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WORK REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY & JUNE 2025

Dear Brother in Christ

Greetings to you in the precious name of the Lord. We are very sorry for the late work reports. We had interruptions to my father's Facebook account which caused several weeks of issues. Facebook made a new policy that transitioned all accounts of deceased owners to a "memorialized" state, preventing us from accessing the contacts and data there. We had been using my late father's account for ICS and mission updates, but now we cannot. From now onwards we are trying to communicate with my personal Facebook account which is <https://www.facebook.com/bharath.bhushan0501>. Please accept a "friend" invite from me if you want notifications.

We are taking the congregational work and school works forward. We are all doing good here and we are remembering you in our prayers daily, we are very grateful for your kind encouragement and prayers for the Lord's work in India. My mother Vijaya, my wife Swathi and my sister Nani are helping me in the Lord's work as well as the school work. We are also very blessed to have 4 brothers working as preachers that help me greatly in the work. Brother Raju (Nani's husband), Brother Madhu, Brother Prasad and Brother Galaiah are helping me lead worship and teaching at 6 congregations in the area as well of many other events. They are all being financially supported by the Hillsboro congregation.

STATISTICS:

- Baptism 2
- Worship at 6 congregations.
- Bible classes at 6 congregations
- Gospel meetings 3
- Thanksgiving prayers 2
- Birthday programs 1
- Visiting the sick 8
- Funerals service 3
- Memorial service 3
- Private Bible study with 22
- Preachers gatherings 2
- Feeding 14 aged and infirmed in the congregations.
- Taking care of 50 orphans and poor kids.
- Providing diabetic tests for 124 tests.

- Providing Blood Pressure tests 94
- House visits 97
- New Church building 1



We have two new souls With God's grace, Sister Galimma and Sister Nagamma from the Palukuru congregation were baptized in to Christ. They have embraced the Lord's path. We have invited these two new souls in to Church family with prayer meeting in Palukuru village.



Brothers and sisters, we rejoice! We were blessed to celebrate the marriage of Brother Mariya Mohan from our ICS home. Mariya Mohan, who lost his father young, was a bright student and completed his 10th grade with us. Due to high fees in college, he sacrificially stopped his studies for his sister and family and started working. We all attended his wedding, offering our prayers for the new couple, that the Lord's blessings may abound in their lives.





We had a lovely Thanksgiving prayer at home for Rianshi and Shalviya's birthdays. We invited our preachers to the prayer meeting and preached the gospel and wished the kids. We humbly request God to continue to look after Rianshi and Shalviya. Guide their every step with biblical word and they are very active in Sunday school activities.

1 Chronicles 16:34: Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever!" Your goodness, Lord, and Your love are so evident in every single moment, and we truly feel so very blessed.



We have some wonderful news from Palukuru, a place where our preacher has been helping a new group of believers. You see, for many years there, the big landowners would take a small part of the workers' pay, like a village tax, to build a Hindu temple. This caused a lot of arguments, and even went to court.

But guess what? Over the last few years, we've had the joy of baptizing several families from that very village! These dear people have become Christians, and for a long time, they've been meeting to worship under a tree or in someone's house because they didn't have their own church building.

When the time came for everyone in the village to put money together for the Hindu temple, our small Christian group, about **10 families**, stood strong. They said, "We don't want our money to build that temple. We want to build a church for God!" This was the very money that was cut from their small wages because of the village's decision.

Now, by God's grace, the court has said they must get their money back to build a church! Even though their wages are very low, and some money was taken for the Ramalayam temple, God has made a way.

One of the respected older men from this group, a very good and important person, has asked us to come and keep sharing the Gospel in their area. This is a big chance for us to help these faithful believers get a place to worship God. Let's all come together to help them build this church, so God's name can be honoured there!



We have gathered in Chennupalli Church of Christ for wedding ceremony. Marriages are truly made in heaven, and today, we solemnized the sacred union of two young beautiful souls.

We were reminded of Genesis 2:24 Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh. And from Ephesians 5:25, Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the Church.

We prayed for this dear couple, asking the Almighty to bless their journey with abundant love, unwavering faith, and enduring happiness. It was an honour to be part of this momentous occasion, a testament to God's beautiful design for companionship and family. May the Lord continue to shower His grace upon them always.



Brothers and sisters, we gathered with hearts full of gratitude, offering a thanksgiving prayer for the successful cataract operation of our dear mother Vijaya.

Truly, it was through the helping hands of the Brothers, and by the grace of God working through them, that this surgery was made possible. The Lord, in His boundless mercy, has restored her sight. For this great blessing, we give Him all the glory.

We were humbled to have a few of our cherished family members join us on this blessed occasion, as we celebrated this divine intervention.





It is with heavy hearts that we share the sad news of the passing of Brother Shekar, the beloved brother of one of our grandmothers. He departed due to a heart stroke and was from the Makkenavaripalem congregation. We gathered to preach and pray for his family, commending them to the Lord's comfort during this time of profound loss. May his soul rest in eternal peace.



We stand before you today to share a joyous deed, for by the grace of God and the generosity of His people, we have been blessed to provide for those who carry His Word. Just as it is written, How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news (Romans 10:15), so too do we cherish the servants who bring the message of salvation to our midst. It was with this spirit that we distributed travel bags to the preachers who come to our ICS home.



We held a thanksgiving prayer in Marella for our uncle, a Makkenavaripalem Church of Christ member, who recently survived a major accident. God saved him, and he's now recovering slowly from head injuries. We're grateful for God's grace and continue to pray for his full healing.





Brothers and sisters, we gathered today in prayer, our hearts united, for the memorial service of our beloved sister, Nagarathamma. We preached in the meeting, praying for her and the families in the meeting to be prepared for the return of Christ. She was truly a good singer in the Christian communities, wherever she came to prayers. Her voice, a gift from above, surely brought joy and comfort to many.

We were invited to a denominational assembly to present a gospel meeting. We all, with one accord, proclaimed the good news until the late hours of the night. After the gathering concluded, many people, moved by the Spirit, drew near to me, seeking prayers for themselves and for their families. Events like these have led to many conversions in the past and even conversion of entire denominational congregations.



After the successful conclusion of the gospel meeting, we travelled a very long and tiring journey we stopped around at one o'clock in the morning, Me and my team were so tired and sleepy. So, we had a hot cup of tea. It was to freshen up and get some new strength for the way ahead.



We share with you a heavy heart, for a very respected lady has passed away. She was the wife of an important officer, and also a close relative of my own grandfather. This kind lady, you see, helped a lot with getting all the permissions for Indian Christian School many years ago.

She was a true believer in God and also a wonderful guide, like a mentor, to my mother when she was studying. Sadly, she passed away very suddenly because of a bad heart stroke.



Indian Christian School is a special place for Christians here. Our classrooms, where our children learn and dream, they mean so much to us. But over time, some of the paintings and murals in our classrooms, they have gotten a bit damaged from the Monsoon humidity and wear from the younger children. We even have some pictures to show you how they look now. It breaks our heart a little to see them like that.

We believe that a bright and beautiful environment helps our children learn even better. So, we are humbly reaching out to all of our wonderful supporters trying to raise some funds to repaint these damaged areas and bring back the vibrant colors and inspiring images to our classrooms. About \$700 will allow us to refresh the walls several classrooms. Every little bit helps, truly. Your support will directly contribute to making ICS and home a more joyful and inspiring place for our kids.

