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To: Becky Ruppel

Subject: Update from the Ruppel

Dear Praying Friends,

Thank you for your prayers for our family and ministry. On July 23, 2024, we finished the 2nd term of Pressing Forward Baptist Institute. Many of you know that we are using an online platform to train Christians from several churches across Cambodia. We just started our 3rd term yesterday (August 5, 2024). We currently have 35 students registered for the 2 classes we are offering. One step at a time, we are moving forward in this endeavor. Lord willing, by the end of this year, we will have 6 classes finished and stored online to use in future years. We are working and praying towards adding 6 more new classes next year.

Austin and Rhadee Cowling (our son-in-law and daughter) are scheduled to leave for Mindanao, Philippines on August 12 (just six days away). Please pray for them as they say their goodbyes, prepare for departure, arrive in a new world, and learn to survive and thrive there.

Last week, Becky and I had the opportunity to be involved with canvassing, visiting, picking up, and witnessing to people in Saginaw through our church's bus ministry. Becky and I spent 5 days out calling, and we enjoyed riding a bus and helping during the invitation. This week, we plan to spend some time following up on the people we worked with last week.

Thank you all for your prayers.

Rodney Ruppel