

Vanuatu Medical Mission Andrew & Rachael Liu Santo, Vanuatu



January 2023 UPDATE

Dear Praying Partners,

I hope you had a wonderful Christmas and new year. I had some illness for 2 weeks in December however was fully recovered by Christmas which was spent with Andrew's congregation until night time where I spent 3 hours at the hospital. That was because a 17 year old who had small scissors on a Leatherman multitool accidentally stuck into his thigh to the hilt close to the femoral artery. There was no Doctor at the hospital but thankfully we had a doctor available from the clinic. The hospital didn't have any anesthetist or ultrasound techs available so the doctor removed it in ED with equipment from our clinic. It was a memorable Christmas for sure.

We have had a Christian Chinese group who live in NZ come 2 weeks ago that were giving free dental care for 10 days to the island here. I took them to Tatuba island that has

the worst dental care in the area and 25 people were seen and about 50 teeth were pulled. I helped with translation for the patients. The gospel was shared with patients and children.

Andrew and I went to Port Vila last week to help at a kids summer camp for 5 days and took a church members child, Chloe to attend. We had great fellowship with the Chinese church who helped run it with CCMA and several children professed Christ as Savior.

Several Church attendants have left to go home to China. It is a very migratory population but one man, Hao, who had been going to church for the last year and had trouble believing the resurrection of Christ believed after some time with Andrew and now is going to a church in China. It was a huge blessing but it has left a hole in our church and we will miss them.

We are blessed to be able to come back to Australia for a month and are attending a Missions conference in Sydney in February and Andrew is meeting all my family for the first time in Toowoomba. We look forward to the fellowship.

For future ministries, I'll be starting



Sunday School with Chloe and moving my discipleship class with Lynette.

Please pray for the church members as we are away.

Prayer & Praise Points

- Praise for children and Brother Hoaw's salvation.
- Pray for the church in our absence as Andrew will be pre-recording sermons and they will continue faithful.
- Pray for safe journeys as we travel in Australia and on to Singapore.



Blessings — Rachael & Andrew

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