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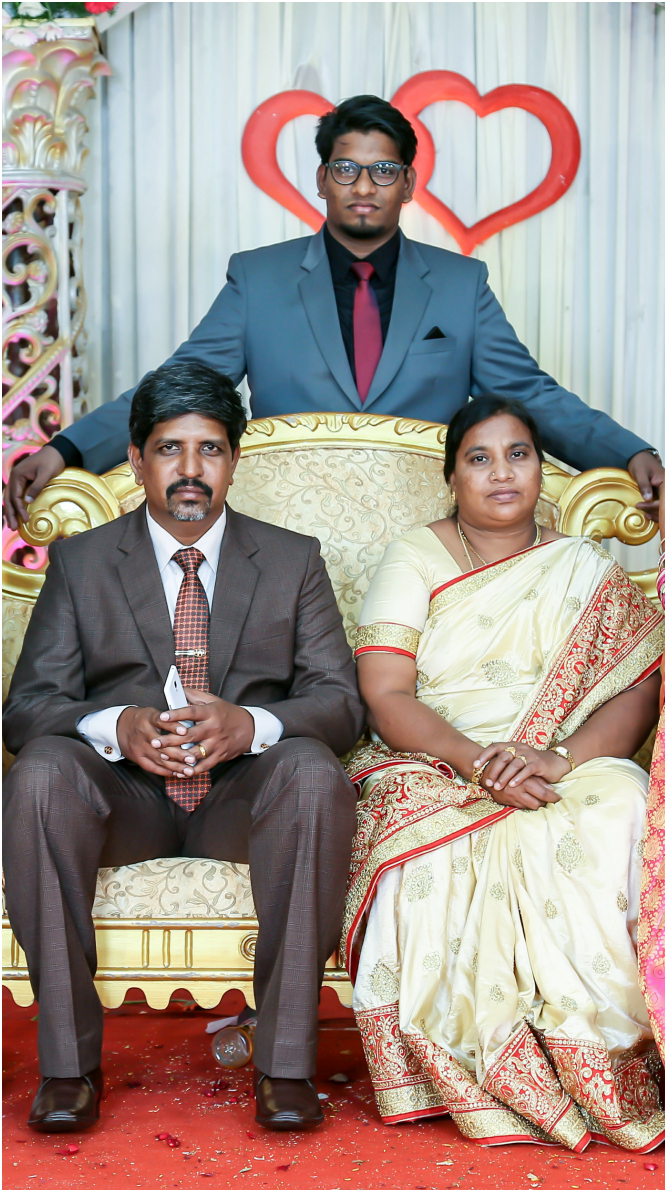


Annual Report - 2020



The Gardner Fund

was established in honor of Albert Gardner who made 20 trips to India during his lifetime and planted 60 churches. The fund supports many native Indian preachers and helps them to print materials and buy Bibles as well. The following updates come from some of the major works that are being supported by the Gardner Fund. Though only these are listed here, the funds and influence reach several more churches and people throughout India.



GJ Prabudoss (left), GPVijayakumari (right), and GP Shyam Sundar (top) (two married daughters, not pictured)

Greetings! Before, I start my Annual Work Report for the year 2020 I would like greet you all a very happy new year 2021. I hereby furnish the detailed work report for the year 2020. For the future, we have gospel meetings, Bible studies and distributions, and preachers' support planned among other things. Thank you and God bless you.

GJ PRABUDOSS

2020 Highlights

- Several Gospel Meetings hosted in person and online
- 14 baptisms
- 3 online classes weekly
- Weekly sewing school with GP Vijayakumari
- Weekly youth classes with Shyam
- 3 different events to give food support to 600 people

RAJENDRA PRASAD K.

2020 Highlights:

- 8 baptisms outside of Kandukur
- 7 denominational preachers converted
- 30 visits to widows/orphans
- 125 members contacted
- 2 new Bible studies and works



*Front: Rajendra Prasad and Prameela Prasad
Back: Frances Kumar, Prasanna Kumar, Davis Kumar, Rajendra Paul,
Riya Rajendra Paul, Sirisha Rajendra Paul.*

Greetings to you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

We are praying and giving thanks to God through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ because He saved us from Covid 19. I have preached or taught in more than 40 places in 2020. More than 20 were baptized into the Church in this area in 2020. Two new congregations were started in 2020. You are always in our prayers. Thank you for all your support and prayers.

SURESH BABU



M. Suresh Babu, wife Mereena, daughter Subhavana, and son Prem Raj

2020 Highlights

- 4 baptisms
- 21 socially distanced Bible studies
- 17 villages reached
- 10 praise meetings held
- 48 current faithful members

Dear Brethren, greetings to you all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ from the Kandriga church of Christ. We are doing fine by the grace of God and by the prayers of the saints.

In 2020 we all know the Coronavirus destroyed many areas in the world physically and spiritually. Here, the Indian government had locked down all works in their jurisdiction, so in that situation the church work was also slowed down. At any circumstances we are doing God's work without tiring. We wish you a happy year, and the churches of Christ salute you.

T. HENRY PAUL & DEVA PAUL



T.Henry Deva Prabhakar, Sudha Rani, Lydiya Grace, T.Henry Paul
T.Deva Paul, T. Mark Sukumar

It is our great privilege to extend our gratitude to the Almighty God who protected all of us in the pandemic during the year 2020. Because of HIS grace and our personal health tips and governments work, we are safe. Though in that trouble time with your food funds and by his grace we were able to do the following work for his kingdom. And you, and churches and donors, helped much with compassion through your generous food funds. We will never forget your love; once again our heartfelt thanks to you all. Thank you for monthly support to me, Deva Paul & bro Gangaiah; for the return for your neighboring love and compassion you are all be given reward and continue to be blessed abundantly & increase in every aspect is our wish and pleading to the God in our prayers. My wife Lydiya grace and sons, 18 preachers, and Deva Paul extend thanks for the encouragement of support and prayers in the 2020 and request continued prayer for us.

2020 Highlights:

- 35 visitations before March
- 6 Baptisms in Podili; 18 in other places
- 17 evangelism programs
- 2 preachers Bible classes
- 210 Bible correspondence course lessons sent
- 265 Whatsapp lessons study materials sent
- 24 video lessons
- 6, 810 Bibles, Gardner's books, Truth for Today books, songbooks, study materials, and Tracts sent

GANGAIAH CHATLA



Gangaiah Chatla, Estheru Rani Chatla, Yaswanth Chatla,
Adhvik Chatla

Gangaiah and his family currently work with the Doranala church of Christ and are supported through some of the funds sent through T. Henry Paul.

2020 Highlights

- 46 Gospel meetings
- 11 Bible classes for preachers
- 11 Bible classes for young people
- 23 Baptisms

Dear brethren,, Please pray for my area team preachers, we need some extra supports to do Lord's work more and more for saving every last soul and adding congregations as well as making congregations in different places. Chatla Gangaiah



Valpa Raju, VG Sundari, Betty, Hilda, Mercy, and Evin

VALPA RAJU

2020 Highlights

- 5 preachers supported
- 6 tribal churches affected
- Several tribal baptisms
- Growth in TV Ministry

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus. I hope and pray that everything is well with you there. We are always thankful and grateful to your prayers and support for us. Due to covid19, evangelical work stopped and there were very few conversions, but now slowly we are able to move on. Recently I and my wife visited all the churches where we work and support. We found many families are still struggling for survival due to the virus, and people are scared of second wave virus. We conducted brief meetings to comfort the churches during this pandemic and we have distributed Homeopathy medicine to our members to improve their immunity system to fight against Covid19. And we have also distributed some funds to the preachers and members. Thank you for your concern on widows. We continually remember you in our prayers

B. VIJAY KUMAR

2020 Highlights

- Visited every house in the community
- Distributed food and medication
- Visited hill preachers
- At least 24 baptisms
- 55 preachers attended workshop



Vijay Kumar, Ruth, Juanita, and Tim

Dear brethren in Christ,
Greetings to you and all saints in the blessed name of
our Lord.

Thank you so much for your continuous upholding of
India Evangelism and encouraging the preachers
working in the countryside and in other places. We have
been always praying for each and every saint who
stretched forth their hands and opened their hearts for
prayers to this vast country to reach the word of light.

Praying for your country and need prayers for our
country too.

Thank you for your support of this work!

Please feel free to contact
any of these workers and
send them encouragement!

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