

BANGLADESH

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Dear Brethren,

We are looking forward to our upcoming Bible Conference in May. It took a couple of months to organize. We had to find a place to house and facilitate between fifty to sixty people for the three days of prayer, preaching, teaching, singing, and fellowship. We were able to rent a Catholic mission, which has been in operation for over seventy years. It's only used now for a 'retreat' a few times annually. It has beds and living quarters for those staying overnight and a kitchen area as well. Our prayer and desire is that many of the Muslims in the region will drop by during the day. We've made it clear to those living in the area that they are welcome. It's our hope that this will be a good time for spiritual edification. My fellow laborer, Brother Biduut, tells me we may have as many as 18 Pastors coming to attend. Many of these churches are a product of the missionary endeavors of Baptist William Carrey. The area of our meeting/conference is in a district north of the capital of Dhaka, which is a lot cooler than Dhaka. South Asia has been having record heat. In Jashore, Bangladesh, it hit 42.6 Celsius (over 108 Fahrenheit). Some of the folks are traveling as far as three hours away. For many of them, this would be a challenge if they were to travel from July-September, with the monsoon rains traditionally hitting this northeastern region hard. We pray that those attending will be encouraged and edified in the grace of our Lord. We pray that there may be souls saved and added to the Church.

Akbor, the man in the photo (beard & blue shirt), came from an area called 'Kazipur' to learn the truth of the Gospel (1 Cor.15:1-4). 'Abdul Hi,' who I mentioned in a previous letter, has been faithfully showing him scripture. He is showing much interest in Jesus Christ, and we are praying for his salvation. Lord willing, he'll be able to join us for our conference.



Brother Appel, who received Christ a few months back, is doing well, has a new job, and continues in his weekly bible studies with Bro. Robin. He's growing in the Lord and interested in the study of God's Word. Appel is a member of the Chittagong tribe in the Eastern Hill Tracts area. We also have ongoing bible studies in Dhaka with about a dozen students (all Christians) from a couple of the universities in the city.

Thanks so much for your prayers and support for all of this. I couldn't do it without you. I'm sure God will perform His perfect work through you, me, and those who proclaim and love His Name.

In His Grace,

Tim Moriarty

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