

A Blessed Year

We have been much blessed this past year. God has placed us in this community to be *Changing Lives for Christ*. And He has met all the financial needs of the church, and more. Though giving last year did not meet budget requirements, there is nothing we failed to do because of lack of funds. What we lack is people. We did less ministry than we wanted to do last year. We had fewer special Bible Studies, less need for Sunday School materials, fewer outreach activities, and fewer children and teen events than we hoped to have. These activities included worship, discipleship, fellowship, ministry, and outreach, all the purposes of the church.

Money is not limiting what we want to do. Rather, we need more people resources. We don't have enough people to do all that God has resourced us financially to do. That is the real story behind last year's financial report. Jesus said we should be praying for God to raise up workers (Matthew 9:37-38). Pray for workers. Pray also that God will clarify what work you should be doing.

- pastor Robin