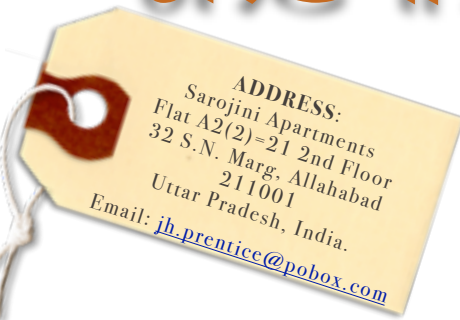


the indian chronicles



Greetings from India (2011 ICC World Cup Champions);

We've settled back into the swing of learning the language again which is a requirement of our visa, and we seem to be improving even though Johnny has trouble remembering his genders. Since January we seem to be doing a lot of traveling which has included 9 overnight train journeys and two internal flights, and we still have another four to complete in the coming weeks. Though we seem to travel a lot, we thank God for the home He has provided for us, which we can use to be a blessing to those who are away from their family. Within our city, doors continue to open for ministry, and we have been able to share and encourage the local believers. We also have seen God open new doors for ministry, and we are exploring our involvement in new projects, which we have been asking you to pray for, with us. We have also been invited to hold a week of meetings later in the year in North East with the Burmese Church.



In February we had the annual Allahabad Mizo Christian Fellowship (AMCF) sports day and feast. Heather didn't win any prizes this time but Johnny got to play football which he misses. Johnny was also asked to head up the cooking team for the feast on the Sunday; this might not seem important, but in Mizo culture it is a real honor, for this task is only given to someone who is very well respected within the community, and who they know will carry out the task to a very high standard. We praise God for the testimony.

Later in the month we were delighted to be able to share and be a part of Rev. Henry Joseph's (A founding member of Maranatha Full Gospel Association) 87th birthday celebration. Uncle Henry, as we affectionately know him, is still involved in MFGA as the senior minister in their head quarters church in Chennai, where he continues to be an inspiration and example to those following him into the ministry.



In February we had the pleasure of welcoming Janice Clarke, from Crewe, who has a real heart for missions, a great sense of humor (which always helps), and a blessing to us, and everyone she came in contact with. Janice was able to spend a couple of weeks up in Gorukhpur at the Nurseries/orphanage that we have close links with, and talked about in previous chronicles. There she was a real blessing to the staff and children, fitting in like a jigsaw piece, taking devotions and bible study with the older girls. Being a retired teacher Janice was able to help the girls with their Math and English, and as it was exam time her skills benefitted the girls as we have learned recently that some of the children's marks improved, which is an encouragement to those running the nurseries.

As we close this Chronicle; we have received great news that two of our girls, MK and Ibi have passed their finals and are now qualified Doctors, for which we praise God.



Our prayer requests are;

God's guidance continued in our ministry
Jolene would make Godly choices
MK & Ibi would know God's guidance
Continued safe travel over the coming weeks

We praise God for;

The life of Uncle Henry
The blessing that Janice Clark was
For opening doors for ministry
A home that we can use for ministry

Being a God Influence,

Johnny & Heather