

## ASSOCIATE MISSIONARY REPORT FOR MAY 2020

The month of May is seeing very much a repeat of the activities of April. We are thankful to the Lord for His great mercies. This time of restrictions has been a golden opportunity to get caught up on more of the deferred maintenance items. As well as taking care of office related tasks such as organization of files.

Please do forgive for a brief personal reflection. This is a testimony of the hand of the Lord in action in lives. The past few days memories of some places our family has lived in the past have come to mind. One particular span of time we found ourselves in a house very neglected to the point that when the rains of western Oregon came there were so many leaks in the roof the water streamed down the walls almost like a waterfall. The floors were so uneven doors would not close properly. There was much plumbing work to be done. The house was in such poor condition that when we moved out the owner just tore it down.

But those were days of learning how to fix things. What we could not understand nor see at the time of all that work was that God was seeing into the future. Now here we are and able to do some tasks that would have required the expense of a plumber. Now the very economic problems that caused us to need to live in that old rundown house are helping us to save a few monies here. Many years later.

In conclusion I look up to Heaven thanking God for those times. I confess that at time I was a little less than thankful when dealing with some of those issues at that house. That old house was a good teacher to prepare us for this time right here!

So we are thankful to the Lord for his guidance. He knows what we do not know and all things surely have worked for the good. I am thanking God for His help and provision. And now here we are continuing to learn! Hallelujah!

God bless you all,

The Easthams