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serving in **LEMERY, BATANGAS**

Dear Prayer Partners,

We celebrated the church's anniversary in our newly built structure. Despite the rain, we still had many visitors who came to the service. We had three guest speakers—one in the morning and the other two in the afternoon. There was also special music throughout the day. I thank God that some of the unbelieving visitors received Jesus as Lord and Savior.

We will be hosting a special musical concert in our church the last week of September. There will also be an evangelistic message from the word of God. Please be in prayer for the follow-up that will need to occur afterwards. Pray that more lost souls will be ushered into the kingdom of heaven.

In December we are planning a conference with an evangelist who visits churches all over the Philippines. He was our guest speaker over the summer, and many people were blessed by his preaching of God's word. Our goal is to bring more unbelievers to God.

Please be in prayer for Canna Rea Bucad. She is a member of the church and a single mother of two. She is very grateful for the changing power of Jesus Christ and for the strength and blessings that He continuously gives her. One of her struggles is the illness of her father. Despite this, she still praises God for the peace and comfort that He provides. Canna Rea says that it has even brought her family closer together. Praise God for this young lady's faith, may it bring glory to God.

Reo Ilao is a new contact. Before he was saved, he was a notorious person in the barangay. He was engaged in many different vices. He rebelled against his parents and was a troublemaker. I met him through his brother who approached me about hosting a Bible study. I gladly accepted the offer and started the study. I invited Reo to church on Sunday and it was there that the Lord worked in his heart, bringing him to salvation. Reo is now very active in serving the Lord. He has been baptized and is a choir member. He has even helped in the construction of the church. Reo also brings other family members as well as his friends to church. Pray that the changes in Reo will be a light to those in darkness.

Thank you for your prayers and financial support. God bless you.

Pastor Virgilio Villamin

### PRAYER REQUESTS

- *Pray for more workers to train for service to the Lord*
- *Pray for the upcoming activities, that they will bring glory to God*
- *Pray for the remaining needs to finish the church completely*
- *Pray for godly wisdom, strength, and dependence on the Spirit of God*
- *Pray for unity within the body; pray for mature believers to become involved in the ministry work*
- *Pray for Pastor Villamin as he prepares the sermons*

*'Let them give glory to the Lord—declare His praise in the islands.'*

