



Monsoon & More...

God Brings Opportunities

Providing food and hope for the impoverished in a time of storm.



Please be praying for area pastors as they work with the impoverished people in the shanty towns around Manila. The needs can become overwhelming and the energy is quickly drained with long hours in harsh conditions. God grant your power in multiple ways!

The Rains continued to fall for days on end. The ground became saturated and could take no more. The Southwest Monsoon that comes annually, was further induced by a tropical cyclone north of the Philippines. It caused a stationary effect and the monsoon winds picked up ocean moisture from the South China Sea and proceeded to dump it on the entire area around Manila. It was hard to believe that it had been less than 3 years and we were facing devastating floods again! Don put out the word and the Faith Academy Community collected clothing, food, household goods, and funds to purchase food and other flood relief. It is nearly a month later and our family and others continue to distribute relief. One particular area still has waist high flood waters in their homes. Please pray that the Gospel can go forth as we partner with area churches that minister in these devastated areas.





START OF SCHOOL YEAR 2012-13

The MacKay family begins our 18th year of missionary service in the Philippines. **Austin** begins his senior year and will be acting again in the upcoming senior drama production. He is busy with three AP classes and looks forward to the start of rugby season. **Caleb** is a sophomore and is in the Concert Choir and singing on a chapel worship team. **David** starts his sophomore year at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago where he has a leadership role with the Moody Chorale. **Kristen** will again be the Vice Principal of the Elementary Division at Faith. This month she has had the opportunity of working with a local Filipino school in providing training



and materials in the area of mathematics. **Don** returns as the Campus Pastor for 60% of his time and will increase his role with Threads of Hope for 40% of his ministry. We anticipate the beginning of our All for Jesus Ministry this week. We are excited to see what God has ahead!



Thanks for your prayers and support for our family and ministry!

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