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I'm sure nearly all of you dear friends and family have used the phrase," when it rains it pours". If you haven't been to Southeast Asia, you probably don't know how hard it can rain. After a heavy one-hour downpour last Thursday, David had to ride through at least a foot water to teach his lesson at the Student Residence & Discipling Centre (SR&DC). Yes sir, we are into the rainy season and the hot season is done.

We rarely mention our own family in these newsletters, but I did ask for prayer for Stéphanie who was suffering from a horrible disease. I am thrilled to announce that she was miraculously healed. She said she felt it leave her while someone was praying for her. Our God is an awesome God and He still heals our diseases. You have heard that Mary is the dorm leader at the SR&DC. She told us she is going home for a few days

because someone is sick. When asked if her parents were believers, she replied negatively. In fact, she said, my grandmother is a medium who often entertains spirits. Let's all pray that she has an opportunity to show how powerful our God is while she is back at her village in Preah Vihear province.

Every couple of months, the SR&DC has an outreach event where they invite their friends and classmates to come see where they live, play



some games and eat some food. We had a pretty good turnout at the last event. Mary did a super job planning it and I especially loved the testimonies by Pol (with the mic) and Plan. They were so current and relatable. **Pray** for those that heard.



Tumnup Tek church had a baptism at the beach in May. There were eighteen who were baptized, mostly young people. What a thrill to hear them say that they would gladly follow Jesus even if they were alone. Their faith will surely be tested, so **pray** that they will remain strong and true to their word.

Since David was a teen, he has known Pastor Young Soth. Soth has been the

president of the Alliance in Cambodia, and then he was the elected president of the Evangelical Federation of Cambodia. He is a man of great faith and has seen many miracles during the days

of the Khmer Rouge and afterwards. He is now quite old by Cambodian standards, and sadly, was struck by a motorcycle last week. He suffered a broken leg which was put it a cast. The doctors are watching to see if there will be complications that would require surgery. Soth's belief is so strong he said that there would be no need for surgery. He is in quite a bit of pain, but we had a laugh about what was stronger: Tylenol or the Creator of the universe. **Join us in praying** that he will be raised up much sooner than the physicians are predicting.

This summer there will be several of our C&MA missionary team traveling to and from Home Assignment. Please pray especially for Jeff & Heather Williams who will be returning to take the position of Field Leader. Ask for a fresh anointing of the Holy Spirit on this couple as they take the torch from David Manfred.

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