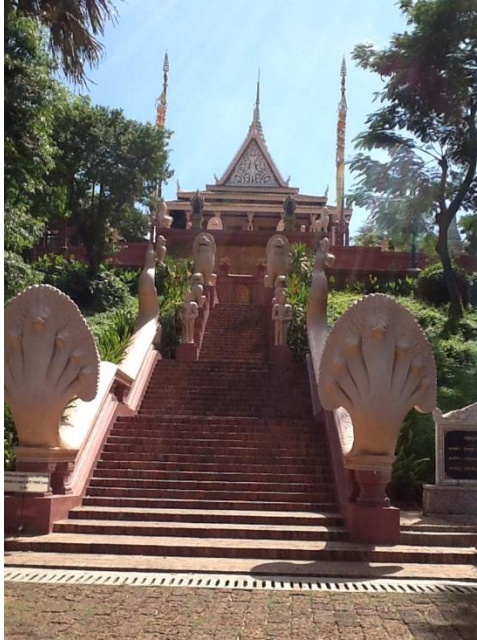




This past month, we returned **Guatemala** to continue the work we began this past spring, where Ruth provided administrative help with a child sponsorship program. We also visited a remote High School, where Rick was able to speak to the students, encouraging them to seek God's will concerning their future plans, reminding them to seek Him in all things. Rick was also a small help in constructing a well that had been provided for the mission house at My Father's Place, where we stayed. [Well Video Link](#)

We are also very excited to let you know that we have also been invited to participate in Missions Door's African Missionaries' Conference in Addis Ababa, **Ethiopia**, in February 2025. This will be a great opportunity to meet our African Missionaries, and to begin/build relationships with the purpose of bringing teams to serve alongside them in Africa. Great opportunities await us, but we need your help. With no teams on this trip to help with the finances, your added support will be much needed and appreciated. If you would like to help with you prayers and finances, please let us know. You can send your donations to Missions Door, along with a note that the funds are to be deposited into account 61183X, for use for the African Conference.

How about a mission trip to **Cambodia**, working with Pastor Radha Manickam? We have opportunities there to teach English, computer classes, or even help with medical and dental needs. There are also churches to be built, homes to be worked on, VBS to be taught, and more. A trip like this is a spiritually moving experience and it will open your eyes to the great needs, physical and spiritual, of such a large number of people. Indeed, it was in Cambodia where God confirmed His call in our lives to lead short-term mission trips. This mission trip is a bit longer in duration, a bit more expensive, and a bit more involved logistically than most, so it takes longer to put together. Let's start dreaming and planning now for a trip in '25 or even '26.



We would love to come to your church and give and update and/or introduce ourselves and our ministry, including upcoming mission trip opportunities. Please contact us if you're interested.

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PS

Our Financial Dept. has determined that we are at a monthly shortfall of **\$1,461.00** (down from \$1,868.47) to be considered at 100% of our Support Schedule. Would you consider helping us to continue to reduce this shortfall, and enable us to do even more on the Lord's (and your) behalf? If so, please contact us.

Thank you for your prayers and support.