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## Thank You!

As we draw near to the end of another year, we would like to wish you and your loved ones a Blessed Advent, Merry Christmas, and Joyous New Year! Our time of service with the LCMS is ending as I am retiring in January. We would like to thank all those with whom we have worked and interacted over the past six-and-a-half years. Thanks to all the individuals and congregations who have partnered with us with their prayers and support. We also thank the LCMS OIM, Gary Thies, and everyone at Mission Central ([www.missioncentral.us](http://www.missioncentral.us)) who have been so generous, helpful, and supportive. Many of you we will not see again until our Lord returns on the Last Day when we join the ranks of the Heavenly Choir. May God keep us all faithful until the end and bless the work that He has accomplished through us to the glory and benefit of His Kingdom so together we all may sing with the "angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven":

*"To Him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!" Amen.*

*Revelation 5:13*







Boy at Sukutea Lutheran Church.

**GIVE THANKS FOR:**

- All the faithful Christians who have partnered with us and with whom we have had an opportunity to work and worship.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

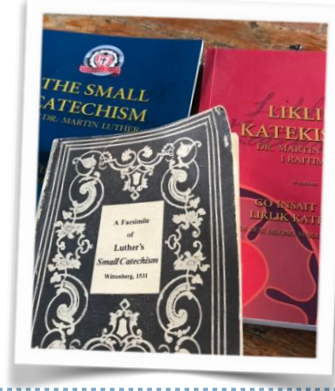
- Protection for the people of Taiwan.
- All Christians, pastors, and missionaries in PNG and the Asia Region.
- God to send new missionaries into the field.

**PICTURES ON THE PAGE:**

1. Signs celebrating the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation at Sukutea (Resurrection) Lutheran Church, Yaramanda, PNG;
2. Recording session with the youth of Timothy Lutheran Congregation, Birip, PNG;
3. New songbook and solar-powered MP3 players for PNG;
3. With a man dressed in traditional ceremonial dress;
4. Asia Regional Director Rev. Charles Ferry and his family;
5. LCMS Asia Regional Headquarters in Chiayi, Taiwan;
6. Following an online presentation on worship and music in Taiwan;
7. The Music Education Office at the LCMS Regional Headquarters in Chiayi, Taiwan.



*Thanks to all who have partnered with us during our time of service. It has been a very fulfilling and rewarding six-and-a-half years. We pray that God will use what He has done through us for His greater purpose. Soli Dei Gloria!*



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