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Dan and Edna Cadavos from Malaybalay City, Philippines

As we share a bit of what the Lord is doing in our ministry, we want to express our thanks for your faithful prayers and support in 2017. We pray as well for each of you reading this update that you will continue to taste and see that the Lord is good this New Year 2018 !



2018 Forward by Prayer

Our ministry, like any ministry goes forward by prayer. Any blessing the Lord has granted has come by His grace through the channels of prayer. Each morning from 5-6:00 am a number of men from our church meet for prayer.

Dan also meets with a group of 5-6 mountain pastors each Monday for a day of prayer and training in the Word. He is simplifying the lessons he is learning in his master's class for their growth and spiritual development.

A brief trip to the USA

We left the Philippines and arrived in Florida on December 19 and will stay until Feb 8, 2018 to have important time with family. Edna's parents, Ed and Ann Guiliano are up in age and we felt this



would be a good time to be mainly with them, as well as seeing other family members and a few of our nearby supporting churches. For pictures and specifics see our [FB](#) page "[Dan Edna Cadavos](#)."

Our Partners in Ministry

We praise the Lord for those He has raised up to assist in our ministry. Please pray for **Pastor Mike and Cherry Mendiola**, our assistant pastor and his wife. Our daughters **Joyet**, and **Asenath** are faithfully serving the Lord. We also have two young men newly graduated from Bible College, **Bro Nikko Ama** and **Bro Dreamer Dalayao** working in various aspects of our ministry at Mt Calvary Baptist Church. Please pray also for Bro **Dennis Barbon** and Dan's brother **Jacob** as they assist in managing our camp ministry and it's agricultural projects. Finally remember those in our school ministry-Dept heads: **Mrs Gema Hegera**, **Mrs Dolores Sohento** and **Sir Gebson Manegos**, and Business manager **Miss Q. Anajao**. Finally pray for **Bros Jhon Bandivas** and **Joel StaMaria** and their important duties in our church office and Bible studies.



Recent Bible college graduates:
Nikko and Dreamer





Upcoming March Graduation

For the past 4 years our church has hosted a master's class program from Bob Jones Memorial Bible College called "CEP" (continuing education for pastors). Each quarter the College sends down one of it's faculty (most being missionaries with GFA), and brings one course for our men in Mindanao. We average 30-40 pastors in attendance each session. A blessing is that Dan has now completed all his requirements and will also receive his MA in Pastoral Theology this March from BJMBC in Manila. It's not easy to be the host pastor and take these challenging courses. Praise the Lord for His strength and assistance, as well as our church members taking care of the cooking and accommodations. We intend to continue another 4 years to be able to offer this program to more men who desire to add to their faith, knowledge of the Word.



2017 ends with well attended Christmas Program and a number of baptisms

As 2017 came to an end we rejoice in a year of increased attendance in all our services. Our choir increased, the youth department on Friday nights and those involved in various Bible studies and children's Bible clubs. Mt Calvary is reaching out to the people of Malaybalay and surrounding towns as well. We have the real possibility of a new church about to be planted in a city south of us.

4 youth and 3 adults were baptized our last Sunday before leaving. What a



blessing to see our church growth. All these results are your prayers and support coming to fruition. Continue to pray brethren, and continue to invest in a ministry that reaches souls. Our church building program is again starting up. We are in GREAT need for our church building ! Will you partner with us to see this building rise up, good for seating 500? We are asking the Lord for \$200,000 from the USA and raise the remaining \$200,000 among our people. Hope you will consider an extra gift for our church building. Thank you and God bless your New Year, for His glory!



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