



# The Guenther's *Missionaries in* New Zealand



Oct-Dec 2024

In September we held a special baby-dedication service for two young families in our church. They invited many friends and family to be apart of this special day. Pastor Dale Brown, our missionary partner, led the dedication. He encouraged the parents to bring up their children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. Our auditorium was filled with visitors. I was able to bring a message of hope and salvation afterwards. We are always grateful for the opportunities to preach the gospel.

In November we held our now annual "Thankspiration" service. This is a day we reserve for testimonies and special singing. This has become my favorite service of the year. There is always a sweet spirit as people give their personal testimonies of how God has blessed them this year. There were tears, prayers, and lifting of praise to God in song. After the service, everyone was invited for a meal. It was a good day.

We have begun preparations for our Christmas program. Over the last few years, our church people have volunteered to be a part of a Christmas choir. This day is typically well attended with many visitors. We are holding our service this year on Sunday December 8<sup>th</sup>.

February is coming quickly, so we have begun initial preparations for our biggest outreach of the year. We have been able to reach thousands of people with the gospel because of the work put into this. Please keep us in prayer as we prepare for this upcoming event.

Our family is doing good. Summer is almost here, with its warmer weather. We are still not used to having Christmas during warm months, but we aren't complaining! In September, our eldest son Isaac turned 18, and in October Ethan turned 17. Where has the time gone? Both Kayleigh and I (Tim) have had some dental work done. My wife Joy is busy as usual. She is homeschooling, babysitting, driving the kids here and there, on top of all the work she does at home and church. This year she is also hosting a Christmas get together for our church ladies. She is amazing!



Youth Group at Rugby Game



Baby Dedication Service

For more information about this prayer letter, go to:  
<https://youtu.be/0xIF9GjsliI> or scan the QR code.



*"Let them give glory unto the LORD, and declare his praise in the islands." Isaiah 42:12*