

Many of you already receive Ghuna Kumar's online newsletter, detailing all of the activities of Gospel Friends India. The end of April and the first of May is a very busy time for them.



Graduations for their Bible college, Paramedical School, and Secondary School are all held, with students writing exams in the weeks before. Just after that, the largest Vacation Bible School in India meets on the Living Hope Campus, which is the headquarters for Gospel Friends. This year, 3232 children and youth gathered to hear God's Word, learn new songs, and come to know Jesus as Savior and Lord. It's June now, and they are enrolling new students in all of the schools.



Ghuna, meanwhile, continues to travel throughout the country, encouraging the 1500 local churches affiliated with Gospel Friends, leading pastor training schools, and baptizing new believers. India has been experiencing an increase of persecution over the last year, as well, so please continue to pray as our brothers and sisters there



share Good News with their Hindu and Muslim neighbors.

Next month, I will share more about what is happening in Nepal and Pakistan, but please be praying for them, as well. Persecution continues in both countries, but the church just keeps growing and growing! God's purposes will stand, no matter how the Enemy attempts to stop His children from advancing His Kingdom on earth.

I will be teaching the Bible Class at Sandtown United Methodist Church on Sundays in July. I have been privileged to teach this group for several years now, and really look forward to this time. Their leader, Connie Walters, has instilled in them a love for God's Word and a passion for missions. Each year, making four ½ pint jars at a time, Connie makes enough jelly to sell and raise money to build at least one new house in Honduras. This year, they also built a church building! Several years ago, she built one in Nigeria, and the class supported the pastor for several years until the church was stable enough to continue on its own. Now, they are supporting another pastor in another location!

It takes the entire church to do God's work! As Paul said, each of us has been given gifts according to God's will, so that we can serve the church. We praise God that you were gifted for giving. Thank you for your faithfulness.

God bless you!

Handwritten signature of Lee Ann Williamson.

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