



LCCP MISSION NEWS

A monthly newsletter update from the Lutheran Confessional Church Pakistan

Nothing is Impossible with God

Glory to God

We praise God for this new year and for the new opportunities that we are being given by our Lord Jesus Christ! The Lutheran Confessional Church of Pakistan is teaching about infant baptism, serving the Sacrament, and learning liturgy. We are exceedingly glad to share and are already running short on Mission House space as the local community is coming in large numbers to hear the Good News of Jesus Christ. All Glory to God! Our prayer is that God will continue to provide for us and show us a larger space to gather and worship. We trust His perfect timing.

Growth of a Church

Two more churches are in progress while I work with our newly ordained Deacon. Deacon Samson Sohail completed his academic study of theology and received his Master of Divinity from a well-organized and internationally recognized Baptist seminary. He has been attending Catechism classes with Pastor Tim Droegemueller (Living Faith Lutheran; Cumming, GA) since 2020 and continues to grow through extensive Lutheran Theological training and teaching. He participates in several of our classes as well as a regular Bible Study here. Deacon Samson is eager to learn Lutheran liturgy.

With all this quick growth we have had to expand to two worship services; one in Urdu and the other in English. Deacon Samson has been a great help to me as we experience these growing pains together.

Two of our seminary students, Botham and Mushtaq, have begun Catechism classes in their own homes in Karachi. Ansar is still organizing a class in Islamabad. All of our seminary students are working diligently to grow in their understanding of Lutheran doctrine and preparing themselves for the mission field in Pakistan.

My Own Growth

As a newly ordained pastor, I recognize the need for my own continued learning. I meet every Tuesday morning with Pastor Droegemueller and Pastor Keith Lingsch (Grace Lutheran, Naples FL). During our time together they guide, teach and encourage me. This has strengthened my faith to serve in this new mission field. For this, I am very grateful.

I also have the great honor to receive further theological and liturgical instruction from Dr. Art Just and Dr. John Bombaro (Office of International Missions).

Many pastors attend a Thursday education meeting. We have considered offering video taped messages on main theological issues such as Distinction between Law & Gospel, Sacraments, and Theology of the Cross.

LCCP Board

In May 2021, an informal Board was designed to assist us with the many administrative needs to help Julie and I return to Pakistan in a timely matter. Our Board of Directors have worked diligently on our behalf. We now have our 501c3 being processed, a new website, financial clarity, regular communications, and assistance with shipments and other weekly tasks that occur. Our faithful brothers and sisters are from Georgia, North Carolina, Texas, and Florida.

Visit Us

We are watching God do His work in Pakistan and it is exciting. We invite you to come and visit us and experience the Holy Spirit at work. As we prepare for adult baptisms and confirming students this Spring it would be a joy for you to participate in our services as brothers and sisters in the larger Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ. If you cannot travel to Pakistan, we encourage you to be part of our training team instead! We are always looking for additional pastoral educators, ESL classes via Zoom, our penpal ministry for the children, and Julie is leading several women in Bible study.

Follow us on Facebook or check out our new website for updates and new opportunities.

We are grateful for your constant prayers, financial support, your education assistance, and of course your brotherly love.

*-In His Service,
Pastor Jay Dass*



Calling all CHILDREN

Thanks to Staci Welburn (Messiah Lutheran, Charlotte NC) our Pen Pal / Zoom Pal ministry has started! Children in The States will have regular communication with the Pakistani children of the LCCP congregation. These children are looking to practice their English and are eager to hear God's Word. We are still looking for about 30 pen pals, ages 5-18. This makes a great family or Christian school project. If you or a teacher you know would like to participate, please contact Staci at staciwelburn@att.net or 616-340-7240.



Women's Bible Study is growing with more women and their young children too!

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Nine in the Line Student of the Month

Mushtaq Masih



BIRTHDAY: February 6,
1968

EDUCATION: Master's
degree in Education

POST GRAD: Teacher and
Principal

GIFTS & TALENTS: Gifted
to teach all ages and
genders. With my

professional background I feel blessed to
become a Lutheran Pastor and wish to fulfill
that calling.

CALLING: I desire to teach and preach the Word
of God to non-believers and those who seek to
know our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

PRAYER REQUEST: I seek prayers for my seminary
education as well as financial support for my
travel to Riga this Spring.

Prayers and Supplications...

- * Prayers for local church and pastors that are adopting Lutheran theology
- * Seminary Students leading Catechism teaching in their homes
- * Prayers for the women and their children attending Bible study

SUPPLICATION

- * LCCP Church Building Fund
- * 4 motor bikes for easier transportation



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