Packed Food continued...

Breanna. I was hoping we would visit the same orphanage again, but thought our chances were slim. I was pleasantly surprised on the first day when we found out that Feed the Hunger began supporting them about eight months earlier. While the building was the same and the children were two years older, I noticed that the health of the children, and their happiness, had dramatically improved.

experienced firsthand the

before-and-after impact of Feed the Hunger food packed in the US and distributed around the world. I wanted to be obedient in serving these children, so I stepped out to help lead the next Packathon at my church. I was not letting my inexperience in organizing an event like this get in the way of what God calls us to do: feed the physical hunger and the spiritual hunger in the people who serve and receive these gifts.



Praises & Prayer Requests

PRAISES

- The faithful testimony of Pastor Moses and how God continues to use him
- Full funding for the All-American Packathon; we will pack as much food as is sponsored
- All those who have answered the call to travel with FtH and serve both domestically and internationally

PRAYER REQUESTS

- God's ongoing hand of protection and blessing on Pastor Moses
- The many new friends of FtH who are coming to pack for the first time at the All-American Packathon
- Mission trips and Packathons planned throughout the rest of this year

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A Word from the CEO Moses the Eagle

Dear Faithful Partners,

This newsletter has a special emphasis on our partnership in Vietnam. Pastor Moses is an amazing man of God who has a burden to reach the lost in his country, as well as in America and Israel. You will be blessed as you read about his life and ministry. Your partnership is making a tangible difference in Vietnam.

God has graciously provided the funding needed for our initial meal goal for the All-American Packathon this summer! You can still sponsor meals for this campaign as we will prepare as many packets as God provides to help our fellow citizens in need. If you can now help with packing the sponsored food, please let us know.

Helping fellow Americans in need is a rewarding experience you won't soon forget. So email or call us and schedule a time to serve: packathon@feedthehunger.org | 1-888-772-9634.

Let me encourage you to make every day count for eternity. We've got one shot at this life, so let's serve the Lord with passion and purpose!

> Thanking God for you, Joseph Williams, CEO

How Can We Not Help?

Feed the Hunger partners with Pastor Moses to feed 54 Hmong orphans who were rescued from the jungle. The orphanage is located 65 miles, or a three-hour drive, from Saigon.

We cannot ship our meal packets to Vietnam for two reasons. First, customs is extremely corrupt; Moses believes it would take bribe money to get the food released.

ed attention to the underground church.

funds monthly to purchase food for The underground church has disthese dear orphans. Thankfully, patched 55 evangelists by moped through supporters like you, God across Vietnam. In the last three has provided the needed funding and a half years, 16,000 have into next year.

"We take every opportunity to With such an effective ministry, share the Gospel", Moses declared how can we not help?

When you meet a person of great faith, the effect can be two-fold. You are blessed to hear the testimonies of one who relies on God so closely. but you can also be convicted that your own faith hasn't been challenged so deeply while remaining vibrant. Pastor "Moses" is one of those peo-

His Vietnamese name translated into English means "eagle". This aptly describes the passion, zeal, and faithfulness that soars before your eyes as you listen to him share his life story and all that God has done in and through him.

His young life was changed dramatically during the Vietnam War. A bomb fell on his house, killing his grandfather, mother, and three siblings. Only he and his father survived. As a boy, Moses came to be saved through the loving witness of Christian missionaries.

Moses has been imprisoned more than once for his faith. He survived the murder, starvation, and disease that daily threatened his life behind bars. With the help of the US government and Voice of the Martyrs, Moses was released after two years and seven months.

Today, Pastor Moses lives in a simple, 4 x 7½-meter single-story home (a mere 323 square feet!) with six other family members. He is one of the leaders of the underground church in Vietnam and remains under constant surveillance. One of his main prayer requests before returning to his home country was that he would make it through airport immigration undeterred.

He credits the effectiveness of the underground church to the three days each month that they dedicate to fasting and prayer. We Americans would do well to follow their lead.

to us recently. This includes projects like freshwater wells, some of which FtH has funded. As villagers come to get physical water, a Bible verse engraved at each well Second, it would draw unwant- shares about the Living Water.

As we allow God to take the lead in this partnership, we continue to As a result, it is best that we send be amazed at Moses' ministry. come to the Lord!





Packed Food, Will Travel

Dave Winze, Guest Writer

My family has participated in three packing events and enjoyed it each time. While I also enjoyed the event, I was curious how the food was distributed and who it impacted. In the summer of 2013, I had the opportunity to travel to Haiti with my oldest daughter, Beth, church friends, and Feed the Hunger.

During this trip, our first stop was at an orphanage (not supported by Feed the Hunger) to share love and gifts. This orphanage was on its last day of food for the foreseeable future, but we were able to give them enough food to last them for months. These children were visibly malnourished and were surviving on the love and sacrifice of the house mother.

In 2015, I had the opportunity to return to Haiti with my youngest daughter,