

# Vessels of Mercy Ministries

Spring 2019

Bringing God's Mercy to the Nations

## COLOSSIANS 3:22

Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.

## PLEASE PRAY:

On April 11 there will be a baptism in a new area of Bangladesh. Several hundred will participate. Please pray for safety as it is an area ready for great harvest but also very dangerous.

Our schedule has been full for the past 3 months and this next month will be just as busy traveling to the northern mountains of the Philippines and ministering in different churches.



## Glimpses of VietNam

**We were able to visit some of the usual projects in VietNam but we also visited some new areas and checked into some new opportunities as well!**

### From the past

We were able to visit a town where Dad taught in the first years they were in VietNam. Our brother opened his Bible and showed us the notes he had taken 20 years earlier from a teaching Dad did on Psalm 15. There is great hunger for teaching and study materials, and we are happy to help equip leaders.



### In the present

It is always our joy to visit Deaf schools. The students in this particular school are so sweet-spirited and eager to learn. This visit we talked about what we do with our hands and did a craft tracing their hands. We were able to connect with several different deaf groups and we are encouraged by their progress.

### To the future

They have just finished the second printing of Nathaniel's Journey in Vietnamese. It is a children's adaptation of pilgrim's progress with a clear presentation of the Gospel. We were granted official approval for printing so they can be distributed everywhere. We are excited to see where these books will go and who will read them!

We have another opportunity to partner with friends in a pro-life awareness project. Statistics show that the average Vietnamese woman has had at least 2 abortions. Sadly there has been a great lack of teaching even in churches.



As we see such hunger and open doors we are thankful for the opportunities to serve here and we are grateful for partners who share in the journey.

God bless you all,

Bob & Darlene McCoy