

## 耶穌基督是世界和平的唯一指望

在這個動盪不安的世界，人人都渴望和平，期盼著「他們要將刀打成犁頭，把槍打成鐮刀；這國不舉刀攻擊那國，他們也不再學習戰事。(賽2：4b)」然而，要達到這樣和平的先決條件是我們每個人都必須敬畏那獨一的真神耶和華，正如賽2：4a所講的「他必在列國中施行審判，為許多國民斷定是非。」而信靠耶穌基督是達到這個目的的唯一途徑，因此我們要抓緊每個機會傳揚耶穌基督的救恩。

### 感恩

1. 感謝「在曠野開道路、在沙漠開江河」的神，在緬甸內戰尚未平息，外面的人還不能進入緬甸之際，聖靈引領「傳仁」看到本地跨文化事工的契機。4月25日，「傳仁」周會長參加了由國際學生集團 (International Students Inc.) 在南灣主辦的緬甸人慶祝新年的「潑水節」活動。當晚，有來自南灣6所大專院校370位緬甸學生出席。相信在中半島及三藩市一帶的幾所大專院校也有超過300位的緬甸學生。「傳仁」正在與當地的緬甸教會及其它機構、教會配搭，一起作成神託付我們的使命。



2. 感謝神！希望之家的孩子們剛完成期中考，5月13日緬文學校即將開課，祝願孩子們愛惜光陰，勤奮學習。



3. 感謝神！臘戍新生之家有10弟兄願意委身奉獻自己去神學院接受裝備，願神加力量給他們，並帶領他們清楚知道神呼召的異象及使命。
4. 感謝神！曹院長的師母已在5月1號順利分娩，母子健康。

## 代禱

### 1. 「傳仁」事工

- a. 求神帶領「傳仁」2024年度的各項事工，周會長將於2024年7月去中國，並在8-9月探討兩個未得之民群體的傳福音工作，求神帶領。
- b. 為進一步開展本地跨文化事工，5月25日我們將一起禱告，求神興起更多教會和弟兄姊妹參入完成神所託付的大使命。

### 2. 緬甸事工：

- a) 為緬甸的和平禱告，盼緬甸內戰快快結束，早日能緩解因戰爭造成的物質缺乏、物價上漲、動盪不安等社會問題。求神藉著戰爭的危害讓更多人明白敬畏神，信靠耶穌基督是世界和平的唯一指望。
- b) 請為正在擴建中的南楂拉希望之家兒童的宿舍禱告；也請為8月宿舍樓竣工，以及曹院長按牧感恩崇拜會禱告，求神帶領。



- c) 請為臘戍新生之家剛受洗的四位弟兄禱告。求神堅立他們的信仰、並在真道上認真學習、活出耶穌基督的樣式，見證主恩。
- d) 為在緬甸的各個學校禱告。目前緬北一帶都處於非常時期，求神保護老師和孩子們的安全，讓孩子們能專心學習，並帶領他們成為神所喜悅的人。

## Jesus Christ is the Only Hope for World Peace

In this troubled world, everyone longs for peace, expecting "that they will beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into sickles; One nation will not lift the sword against another, neither will they train for war anymore. (Isaiah 2:4b) However, the prerequisite for such peace is that each of us must fear the only true God, Jehovah, who "...will judge among the nations, and will settle disputes for many nations." (Isaiah 2:4) Trust in Jesus Christ is the only way to do that, so we need to take every opportunity to preach the salvation of Jesus Christ.

### THANKSGIVING

1. Thank God for "opening roads in the wilderness and rivers in the desert" and for leading the Holy Spirit to see the opportunities for cross-cultural ministry locally when the civil war in Myanmar has not yet subsided and people from outside are not allowed to enter Myanmar. On April 25th, the President of the Go and Love Foundation participated in the "Thingyan Festival" hosted by the International Students Inc. in Cupertino to celebrate the New Year of the Burmese people. The evening was attended by 370 Myanmar students from six colleges and universities in the South Bay. It is believed that there are also more than 300 Burmese students in several colleges and universities in the Central Peninsula and San Francisco areas. The Go and Love Foundation is working with the local Burmese church and other institutions and churches to fulfill the mission entrusted to us by God.





2. Thank God! The children of the Home of Hope have just completed their mid-term exams, and the Burmese school will open on May 13. Pray that the students can cherish their time and study diligently.



3. Thank God! 10 brothers in the Lashio New Life Drug Rehabilitation Centers are willing to dedicate themselves to the seminary to receive Bible training, May God strengthen them and lead them to clearly understand the vision and mission of God's calling.

4. Thank God! Dean Cao's wife gave birth on May 1, and both the mother and the child are in good health.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### 1. The Ministry of Go and Love Foundation

a. Pray for God's leadership in the work of the Go and Love Foundation in 2024, President Chou will go to China in July 2024 to explore the two "unreached people" groups in August and September. Please remember her in your prayers.

b. To further the cross-cultural ministry in the local area, we will pray together on May 25 for God to raise more churches and brothers and sisters to fulfill the Great Commission entrusted by God.

### 2. Myanmar Ministries:

a) Pray for peace in Myanmar and hope that the civil war in Myanmar will end soon and alleviate the social problems caused by the war, such as material shortages, rising

prices, and unrest. Pray that God will use the harm of war to make more people understand that the fear of God and trust in Jesus Christ is the only hope for world peace.

b) Please pray for the children's dormitory of the Namsalup Home of Hope, which is being expanded; Please pray for the completion of the dormitory building in August and the Pastoral Ordination Service of Minister Cao.



c) Please pray for the four newly baptized brothers in the Lashio New Life Drug Rehabilitation Center. Pray that God will strengthen their faith and study in His Word, live in the likeness of Jesus Christ, and bear witness to the grace of the Lord.

d) Pray for schools in Myanmar. At a time when the northern part of Myanmar is in an extraordinary time, pray that God will protect the safety of teachers and children so that children can concentrate on their studies and teachers can lead them to become people who are pleasing to God.