FULL GOSPEL ASSEMBLIES

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"Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."

Global **Ministry**

GROWING TIMOTHYS

By Pastor Juan Feliciano



A difficult aspect of ministry is not being able to visualize what God is doing in the work we do and in the people whom we have contact with day in and day out. We know that growth is progressive and we don't always see immediate results, but rather are seen through the progression of time if we continue being faithful. I say this because

there are subtleties of growth that we do in fact see that our new people (Our Timothy's) might not pick up on early in the ministry. I am persuaded that for this reason Paul says to Timothy in 2 Timothy 1:8 not to be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord, nor of me His prisoner, but share in the suffering for the gospel by the power of God. Paul was telling Timothy that the current

opposition and suffering is only part of the process that God takes us through in order to mold and shape us. It is quite easy for us to fall the ministry even when the results in observing only what we see before us especially in light of the onslaught of negativity,

Trust God for what He is doing in are not seen immediately.

persecution and defiance that our churches face today. In addition to all this, Timothy had to process and deal with the fact the man of God who he closely labored with was now in prison. These were certainly reasons, if not handled appropriately, that could serve as discouragement for Timothy. Paul is asking Timothy to look at the big picture, this calling into the ministry was prepared beforehand by God Himself before the ages began (see vs. 9 2Timothy 1). This process we are now confronting is part of the plan God put in motion that only serves for us to be better prepared in this journey of life in Christ to help those He has entrusted us to serve. God is awesome! Opposition, negativity, defiance and things alike are part of God's purpose set in place even before we even knew Him, for He know the plans He has for us Jeremiah 29:11. Our Timothy's need to trust in the sovereignty of God for He plans welfare in the midst of the storm, a future and hope that only He can provide and that in spite of what we fail to see God is at work.

TELEIOS GOING TO RUSSIA SPRING 2016

Plans are underway for Teleios Counseling Ministries to make a trip to Russia May to June 2016 to offer teaching, group formation and individual counseling. Based in Stone Mountain, Georgia, Teleios Counseling Ministries provide counseling and guidance for both individuals and couples under the leadership of Pastor Charles Ohrenschall. Let's pray for God's wisdom and provision as our brethren prepare for this ministry trip.



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FG MISSION EXPLORATION TO INDIA & CHINA SCHEDULED WITH PHILIPPINE OUTREACH



Above: Pastor Marissa Strauser (rear, middle) with Chinese family/disciples on her last mission to

Church leadership with Bethel Gospel Ministries of India are set to receive Pastor Marissa Strauser of Christ's Chapel FGA (Parkesburg, PA), April 8-13, as she travels in representation of Full Gospel Assemblies. There in Punjab, India, Pastor Strauser will lead evangelistic meetings, meet with BGM pastors and church leadership led by Pastor Alex Itty, for learning more of BGM and exploring how FG might expand the six year ministry partnership.

Full Gospel Assemblies pastors & ministers are invited to join Pastor Marissa for Philippine Ministry April 15-25. Contact Central Office (marrisa.strauser@fgai.org) for more information.

Following the Indian ministry, Pastor Strauser will lead ministry into the Philippines April 15-29, holding a revival services and pastoral trainings with the FG partner church of St. Nino Philippine Bethel Church (Pastora Juliet Badong), Quirino Province, and the Philippine Alliance of Full Gospel Churches (PAFG) congregations of the metro Manila area, including the FG outreach, Taysan FG Church and community.

April 30th through May 11th, Pastor Strauser will represent FGA amongst the underground missionaries, disciples, local pastors and house churches of Shanghai and Shenzhen, China. This mission will take Pastor Strauser back to the mission field she served as missionary and church planter for more than 12 Prayer is requested for the leading and direction of the Holy Spirit as Full Gospel Assemblies reaches out to the peoples of Asia.

~ REMINDERS ~

FGA Church Ministries may now submit major event information for posting on the Full Gospel Assemblies Website!!!

Submit your event to be included in the Full Gospel calendar and website: www.fgai.org Email submissions to: info@fgai.org

SHILOH BIBLE INSTITUTE TO HOST MISSIONS CONFERENCE **APRIL 22-23, 2016**

For more information and details, please contact: **Shiloh Bible Institute** 147 Griffith Ave. Washington, Pa. 15301 (724) 228-5212

PATTI PETRONE TRANSITIONING FROM RWANDA TO U.S.

Minister Patti Petrone is transitioning from her full-time overseas mission work in Rwanda to the beginnings of a ministry in Florida.

Stateside, Minister Patti will be starting a prayer ministry in St. Pete Beach, Florida which she will soon be calling home. She will continue to make trips to Rwanda twice a year to make assessments and conduct discipleship training. The work will also continue with regards to sponsorship programs, including those supporting women going through vocational training school.