Emmaus Christian Fellowship

QUARTERLY REPORT

HIGHLIGHTS & DAILY ACTIVITIES OF THIS QUARTER

As we pause to reflect on the months behind us, this quarterly report serves as a meaningful reminder of God's steadfast faithfulness and the enduring purpose He has placed before us. Every season brings its own unique opportunities to grow, serve, and walk in obedience, and this past quarter has been no exception. As we look back on all that has transpired, may our hearts be filled with gratitude for the strength given to us each day and inspired to continue pressing forward with clarity and faith.



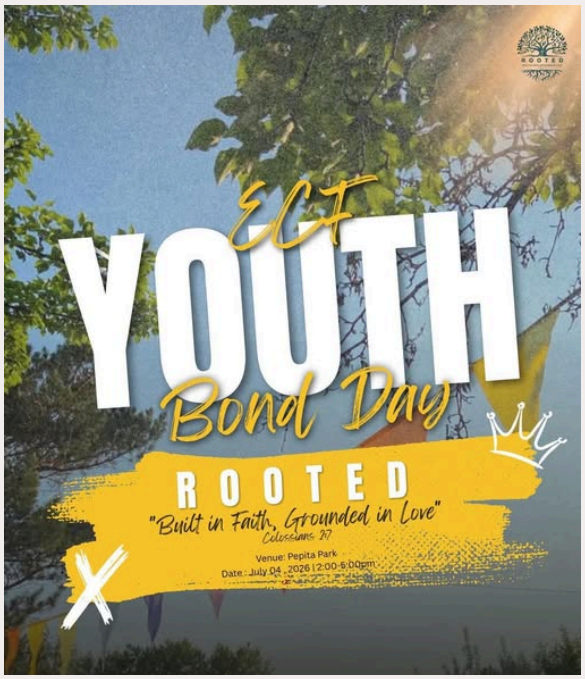
"He which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ." — Philippians 1:6



This past quarter has been filled with purposeful ministry, spiritual growth, and active community outreach. Through our regular Bible studies, Sunday youth lunch fellowships, and weekly devotional gatherings, our daily schedule has remained centered on grounding believers in God's Word and building strong Christian fellowship—highlighted by a joyful Water Baptism service as believers publicly declared their faith. Additionally, our team mobilized for impactful community initiatives, including a Medical and Dental Mission with YWAM, Faith Comes By Hearing audio Bible distribution, Children's Ministry feedings, and a PCDC Mental Health Awareness Workshop titled "Every Emotion Has A Name". Through every event and daily ministry, we continue to see God's faithful hand guiding our labor of love. As Scripture encourages us, *"And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not"* (Galatians 6:9).

ECF Youth Bond Day: Rooted. Centered on Colossians 2:7—*"Built in Faith, Grounded in Love"*— ECF youth spent a wonderful day at Pepita Park bonding with one another, sharing encouragement, and growing together in God's love.







BIBLE Studies and Outreaches: Throughout the week, our ministry remained continuously active across our local communities, hosting home and community Bible studies in Gimaloto on Tuesdays, and with the Villafuerte family in Basud Ilawod on Thursdays. We gathered for Midwek Prayer Meetings and Campsite fellowship on Wednesdays, extended outreach to Pangpang and Farmers on Fridays, and Sunday afternoon Bible study and Feeding in Basud Iraya.





















Midweek Prayer Meeting






ECF Adult Sunday School: Held every Sunday morning from 8:30 to 9:30 AM before our main service, the ECF Adult Sunday School is faithfully led by Sis. Ofel Mendizabal, Sis. Dalia Janer, Sis. Rachel Buela, Bro. Zalde Jarabejo, Sis. Mariz Fraga, and Sis. Elsa Diesta, who take turns sharing God's Word and leading thoughtful discussions to nurture our church family's spiritual growth.










Sunday Service Celebration: During our Sunday Service, the preaching of God's Word is shared in rotation by Sis. Ofel Mendizabal, Ptr. Lorenzo Fugen, Sis. Mariz Fraga, and Ptr. Rolly Catubig, whose faithful leadership continues to anchor our Sunday services.









ECF YOUTH Activities: Focusing on our young people, weekends are dedicated to equipping their talents and deepening their fellowship. Every Saturday features youth devotions, music workshops, and Praise and Worship practice for Sunday service, which flows into our Sunday youth lunch fellowship and afternoon music workshops to keep their passion for serving active—all faithfully facilitated by our senior youth leaders (Rona, Nicole, Shelley, Rachelle, Oliver, Randy, and Jella).















"Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity." — 1 Timothy 4:12



Water Baptism and Fellowship: A profound highlight of our ministry this quarter was our Water Baptism service held at the Guinlajon, Campsite. We praise God for the 10 candidates who publicly proclaimed their faith and stepped forward in obedience, testifying to the transforming power of Christ in their lives.





"Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life."— 1 Romans 6:4



Mission Trip in Cagraray: In response to the Great Commission, our team went On the GO for a 3-day mission trip to Cagraray Island in Bacacay, Albay. Grounded in Matthew 28:18–20, PAMI Pastors and workers reached out directly to families through house-to-house visitations, promoted local Bible school opportunities, hosted joyful children's ministry sessions, and led a blessed Sunday worship service with the community.











"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you..."
— Matthew 28:19–20a

Operation, Healing and Recovery of Baby Nash (2 years old): We extend our deepest gratitude to the Lord for His mercy and provision during a recent health trial for Nash (2nd son of Kevin and Jennifer Mendizabal). Faced with pneumonia, fluid in his lungs, and bullae, Nash underwent two successful operations—a minor procedure to drain the fluid and a major surgery to remove the bullae. Praise God, both procedures went smoothly, and the Lord abundantly provided for every financial requirement along the way. We give God all the glory for His grace in Nash's life and continue to trust Him for complete healing, strength, and full recovery.







EBI Promotion - Radio Ministry: Expanding our reach beyond local communities, our team visited DWAY Far East Broadcasting Company at Legazpi City for a radio broadcast—leading praise and worship, sharing the Word of God, offering prayers for listeners, and promoting Emmaus Bible Institute.





Continuing our radio ministry outreach, our team also visited Radyo Natin Irosin. We were blessed with the opportunity to share the Gospel over the airwaves, lead in prayer and worship, and actively promote Emmaus Bible Institute (EBI) to listeners across the community.





PAMI Pastors & YWAM Ship PH: Dedicated volunteers gathered to provide free medical and dental care to families in need, demonstrating the hands and feet of Jesus while sharing the Gospel with those served.











Alongside our joint Medical and Dental Mission with PAMI pastors and YWAM Ship PH, we were blessed by a special visit to ECF Church from Dr. Jornel Rivera and Sir Manuel. We rejoice in the strong bonds of partnership God is building as we serve together to extend Christ's compassion and love.

YWAMSHIP PH Medical & Dental Mission Orientation: To ensure a smooth and purposeful outreach, volunteers gathered for an orientation led by YWAM Ship PH before launching our Medical & Dental Mission. This session prepared our hearts and hands, aligning our team in both practical care and Gospel outreach as we stepped out to serve our community





3-DAY YWAMSHIP PH Medical & Dental Mission: Over the course of a fruitful 3-day Medical and Dental Mission with YWAM Ship PH, our PAMI pastors, workers, and church volunteers labored side by side in joyful service. While volunteer medical teams provided vital check-ups and dental care, our pastors and workers faithfully served as Gospel sharers, offering personal prayer, counsel, and God's Word to each patient who came through the doors.





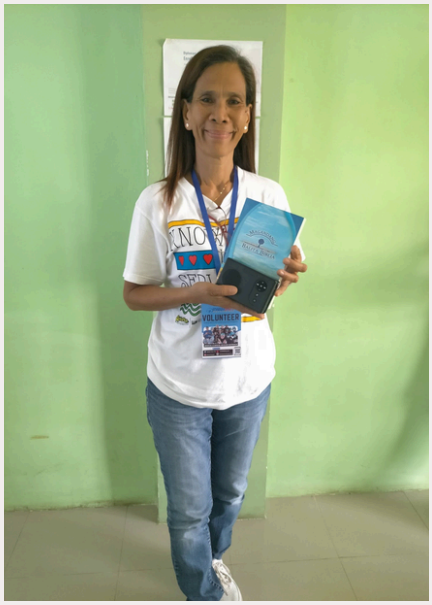






Faith Comes By Hearing Audio Bible: In partnership with Faith Comes By Hearing, our PAMI pastors were blessed to receive Audio Bibles to enhance their local outreach and personal discipleship ministries. These digital audio scripture devices will serve as powerful instruments for sharing God's Word across our communities, especially among those who learn best through hearing.





Necrological Services & Pastoral Care

"For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him." — 1 Thessalonians 4:14 (KJV)





Project Staff & Facilitator Meeting: Padaba (Well-Favored): Our project staff gathered for a dedicated planning and review meeting under the Padaba (Well-Favored) initiative. Together, staffs evaluated current activities, addressed the holistic growth and well-being of our sponsored children, and aligned our upcoming schedules to ensure each child receives the spiritual, emotional, and practical support needed to thrive.





PCDC Mental Health Awareness Workshop & Seminar: Recognizing the importance of emotional and spiritual well-being, our ministry hosted a Mental Health Awareness Workshop & Seminar titled 'Every Emotion Has A Name,' featuring guest speaker Shelley Mendizabal. Combining biblical principles with her background in psychology, she guided participants in understanding their emotions, breaking stigmas around mental health, and extending Christ-like compassion to those navigating emotional struggles.













MINISTRY DAILY ACTIVITIES

Tuesday: Gimaloto

Wednesday: Campsite and ECF Prayer Meeting

Thursday: Villafuerte Family (Basud Ilawod)

Friday: Pangpang, Farmers

Saturday: ECF Youth Devotion, Music Workshop and Music Team Practice

Sunday: Sunday Worship Celebration; Sunday School Adult, Children, and Youth; Children ministry and Adult (Basud, Iraya)

PRAYER REQUESTS

a. Provision for Shelley's thesis and Internship

b. Complete healing and Recovery for Nash Mendizabal

c. Spiritual growth for all ECF members

d. Youth commitment (music team)

e. Provision for musical instruments

f. Complete healing for Sister Ofel Mendizabal

g. Compassion (PADABA) New Fiscal Year

h. Nicole's Apprenticeship Placement

i. Protection and Safety for Mendizabal Family

j. Prospective Students & Bible School Enrollment

As we reflect upon the past months of service in the Lord's vineyard, our hearts are filled with deep gratitude for His abiding presence and unfailing guidance. We are reminded that in every season of ministry, true rest and direction come not merely from favorable circumstances, but from God Himself—as the reflection beautifully states, "Maybe it was never about the green pastures, or the quiet waters, but about the presence of the Shepherd." Under the Shepherd's watchful care, this quarter has been marked by abundant spiritual fruit across all our programs.

We have seen lives transformed through believers stepping forward in baptism, ongoing spiritual growth in our regular church services and youth gatherings, and the continued outreach of our media and broadcast ministries. Through collaborative community health and care outreaches, dedicated team leadership visits, and the distribution of audio scripture tools, the Lord enabled us to meet both physical and spiritual needs.

Furthermore, our project leaders met to review and support the holistic development of our sponsored children, while special educational seminars were held to encourage emotional and mental well-being within our community. From providing pastoral care and Gospel comfort to grieving families to praising God for answered prayers in physical healings and recoveries, we have continuously witnessed the Almighty at work.

"I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, Always in every prayer of mine for you all making request with joy, For your fellowship in the gospel from the first day until now..." – Philippians 1:3–5

We extend our most sincere appreciation to Bro. Mike Thorud and the Prairie Hill family for your unwavering support, generous partnership, and faithful intercession. Your sacrificial giving serves as a tangible expression of God's love. We praise God for your dedication as fellow laborers in the harvest field, and we pray that the Lord will richly bless you, keep you in His peace, and multiply every seed you have sown for His Kingdom.

In His abundant grace and love,
Mendizabal Family.