



## **NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**

Aglipay St., Natividad, Naguilian, La Union

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**Dear Pastor and Prayer Partners,**

To God be honored and glorified, great things he has done!

Praise God He never hath forsaken us. He kept us safe from this evil happenings (Covid19). Many activities and programs have affected due to quarantine system the government is implementing even to this time. At present there are 70 positive cases in our province of La Union so they declared "no religious gatherings" but we have Live Streaming again.

Inspite of these struggles, we rejoice because we believe that our fervent prayers can conquer this problem. We are spending more time in prayers mentioning you one by one more often and words are not enough of saying "We thank God for you are praying for us and supporting us financially.

We are presently constructing the library room and a multipurpose small room (Sunday School rooms and/or fellowship space) and soon the continuation of the pastoral house. The workers are busy distributing children's gifts from OCC and teaching the children God's Words while we (senior citizens) are not allowed to go out.

I continue being one of the marriage counselor in our municipality and I have privilege to share the Bible principle. Last Sunday I was a guest speaker in a church in the mountainous area where in is a covid free place. Theme is: "Faithfulness". We had a Pastor's meeting among New Hope Baptist Churches & Missions this 1<sup>st</sup> week of July and those from other provinces they were not allowed to travel. We have 5 outreaches, and by God's grace it will soon be another mission church. We also adopted one missionary from Benguet Province, and he is now one of us. His name is Benny Saclely our missionary to Sayangan, Paoay, Atok Bungeut. Our church financial standing is now deficit caused by the pandemic (lost jobs, etc) so please pray for us.

You have a great part to the many souls we are able to lead to Christ, we were not able to count them, and so sorry we were not able to mail you our prayer letter due to close post office up to this time (march to present).

Thank you and we love you. God bless!!!

Your missionaries,

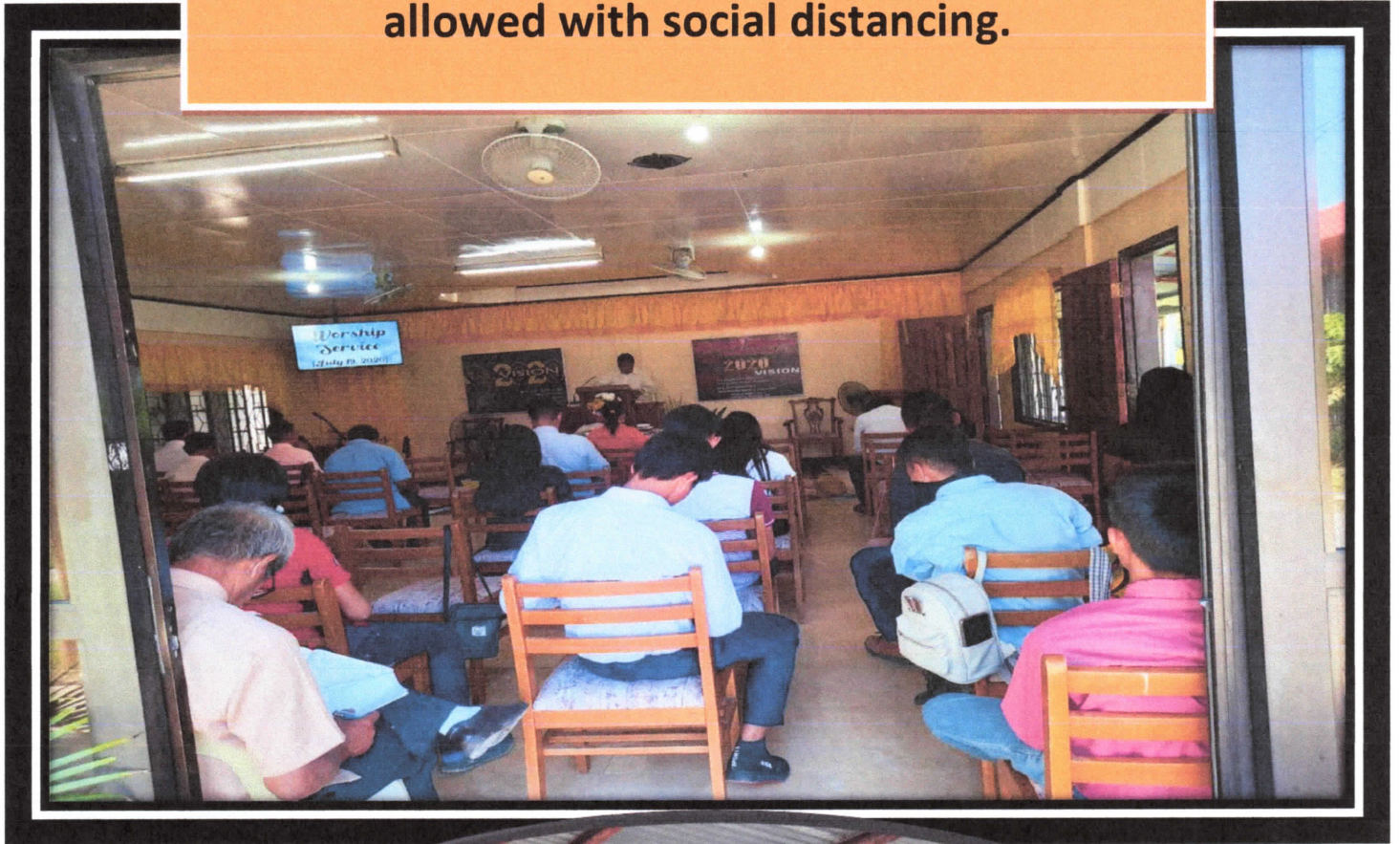
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**MEETING WITH SOME OF OUR MISSIONARIES AND PASTORS OF NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**





**Our Church service. 50% of building capacity is allowed with social distancing.**







**NAGSIDORISAN, LA UNION**



**AGOO, LA UNION**





# 5 OUTREACHES; FUTURE MISSION CHURCH



**PAO & APALENG SAN FERNANDO, LA UNION**

