

May, June, July 2020

Dear brothers and sisters ofUCAIM,

Subject: Report on the ministry,

In an effort to plant house churches and get the gospel of Jesus Christ to Arab Israelis (both non-born-again Christians and Muslims), Mimi and I have done the following ministries during the Months of May, June & July 2020

Mimi and I met in different homes after the lockdown and visited people from outside the church. We have visited 69 families from different groups and ages even from Muslim background (Prayed with 5 Muslim ladies). From nominal Christians we prayed with a catholic lady who accepted the Lord with tears and was delivered from fear and 20 others in houses and different occasion. I performed a funeral at the church and shared a message before 120 people since was allowed only 50 people to attend the funeral. I also performed an engagement but only the two parents could attend.

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We also visited 56 families from our church to encourage who are going through hard times, crisis and prayed for the sick people, and had a chance to talk and encourage a wife who was separated from her husband for many months, I have prayed with her and asked her to meet with him and to speak face to face and try to resolve the problems, and this is what actually happened and the reconciliation was achieved and returned to each other. Glory to the Lord.

We distributed supplies for 25 families from inside and outside the church, who were affected by the lockdown and isolated at their homes.

During the month of May till July, Mimi and I had many phone calls, and specially was almost doubled in the time of the crisis, as well as exchanging daily messages through the WhatsApp.

Mimi has held a meeting for women in June. The attendance was 22 ladies, the meeting included a bible study and activities. It was a very blessed and they had much joy.

Mimi arranged another meeting at the bible society building in Nazareth and had a lecture on anxiety in the time of Corona, and the number was limited due to the conditions.

Two weeks ago, we took about 34 people from the church family and travelled to the sea of Galilee and spent a long day in the Gennesaret sea site. We had a good time and a wonderful fellowship and prayer, we ate together and exchanged conversation, we prayed and had a lot of fun. Thank you, Lord Jesus.

Last week we took our daughter Doreen's kids to mount precipice and shared with them the story from Luke 4:16-30. It was first time for them to visit mount precipice.

Please keep praying for returning to normal life so we go back to the church for regular services, activities, and unlimited number of gathering, and have much more freedom to reach out the lost for Christ. Last month and still this month the number of people is limited to 10 people at the church building and 20 persons can come together outside the building.

In conclusion Mimi and I want to thank you with all our hearts for your prayers and continuous support and want to tell you that we love you all and longing to see you face to face.

Respectfully Submitted,

Pastor Afif & Mimi Saba

Note: This time Mimi is going to send you some pictures of our various services and outreach.