
4. April 24,2016 ciangin Singsong service a nopthei bang a zat ki sawm hi, special item nei te'n booking masak ding kiza sak hang.

To,

Zomi Christian Fellowship, Delhi

C/o Bro. Lian,

Block No. 79, R-CPWD, Vasant Vihar Colony, New Delhi-57.

Dear Supporters in God's vineyard,

Greetings to you in the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ and Saviour of mankind !

Its my joy and delight once again to be in touch with you through this letter and thank you all for your persistence prayer and support for our ministry here .

On 11th March 2016 we have a Believers Cottage meeting in Padlia village and 10 ladies attended this meeting and we have praise and worship, songs and teaching from the word of God...topic on **Sin, Origin, consequences and remedy.**

On 17th March we have a cottage meeting in wagur village and 14th people are attended our missionary give a message from God's word about, **Faith and deeds(Jacob 2:14-26)**

And on 25th March we have a good Friday meeting in different worship groups.

On 26th March evening we have a wonderful Pre-Easter program in Dabavalivav and more than 200+ people are coming from different villages we have praise and worship, singing and dancing in garasia tunes and culture. And Pappu bhai (good news worker) share the message from the word of God.

And on 27th March morning 6.00 am we have an Easter meeting (sunrise service) in the mount at Dabavalivav village and Shambu bhai (Good news worker) share from the word of God and all people are blessed by the message of Easter and followed by the communion service after this.

And we could introduced also 9 New Church Council Elders in front the congregation on this morning and they will be appointed for 2 years officially with effects from 1st April 2016 onwards.

Urgent Prayer request:

As we aware that the propaganda of RSS "Ghar wapsi" spread very rampantly and opposition against minority group specially Christian is very tense now a days. So today 3rd March 2016 two people from Ambaji came to Padlia Sunday service with media accessories like digital video recorder and mouth piece and taking a video recording and filming on us all and also on our church things like bibles and others. And they want to interview on me but I oppose them, so they spoke very roughly and took my photo and my bike vehicle number everything with camera they went on to called a police as what the believers say ! I am doubt that they might telecast locally or publish in newspapers for what they have done today on us. So we too left back immediately for Dabavalivav and now we cannot move to villages around specially padlia side, and believers says that you cannot come this side very often and for now you have to stop coming into our village for safety. So now two three days we have to stay in Danta in one of our Missionary house. So please do pray for Padlia church and for us as for now we can't move out here and there !

Thanks

In God's Vineyard

Mel Firstine Rynthathian

Garasia Field, Gujarat.

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