



TOM & BECKY

# PHILIPPINE MISSIONS

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"And in that day shall the deaf hear the words of the book" (Isaiah 29:18).

Our busy schedule continued in November where we found ourselves traveling to three different islands. We joined the Asian Pacific Youth Conference (APYC) in Manila and District Conferences in Bacolod and Cebu City. During the 4-day APYC, 12 Deaf attended the services and 5 received the Holy Ghost.





# **DEAF MINISTRY IN CEBU**

This month, Cebu's Deaf Evangelism Ministry continued to grow. The Pentecostals of Cebu City baptized three Deaf with one receiving the Holy Ghost and UPC Mt. Zion baptized one Deaf. One Sunday we made the 2-hour journey to Sogod, Cebu to preach and interpret.







# **SPED CENTER IN BACOLOD CITY**

While in Bacolod, we visited the Bacolod City Sped (Special Ed) Center. They were celebrating Deaf Awareness Week. We were warmly welcomed and had the opportunity to meet many Deaf children.





#### WESTERN VISAYAS DISTRICT CONFERENCE

We attended the Western Visayas District (WVD) Conference in Bacolod during the second week of November. Tom was permitted to meet the District Board and share Deaf Evangelism Ministry with them. They were very receptive to the idea of evangelizing the Deaf. During the conference, two Deaf from Bacolod were able to attend. This marked the first time in WVD that Deaf were able to attend a service with an interpreter.





## **EASTERN VISAYAS DISTRICT CONFERENCE**

The third week of November we attended the Eastern Visayas District (EVD) Conference in Cebu City. Again, we were well received and permitted to meet the District Board. We already have a Deaf Ministry presence in this district with 5 churches starting Deaf ministries in Cebu this year. Twelve Deaf, representing the cities of Lapu Lapu, Cebu City, Danao, Mandaue, and Sogod attended the EVD evening services.







## THE ROBISONS IN CEBU

Brother Tony and Sister Rylee joined us in our trip to UPBI Bible College. We had two more days of teaching to accomplish. Tony brought a suitcase full of chocolate candy from America. They helped us pass out chocolate to the students. In addition, Tony was asked to speak in the midweek service in Lapu Lapu.











We want to
thank all of you
for your love,
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prayers.
Lod bless you!