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Thank you to all of those who are partnering with us in this fruitful ministry.

"Ask of Me and I will give you the nations for your inheritance..."

Psalm 2:8

OUR MISSION

To equip current and future global Christian leaders with the knowledge and skills needed to bear witness of God's love to the nations.

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OUR BUSY AND BLESSED YEAR

This season of Thanksgiving and Christmas, as we look back on myriad answers to prayer— healings, blessings, lives transformed, and ministry growth—we give glory to God. Truly, there is nothing too difficult for our Lord.

The February "Touching Heaven, Changing Earth" seminar was a success. Drs. Mike and Adele McKinney and a handful of other PCU staff and professors traveled to the Philippines to be part of this important event which focused on the spiritual outlook for that nation in 2019 and beyond.

Our team ministered in churches across the region, and at the Pastors Conference in Baguio. More than 200 local pastors attended the conference.

God is moving mightily in the Philippines, in the lives of government leaders and grass roots Christian ministers. PCU is pleased to be part of the wave of the Holy Spirit which is sweeping the nation.

After a meeting with President Fidel Ramos, Drs. Mike and Adele stopped in Hong Kong, on their way home, and ministered in the Jesus Is Lord Church there.

We were thankful to have Pastor Danny Diaz of Victorious

Living Christian Center speak at our March Pastors Network meeting. Hosted by PCU, the network brings local pastors together for fellowship, prayer and a nice lunch.

On May 2nd, we hosted a National Day of Prayer Breakfast at the Emanate Health Conference Room in Covina. Prayer is at the heart of everything we do at Promise, and this annual event gives us the opportunity to gather as area Christian pastors and pray for our cities, our state, and our nation.

Our keynote speaker was Dr. Ken Clowdus, Pastor Emeritus of Community Christian Center and former PCU board member.

We thank our long-time friend Chaplain Albert Aguilar, Spiritual Director for Emanate Health, for making the conference room available for these meetings.

The evening of June 20th, PCU opened its board room for the first meeting of the newly formed Covina Valley Compassion Council.

The CVCC is bringing local Christian pastors and ministers together to form a united approach to helping the area homeless population.

August 7, 8, and 9, the



A Global Vision

Promise Governance Institute held its annual Leadership Networking Conference at the nearby VanLee Hotel Conference Center in Covina.

Business, government, academic, and faith leaders gathered from nations as far away as Australia, Switzerland, South Africa and the Philippines to share proven strategies and ideas for bringing God's blessings upon our nations.

Covina Mayor John King opened our Thursday luncheon with a welcome to our guests.

On Saturday, August 10th, PCU held its fourteenth annual commencement ceremonies.

In October, several PCU faculty members attended and spoke at the annual Holy Spirit Conference in Korea.

More information is available on our web page at

www.mypcu.com

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

THAT WE MAY BE ONE

In this season when hearts are filled with thanksgiving and Christmas, I would like us to remember the intimate prayer Jesus prayed to the Father knowing that he would soon be the sacrifice on the cross for the sins of the world.

Jesus lifted up his eyes toward heaven and said, "Father, the hour is come; glorify thy Son, that thy Son also may glorify thee: As thou hast given Him power over all flesh, that he should give eternal life to as many as thou hast given him. And this is life eternal, that THEY MIGHT KNOW THEE, the ONLY TRUE GOD, and JESUS CHRIST, whom thou hast sent.." John 17:1–3 (KJV)

In verse 21, he continues, "That they all may be one; as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also MAY BE ONE IN US; that the world may believe that thou hast sent me."

This coming year, 2020, my prayer is that the Body of Christ become "One in Christ" with one heart, one voice and one vision to bring our nation back to God. The Bible also says, in I Corinthians 1:26–29, "For ye see your calling, brethren, how that not many wise men after the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble, are called: But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty; and base things of the world, and things which are despised, hath God chosen, yea...That no flesh should glory in His presence."

May our nation truly become, "One Nation Under God", each individual rightly discerning the truth. May the Body of Christ listen to the voice of Christ, the Good Shepherd, and heed his call for supernatural and divine unity as never before. Then, the next great move of the Holy Spirit will begin, and we will all be part of that movement.

Dr, Michael McKinney



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LAUDATIONS FROM THE NATIONS

We receive numerous compliments from our students, graduates and honorees throughout the year, and we give glory to God for all our success, Here are some comments, received this year, from around the world:

- ◇ The classes had a strong academic emphasis, taught by professors who are anointed to teach. I received not only a degree, but a transformative experience. Dr. Jackie takes a special interest in her students, and prays for their success. Sonia B.
- ◇ The chaplaincy program was very confirming and enjoyable. I feel well equipped to show the savior's love to the world. Estella B.
- ◇ Thank you so much for this time of true heart connections, memories and honor. I feel so empowered for what God has in store for the future. Jorg W.
- ◇ With every presentation, the anointing filled the room and our lives in Unity of the Bond of the Spirit. I see now that God has a far greater purpose for me that I had not understood or seen. Soara T.

You too can be part of this fruitful ministry by helping us equip global Christian ministers and leaders with these proven tools: the transformative gospel of Jesus Christ and the power of his Holy Spirit.

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