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THAIRISH NEWS

Is. 41:10 ".. I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you..."

RECONNECTING

THANKS FOR YOUR PRAYERS as we reconnected with family friends and Church fellowship. We spent time with most family members, celebrated birthdays, (photo right) renewed friendships, and drank lots of coffee over 'catching up'. "Visitors bring us much joy!" I heard 1 man say. "Some when they're coming and some when they're leaving!"

REPORTING

FROM PRAYER MEETINGS to preaching to 'Thailand' nights, we had good opportunities to share generally about Thailand's great needs, and specifically about our ministry at Chiangmai Community Church.

RELAXING

EVER HEARD THE EXPRESSION - 'Wall to wall people'? After meeting up with many we were delighted to take up offers from generous friends to 'chillax' at their homes, providing some time to rest, reflect, prepare (& watch some episodes of the series 'LOST').



'I WILL BUILD MY CHURCH....'

Jesus is the 'master builder', the 'cornerstone', the 'head of His Body', the 'Director and Protector' of his 'Bride'. Would you pray that in these days of finalising and implementing our 'Vision & Mission' for HIS Church in Chiangmai, that we would stick to his 'blueprints', build on his 'person and work', look to Him for 'direction', and lean fully on the Holy Spirit as we attempt to 'walk in step' with Him?? Over these next few months we look to Jesus to direct and supply us with the governance structure, personnel, facilities and finances to do His work, in His way, with His strength. We firmly believe your prayers are an integral and vital part of this process. As we 'serve those who serve' we believe that as a Church we can help encourage, strengthen, empower and cheer our folks along, many of whom serve on the 'front line' in ministry. With much love, Steve & Lorna

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