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Dear Pastors, Friends, and Supporting Churches,

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I just wanted to take a moment to share with you how truly blessed and grateful I am for all that the Lord did during my recent trip to the Philippines, April 13–24th. Our time there was centered around the Youth Conference at Christian Baptist Church with Pastor Sammy Medina in Santa Maria, Bulacan. What a tremendous joy it was to see the hand of God moving so powerfully! Over 200 young people attended the conference, and the spirit among them was full of excitement, hunger for truth, and a deep desire to follow Christ. We praise the Lord that 96 made commitments to serve Him with their lives, 7 surrendered to full-time Christian service, and 2 precious souls trusted Christ as their Savior!

Throughout the week, the Lord opened multiple doors for our missions team to speak and preach in several churches, including special opportunities on Easter Sunday. Each service was a reminder that God is still stirring hearts, calling laborers, and building His church, even in places far from our own homes. It was humbling and encouraging to be a small part of what God is doing in the Philippines. The faithfulness of His people, the sweet spirit of the young people, and the openness to the Word of God left a lasting impact on all of us who traveled there.

Thank you to everyone who prayed for this trip. Your prayers were felt every step of the way — from safe travels to open hearts and lasting decisions. We are deeply grateful for your partnership in the work of the Lord. As we look ahead, may we continue to lift up the young people who made commitments, those who surrendered to ministry, and the churches faithfully reaching their communities. God is at work, and it is a joy to labor together with you in His harvest fields. To God be the glory, great things He hath done!

Looking unto Jesus,

Joshua Rhoades, Ephesians 3:20-21

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