

# WEC TAIWAN NEWS JULY-AUGUST 2018



Reaching People Planting Churches Mobilizing for Mission

"We proclaim how great you are and tell of the wonderful things you have done."

(Psalm 75:1)

## A. Inyoung and MyungAe Ok:

# 1. Opportunities:

- (i) Praise the Lord for the various opportunities to share about mission and my testimony. May the Lord use these to encourage more and more people for mission.
- (ii) On 18<sup>th</sup> August I will be giving a lecture at the Friendship Church in Taipei. I will be speaking about joint health in elderly people.

#### 2. WEC Taiwan Branch Annual Conference:

We praise the Lord for the good time of fellowship, prayer and discussion at conference. After conference we visited the Sanwan Church building site and had a time of prayer for the work.

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## 3. Monthly Prayer Meeting

Praise the Lord that our monthly prayer meeting continues to grow. More are having a burden for missions. Pray as we share with them about missions and mission training introducing them to the WEC Colleges.

#### 4. Visits:



- (i) On 29<sup>th</sup> May Pastor Hua, Chairman of the WEC Korea Board visited us and invited the WEC Taiwan Team for lunch. It was a wonderful time of fellowship and encouragement.
  - (ii) With us was another Korean couple, Park JungHyuan , his wife Nho KyungHee and their two daughters. They served in another mission area for 17 years and are now prayerfully considering coming to Taiwan as transferred workers. Pray for their future.(iii) Five short term mission teams will visit Taiwan in July and August. Pray these will
  - be a blessing both to the Taiwan people they meet and to themselves as they better understand missions.

    5. Margaret Lin will arrive back on Taiwan on 28<sup>th</sup> July as a transferred worker from
  - the USA. Her first one to two years will be spent in language study. Pray for adjustment.

#### B. Insu and Sung Hee Park:

#### 1. New Church Building Up-date:

Construction has stopped at the moment as we wait for the necessary permits to use the building. Pray for this. Once received construction will continue. Pray as we compare estimates for the interior decoration needs eg. air conditioning, sound systems etc. Pray we will meet good companies. Pray for the Lord's provision in every way.

#### 2. Mission teams:

Pray for the many short term mission teams we will have during July and August. The teams are from Taiwan, Malaysia and Korea. One activity will be a special Korean night and the CGN TV(Korean Christian TV) company will be setting up satellite to record this meeting. Pray these teams will be used by the Lord. Pray for strength and good health for all.

#### 3. Meetings:

- (i) Three of our young people will be attending a Creative Media Mission Camp run by the AOG Seminary from 9-11<sup>th</sup> August.
- (ii) On 21st and 22nd August we will have our own Summer Bible school for Kids. Pray many children will attend.
- (iii) Praise the Lord two of our young people will be involved in a mission team to Xiangshan in Taipei from 2-18<sup>th</sup> July. Please pray the Lord will use them and train them too.
- (iv) Praise the Lord five church members will be baptized on 19th August

#### 4. Family News:

We thank the Lord for our daughter's lovely wedding on 16<sup>th</sup> June.

On 30<sup>th</sup> there will be a wedding banquet on Taiwan.



#### C. Peter and Sarah Park:

#### 1. Short-term mission teams:

Pray for the 5 Korean short-term mission teams who will come to Taiwan during July and August. Two teams will go to Pingtung in the south to help Mandy's church with youth group evangelism and a summer camp for kids. Two teams will go to help with the Hakka ministry in Sanwan. One team will be in Taipei doing evangelism. These team members have a strong desire to help the Taiwanese churches and for sharing the Gospel. Pray for their time here that they will have strength and wisdom and be used by the Lord to see Taiwanese come to know Jesus.

#### 2. Korean Class:

We have just finished our 3<sup>rd</sup> class on 26<sup>th</sup>, June. During this time we have tried to share the Gospel of Jesus with 3 non-Christian students. One of them decided to attend the youth group of church. Please keep praying for 2 students to know Jesus.

#### 3. Opportunities:

We thank the Lord for the opportunity to share at two churches, on in Taipei and the other in Pingtung. We shared testimony of how God had helped us in our previous mission field and with the people group we worked with. We encouraged them to pray for the unreached peoples of the world.

#### **Family News:**

Peter passed the exam for China Evangelical Seminary and has been accepted for the 3 years M.Div. course. We thank the Lord for this opportunity. We thank the Taiwan team for their encouragement and support to study. Please pray for Peter's study time on Taiwan. Pray for the family as they adjust to this new phase.

#### D. Mandy Chu:

# 1. Mission Prayer Meeting:

Praise the Lord for the various missionary speakers we have had in May and June. In July a group of university students will come from Korea to share. We are thankful to be able to pray for various mission ministries.

#### 2. Family News:

My father is adjusting well at the senior's home. My sister and I visit him once a week. We also accompany him for hospital appointments sometimes. Pray that he will remain healthy when I make a mission trip overseas.

#### 3. Special Trips

In mid-July a friend and I are planning a trip and people group where I served before. My friend will return on lst August and I will return 17<sup>th</sup> September. Pray for the contacts we have and that the Lord can use us there. It will be good to meet up with friends from before. Pray for a good reunion and also for safety in travel and good health.

#### 4. Other:

- (i) I thank the Lord for the opportunity to share with two local churches about the people group I worked with before. They are now interested in sending mission teams to that area in the near future.
- (ii) Peter Park and I have organized for two short-term teams from Korea to run summer camps at Shengli Church in Pingtung in July. They will come early July and end of July. Please pray for good weather, adjustment and health for the short term teams. Please also pray those who attend will also sense God's love..

#### E. Taiwan missionaries:

- **1. Anna and Kevin** left Taiwan on 25<sup>th</sup> June. Praise the Lord for the many opportunities they had to share. Pray for lasting fruit. Pray as they settle back into life again in Australia with Anna being involved in Chinese churches and Kevin in the WEC IT work.
- 2. Continue to pray for Pastor and Mrs. Wang as they work with WEC IMM in Korea. Pray for the many contacts they have.
- **3.** Pray for **S** as she will be moving house into a higher area. Pray for good health and good language contacts.
- **4.** M and R still need other helpers for translation. They praise the Lord for the work done.
- **5**. Continue to pray for **J** as she helps new workers settle in and adjust. Pray for good relationships. Pray too for the children's work she is involved in. Pray for **A** as he teaches English.

Many blessings from the WEC Taiwan Team

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