

# Strategy Planning and Working the Plan

In the last newsletter, we wrote about Jonathan Training in Manila. Chad, Peter, and I (Scott) returned to Taipei on October 2 after 2 weeks in Manila. For part of each day during training, Chad and I worked together to unify a "Strategic Master Plan" for the ongoing work with the Taiwan Christian Church in both Yonghe and Ankeng. Peter was working on a separate plan as an option for his team to use in the future. The Jonathan Training draws heavily from research compiled by David Garrison and published in his book, *Church Planting Movements*. The training was excellent and the time at the OMF guesthouse was just what Chad and I needed: to get away from daily routines in Taipei and look at the status of the work with a fresh perspective and confirm our vision and goals. Angie and Alicia (Chad's wife) and all our kids are heroes for letting us get away and focus on planning. We are very happy with the ambitious, God-sized, and Spirit-influenced plan and with much prayer and hard work, we may help spark a church planting movement in Taipei.

On October 3, we headed to the south of the island for a Global R.E.S.T retreat for Team Expansion missionaries in Asia. We had 100% participation of our missionaries who are currently on-island as well as representatives from 3 other Asian countries. We were blessed by each one on the team from the States who came to help, but were especially happy to welcome Jim Wickenkamp, from Christ's Church of Oronogo, in his first trip to Taiwan. Jim is the children's minister at this church that has faithfully supported us for over 11 years, and also the father of Kayla, who interned with us 2 years ago. Thanks to Jim W, Deb H, Delisa C, Jim H, Keri G, Beau H, and Chris D! Thanks also to Global R.E.S.T. and her supporters who made this retreat financially possible for all of us missionaries.

Dana and Chris McCain, our Field Coordinators, were able to be at the retreat and they are still in Taiwan taking time to meet with each missionary family separately to encourage us and offer guidance. Last year while they were in Taiwan, Chris broke her wrist while playing badminton with a family friend at the school next to us and a couple days later, Peter Bennett had the accident. We're hoping this trip is much less eventful for all of us!

This Wednesday starts a new session of the English Bible Kid's Club. The group from Calvary Christian (Bellevue, NE) that helped with VBS for missionary kids this summer left craft supplies and lesson ideas that we plan to use. We haven't held this event for a while and Angie really misses the regular interaction with the kids and their parents and getting to share Jesus' love and truth with them. Pray for each of these little hearts and also that we might have more opportunities with their families as well.

Yesterday, Bi-ling held a praise service at her hair salon to thank God for blessing this business that she opened 4 years ago with the vision of sharing the gospel and serving the Lord. She invited several Christians as well as non-believers as we sang, had fun, and shared how each of us came to know Bi-ling along with encouraging words for her and her family. God has blessed her salon with plenty of business and an abundance of chances to share his love in practical ways. Many of the people we've been able to minister to during our time in Ankeng, we met through Bi-ling's shop!

## A Note from Team Expansion's President—Doug Lucas

Thank you for everything you do for the Lord, for Team Expansion, and for your favorite Team Expansion missionary. When we think of II Corinthians 9, we think of you. Verse 9 says that when you help your favorite Team Expansion missionary, you're creating a righteousness that "endures forever." Verse 10 promises that God himself will make your wallet bigger so you can be all the more generous. Verse 11 and 12 teach that, as a direct result of your gift, people are finding out about God and giving thanks to Him now for the first times in their lives. Verse 13 teaches that it is through this very missionary giving that we prove ourselves and our faith. Verse 14 points out that your missionaries, together with these new believers, are praying for you -- and that's a fact for which we can personally vouch. Verse 15 ends with Paul giving thanks "for his indescribable gift!" I guess you get the picture. II Cor. 9 is all about \*you\*! And we appreciate you and the provision of your enabling power to transform communities among unreached people groups and cities. God be praised for your partnership! (DLucas@TeamExpansion.org)



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**PLANTING  
CHURCHES IN  
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## RECEIPTS

Antioch Christian Church	\$	350.00
Calvary Christian Church	\$	1,300.00
Cedar Ridge Christian Church	\$	500.00
Christian Church of Carl Junction	\$	-
Christ's Church Of Oronogo	\$	500.00
Cisne Christian Church	\$	138.00
Edmond Christian Church	\$	1,550.00
Individuals	\$	235.00
Journey's Crossing	\$	300.00
Kingston Federated Church	\$	50.00
Pagel, Scott & Angie	\$	-
Villa Heights Christian Church	\$	-
Wildewood Christian Church	\$	150.00
Winona Christian Church	\$	150.00
Interest and Exchange Rate	\$	1.42
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>5,224.42</b>

## SUMMARY

Beginning Balance	\$	9,496.98
Receipts	\$	5,224.42
Expenses	\$	9,355.01
Credit Card Beginning Balance	\$	215.57
Credit Card Ending Balance	\$	2.98
<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>5,153.80</b>

## NOTES

- Children Education Fund balance: \$3607.04  
This amount is included in the summary section above.
- the US\$5000 owed Scott and Angie was paid in the beginning of September and is reflected in this report.

## EXPENSES

Fund Transfer Expense	\$	5,000.00	Postage		
Benefits			500 · In the Field	\$	-
100 · Salary	\$	1,700.00	550 · In the States	\$	-
110 · Medical Insurance	\$	666.17	Total Postage	\$	-
111 · Special Medical Expense	\$	110.75	Office		
120 · Life Insurance	\$	-	600 · Supplies In the Field	\$	-
130 · Social Security	\$	-	640 · Facility/Utilities	\$	-
150 · Housing Allowance	\$	805.61	660 · Mission Phone	\$	41.72
160 · Utilities	\$	59.99	661 · E-Mail	\$	83.06
170 · Education for Children	\$	100.01	670 · Secretaries/Assistants	\$	-
180 · Contributions	\$	50.00	Total Office	\$	124.78
Total Benefits	\$	3,492.53	Promotion/Representation		
Education			700 · For More Support	\$	-
200 · Books/Periodicals	\$	-	710 · For More Recruits	\$	-
210 · Language Acquisition	\$	-	720 · Newsletters	\$	-
220 · Conferences/Classes	\$	-	740 · Team Expansion Home Office	\$	100.00
230 · Team Building	\$	8.56	750 · Miscellaneous	\$	-
240 · Equipping Missionaries	\$	-	Total Promotion/Representation	\$	100.00
Total Education	\$	8.56	Travel		
Christian Education			800 · Car/Transportation	\$	111.91
300 · Printed Material	\$	-	806 · Vehicle Maint/Ins	\$	-
310 · AudioVisual	\$	-	810 · Meals While Traveling	\$	-
320 · Hospitality	\$	14.47	820 · Fees/Tolls	\$	66.86
330 · Other	\$	-	830 · Housing While Traveling	\$	-
Total Christian Education	\$	14.47	840 · Legal (Travel Fees)	\$	-
Evangelism			860 · Air Fare	\$	292.59
400 · Printed Material	\$	-	870 · Misc. Expenses	\$	-
410 · AudioVisual	\$	-	Total Travel	\$	471.36
420 · Hospitality	\$	60.70	Miscellaneous		
430 · New Field Research	\$	-	900 · Unspecified Equipment	\$	-
440 · Bibles	\$	-	910 · Legal In Residence	\$	-
450 · Compassion Projects	\$	-	920 · Banking Fees	\$	-
460 · Facility/Utilities	\$	-	990 · Other	\$	-
470 · Joint Team Projects	\$	3.99	Total Miscellaneous	\$	-
495 · Church Planting	\$	78.62	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>9,355.01</b>
Total Evangelism	\$	143.31			