



Ben and Kuba with son Bill

Dear family and friends,
Thank you so much for your prayer support! our time in Fiji went really well with great feedback from our teaching, which we are VERY thankful for !!! We kept well and we were able to reconnect with our special friends Ben and Kuba in Naviago village as well as having a few days to explore Lautoka and have a break :)....it was our first "holiday" in Fiji in 28 years of traveling there on ministry trips! Ben and Kuba staffed our DTS back in 2012 and have served and guided outreach teams for many years :).

School of Frontier Mission- Lautoka, Fiji

A week of teaching on Spiritual Warfare brought significant break-through for the students and staff; they also saw God's provision for fees as well as direction for future ministry- it was such a privilege for Mike and I to teach, share our life stories and be back in Fiji after 5 years. God absolutely led each day of teaching and ministry. We loved being able to team teach and incorporate



many years of practical learning into the week and see how gently God brought freedom to each one. We were very mindful of the cross-culture setting and equipping the students for future ministry in an appropriate way. **Please continue to pray for Karen (NZ), Ana and Remo (FIJI), Walter and Muriel (SOLOMON ISLANDS) and Emma (VANUATU) they have completed the training and are taking the next steps into their ministry placements- what a huge faith journey they are all on.**

It was so special to be in Lautoka again- our Fiji "home", visit Ben and Kuba, track down "coconut rolls" and have a refreshing break. We are incredibly thankful for all God has done in our lives and the lives of those we get to walk alongside.

YWAM KOHA Fiji outreaches...We bumped into some of the Koha crew in Fiji and they had an incredible time in numerous villages! After several delays the KOHA finally headed to

Fiji from NZ but God moved in the delays and land based outreaches took place in the Suva area led by a newly established team. Once the ship arrived they went to the Yasawa and Mamanuca Islands on outreach. In total 7 outreaches took place, 17 villages were visited and 3096 patients ministered to (services provided included dental, glasses (1297 pairs of reading glasses), optometry, primary health checks, womens health (181 days for girls packs given out), SD cards with the Jesus film in Fijian and 86 Bibles given out, 2000 plus people prayed for 1 on 1).

We are so thankful for all God has done! And plans are underway for 2025-come join us !

YWAM SUVA.....Are doing well with the DTS well underway- they plan to come to NZ for the YWAM Oceania HUI (see below) and then head on outreach from here. It has been amazing to see how quickly this base has been established in Suva and embraced by the local community. **Please pray for the nessecary visas for the team and provision of funds for their outreach.**

YWAM FURNACE TRAINING

Both DTS and a School of Worship are underway and outreach begins in just a few weeks- to Nepal, India, Fiji and Japan- **please pray for preparations and the staff and students as they step into these new countries and serve for the next 10 weeks.** There is a lot of heart change going on at this time and restoration in the students too. Inga is busy with applications for our January 2025 schools - DTS, One Thing Prayer internship and those for the rest of the year :)

DENTAL OUTREACHES :)

On our return to NZ Mike had 1 day to prepare for the dental outreach to TeKaha and Mahia (both remote towns on the East Coast of NZ and very much in need of dental services). The outreach was 11 days long.... a longer outreach than normal with minimal downtime- 12 hour plus days to see as many patients as possible. In TeKaha 75 patients were seen, 58 restorations and 134 teeth were extracted pain relieved and love shown:) The value of treatment was \$62,435!! There were many great testimonies from appreciative patients and their whanau - and gifts of local delicacies crayfish and paua too! As the team re-visit places we are hearing of families connecting to church and growing in faith. Many patients have significant conversations around faith and identity and numerous anxious patients have had hope restored! In Mahia 83 patients were seen, 32 teeth restored, 179 teeth extracted and \$67,233 value of treatment given.. With 2 dentists working Mike was



very busy keeping them both going with the sterilization unit! He was able to share with a patient who was very anxious about medication/needles - in the end she decided not to be held back by fear but say "yes" and get the treatment she needed ; it went very well with no side effects - she was thrilled and thankful too :) It is wonderful to see people set free from the bondage of fear (and pain). Now that these outreaches are over the stock take begins and a final outreach for this year took place in Hamilton. The team are well into preparations for the outreaches in 2025; dental outreach pics....before and after!!!!-

YWAM Oceania HUI and the SEND

This week we have the NZ national YWAM Oceania HUI, with over 800 ywamers attending from NZ, Australia, Pacific Islands and further afield- our first gathering in this area for over 17 years and hosted by our YWAM Furnace base here in Tauranga. It will be an awesome time for connection, worship and hearing Gods heart for this region. The week ends with the SEND in Hamilton- to mobilise people into mission...this has been occurring in many nations globally and is aimed at calling young and older into mission!. We recently had the thrill of sharing with a young woman who is keen to grow in God and pursue mission training - people all over the world need to hear of God's love and there is a part for us all to play at any age :)

FAMILY news- We are excited to announce Lauren's engagement to Bailey!...and upcoming wedding 💕🥳 they met at Volleyball in Wellington and marry on December 7th- so that's the event of the year for our family with planning well underway:) Mike and I also celebrated 40 years married on October 20th- actually Labour weekend was when we married and Inga turned 64 years young in November!



Our Support...

Please consider joining our monthly support team as our monthly support has reduced recently and we've been advised it will reduce again in 2 months. We need to raise our own financial support to serve with YWAM and would love to continue in 2025 and beyond :) Please email us to join our wonderful team of supporters:)

1 Chronicles 16;34 "Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever!"

Blessings and Vinaka Vaka Levu (Huge thanks) from Mike and Inga and the people of Fiji xx