

PHILIPPINES

MILO TOMAS FAMILY

AS OF AUGUST 2026

SOUL-WINNING CHURCH PLANTING TRAINING NATIONALS

Dear Ptr. Jason Jett and Eastside Baptist Church,

Greetings in Christ! May the Lord find you all doing well by the grace of God.

PLEASE ACCEPT MY APOLOGIES. I'M SO SORRY FOR NOT UPDATING YOU SOONER AND MORE OFTEN.

There no major issues in our lives, missions, and ministries. **Crossroads Baptist Church is stronger, growing, and expanding by the grace of God.**

Melinda and I are thankful to the Lord for your prayers and thoughts. We remain able and active to carry out the day-to-day tasks of leading our co-laborers in the mission field in spite of physical and medical challenges.

Exciting things are happening in the missions and ministries through our church and village outreaches in Baguio City during the past 7 months of 2026 including the month of August.

The Lord is good as always, and so much more.

I am highlighting our **Missions to Children Gospel Witnessing, Church Planting, and Training of Leaders** in this latest update.

Our Missions to Children is one of the most challenging but rewarding. Through the years, we have witnessed not just the conversion of kids ages 7-12 years old but how the Lord kept them in church to be nurtured and become dynamic young people in our other missions and ministries.

For three consecutive years now, our young men in particular, fruits of our Missions to Children have committed themselves to full-time ministry.

We now have **two young men**, a **freshman** and **sophomore**, studying Bachelor of Theology at the Fundamental Baptist College for Asians. **Two more young men**, a senior and a junior in high school who are set to enter Bible college in the next two years. These are **future church planters**.

The Lord added more **adult men** to our church. These are **potential leaders** in planting churches in the villages. Baguio City has 128 villages.

During the first quarter of 2026, we began revitalizing our Missions to Children. **First**, we re-emphasized our vision, mission, purpose, and goals. **Second**, we revised our programs. **Third**, we re-enlisted our work force. **Fourth**, we re-define our approach and engagement of our mission to children.

Thank you very much for your faithful partnership, kindness and generosity. We continue to covet your prayers for more souls to be saved, leaders to be trained and churches planted.

May you find our updates from the mission field a blessing and encouragement. **God bless you!**

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