



Ti 2:2 and what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also.

That Was The Year That Was

There was a TV program in the past called "That Was The Year That Was". For this prayer letter, I am going to do as the TV show and give you a look back. We will look at what God has done through Timothy Mission in 2025. Having covered the pastor training aspect of the ministry in our last prayer letter, we will focus on the other aspects for this one.

Naujan area and the mountains above it. From Glenda Rio, Admin. for the work in the area.

The work in this area of Mindoro, Philippines, is where the mission began. Here is a synopsis of the ministry activities this past year.

Dear Timothy Mission Philippines, Jacobstown Baptist Church, and all who God is using to help us in ministry.

We are truly grateful for your unwavering support for my family, ministry, and the mother church in Santiago Naujan, as well as our six daughter churches. Your trust and partnership have made a tangible impact on the lives of the people and Mangyan communities we serve. Your prayers, encouragement, and practical help have been an enormous blessing, and we're so grateful to have you standing with us in this journey of faith.

This year, we've seen some amazing things happen:

- 10 Mangyan brethren trained to share the Gospel in their communities
- Kuya Mario attended valuable training in Tagaytay and Cebu
- 5 communities now have regular worship services, with 3 more joining in regularly
- We're looking to expand our outreach and build a chapel in Sta Cruz, Naujan
- House to House Evangelism: Reaching 225 families with our church members' evangelism and discipleship training, starting from men, women, and Youth groups
- Youth Camps: Harvesting souls and now 15 new Youth regularly attending church
- New Baptisms: 28 new baptisms this year, with many more expected in 2026, especially in our Mangyan Mission
- Community Growth: Livelihood growing despite repeated typhoons and flooding, with brethren steadfast in Faith, healed emotionally, physically, and spiritually
- Reconciliation: Five families have returned to church after backsliding

New Facilities:

- Malalim Na Sapa SBCC PVC ceiling completed
- SBCC Kalinisan worship Hall established

Outreach and Ministry:

- 8 community outreaches done
- 15 Youth actively involved in outreaches, teaching the Bible
- Apple-Giving to 500 Mangyan children this Christmas season
- Barong Tagalog gift giving to Pastors, church Planters, and leaders
- Gratitude Gift to 5 families who voluntarily offer their house and space for church worship services

Support and Resources:

- 300 children received school supplies
- 500 Bible copies used for evangelism and discipleship, New members

Your support has been a huge weight off my shoulders, allowing me to focus on the ministry without worrying about our family's needs. Thank you again for being part of this journey. We're praying for God's abundant blessings on you in 2026 and beyond! Our theme this year is "Hold Fast" - let's press on together!

Prayer for 2026:

Heavenly Father, as we enter 2026, we pray for your continued guidance, provision, and protection. May our efforts bear fruit, and may many come to know you. Amen.

San Jose, southwest Mindoro. From Pastor Nikko Rubio

Timothy Mission expanded its work to this area 3 years ago.

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Looking Back with Gratitude, Moving Forward in Faith:

Last year, 2025, we witnessed God's faithfulness in so many ways. By His grace, we were able to help many people and lead them to Christ, construct a church building, and reach communities both in the mountains and lowlands. Through feeding programs, we were able to serve around 5,900 children, and we also distributed hygiene kits and school supplies to families in need. Truly, the labor was not in vain because the work was the Lord's.

Before the year ends, God allowed us to witness His wonderful work of grace.

Twenty-two (22) Buhid and one (1) Tagalog wholeheartedly followed Christ through baptism.

This is not about our ability, but about the great grace of God that continues to move in the hearts of people. My heart is full of joy and gratitude—truly, every labor, tear, prayer, and sacrifice has not been in vain.

“Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain

Now as we step into 2026, we continue to praise God for opening even greater doors. We have been blessed with a food allocation of 72 boxes of Manna Packs, which will help feed almost 10,000 children this year. These food packs are currently in Manila, and we will be traveling to pick them up and transport them all the way to San Jose, Occidental Mindoro, where they will be distributed to the communities we serve.

Baguio. On the main Island of Luzon.

In 2014, we saw the opening of a home for disabled children that God used Timothy Mission to establish. This was done by partnering with New Zealand friends, who gave us land inside their compound to use. Since then, Timothy Mission has entered into a casual MOA with Irish friends to complete the development of a children's home to house orphans and provide medical care for children whose families are too poor to afford the care. This will include a unit specifically for children with disabilities. Construction is well underway, but it is a big project with the hospital section expected to take two years to complete. Below is a quick view of an excerpt from my friend's ministry's website



God orchestrated everything you have read about here. I am humbled that He chose Timothy Mission to be the instrument in His hand to accomplish this. Without the support of Timothy Mission, I am sure God would have another way, but He chose people like you to pray and financially support the work. Please consider helping in this work with regular monthly support, which is a big help in establishing plans and budgets to support them. One-time gifts are also welcome. Soon, I will send another prayer letter outlining the goals for 2026. Lord willing, they will happen.

If you feel led to help continue to minister to the poor, orphaned, and disabled, please continue to the form on the next page.

- Support disability ministry.**
- Church Planting / National Pastor Development and Support.**
- As needed. (Mangyan outreach, evangelism materials. Bibles, medical care, etc.)**

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