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FY 2011 Ministry Report (7/1/10-6/30/11)

Dear Prayer Partners in Christ:

Praise the Lord that His grace has granted CRM for another year of fruitful ministries. On behalf of all our 77 coworkers, distributed worldwide in 7 districts: North America (NA) main office, Singapore, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Myanmar, Mongolia and the Mid-East, I would like to thank you for your faithful prayers and generous support. A ministry report of FY2011 is attached. CRM has made a set of CDs for our mission activities and it is available upon request. Here is the ministry of NA only in the past FY:

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Praise the Lord! God's grace is beyond our imagination. Despite a bleak background of global economy, CRM NA main office has an income of approximately US\$744,000; an expenditure of US\$884,000, and a deficit of US\$140,000 in this fiscal year. This shortage was temporary paid by a Board Member through his equity loan. We, as coworkers, have been earnestly praying for His provision and grace as well as your faithful support, so that CRM may continue to serve in the years to come, before the coming of our Lord. Thank you for your support and sacrificial offerings. May the Lord who had made great things before, will sustain the ministries of CRM.

Thank you for allowing me to share with you on this latest news of CRM's ministry. May the Lord bless you and keep you.

Your coworker in Christ Jesus,

Rev. Ting W Lee, Executive Director

Attachments

CHRISTIAN RENEWAL MINISTRIES

Ministry Report, Fiscal Year 2011

(07/01/10-06/30/11)

This year marks the 40th anniversary of Christian Renewal Ministries (CRM). We thank the Lord that He called us being a member of this team, working together to build His Kingdom. We appreciate your continue support and prayer. Our main office is located in New Jersey, USA. We have three branch offices: Taiwan, Singapore, and Hong Kong. In addition, CRM has three mission fields located at: Northern Myanmar (Lashio and Kunlong Region of Chong-Ching Mountain), Ulaanbaatar of Mongolia Republic, and the Mid-East. This report concerns only the ministry of the U.S. main office.

I. CO-WORKERS (77 full-time coworkers)

- NA Main Office (9 coworkers): Ting W. Lee, Anna Lee, Paul Lu, Esther Lu, David Chou, Jun Chang, Elizabeth Tseng, Ye Shen and Philemon Yamin. In addition, there are five part-time workers: Deborah Lee, Julia Pang, Anita Shih, Lan xu, and Justina Chen.
- Taiwan Office (2 coworkers): Linda Chou and Shunhua Yang.
- Mongolia M/F at Ulaanbaatar (began in 2001, 4 coworkers) (Figs. 24-26)
- Singapore Office (2 coworkers): Tat-Foo Yee and Y. F. Chen.
- Myanmar Mission Field (began in 1997, 50 coworkers) (Figs. 18-23)
- Mid-East CRM Language Center (10 coworkers) (Figs. 27-30)
- Hong Kong Office: volunteer workers

II. REPORT BY MINISTRIES: There are four areas: Literature Ministry; Preaching Ministry; Mission Ministry; and Training Ministry.

1. LITERATURE MINISTRY (Figs.1-8)

- **New Publications: 2 books**
 - *Spiritual Theology* (Diogenes Allen)
 - *Systematic Theology* (Wayne Grudem)
- **New Books to be Published in September: 2 books**, author: Timothy Keller; translator: Paul Lu; Dutton.
 - *The Prodigal God* (Simplified Scripts)
 - *The Counterfeit Gods* (Simplified Scripts)
- **New Revisions: 2 books**
 - *Design for Expository Preaching (with new CD)*
 - *Bible Reading Plan*
- **Reprints: 9 books & 1 booklet (Fishermen Bible Study Series)**
 - *Christ-Centered Preaching* (Chapell)
 - *Firm Evidence that demands a Verdict*
 - *From Bible Hermeneutics to Exegesis and Application* (Alex Luc)
 - *Abundant Life* (Traditional Scripts)
 - *Abundant Life* (Simplified Scripts)
 - *The Hiding Place* (Corrie ten Boom)
 - *Fearfully & Wonderfully Made* (Paul Brand, Philip Yancey)
 - *Bible Reading Plan*
 - *Bridge to Life*
 - Fishermen's Bible Study Guides (1 booklet): *Jonah, Habakkuk & Malachi: Living Responsibly*
- **Books under conversion from Traditional to Simplified Scripts (2 books):**
 - *Christ-Centered Preaching* (Chapell)
 - *CRM Study Bible* (Zondervan)
- **Books under Revision (3 books):**
 - *Equipping the Saints 2* (Traditional Scripts)
 - *Equipping the Saints 1* (Simplified Scripts)
 - Fishermen's Bible Study Guides (1 booklet): *Building Your House on the Lord*
- **Books under Editing (15 books):**
 - *Genesis* (Bruce K. Waltke, Zondervan)
 - *Christ-Centered Worship* (Simplified Scripts) (Bryan Chapell, Baker)

CCEF Booklet Bundles: Publisher: New Growth Press:

- *Angry Children*
- *Single Parents*
- *How to Love Difficult People*
- *Divorce Recovery*
- *Living with an Angry Spouse*
- *Help! My Spouse Committed Adultery*
- *Abundant Life* (Thai Language)

Learn About God Booklets: Christian Focus Publications; author: Carine Mackenzie; translator: Anna Lee

- *God is Kind*
- *God has power*
- *God never changes*

- *God knows everything* ◦ *God is everywhere* ◦ *God is faithful*
- **Books in Translation (6 books):**
 - *Holiness to the Lord: A Guide to the Exposition of the Book of Leviticus* (Allen Ross, Baker)
 - *Using Illustrations to Preach with Power* (Bryan Chapell, Crossway) ◦ *The Reason for God* (Timothy Keller, Dutton)
 - *Each for the Other* (Bryan Chapell, Baker) ◦ *Holiness by Grace* (Bryan Chapell, Crossway)
 - *Restoring your Broken Marriage* (New Growth Press)
- **Books in which Translation and Publication Rights Secured:**
 - *The Promises of Grace* (Bryan Chapell, Baker) ◦ CCEF Booklets (9 books, New Growth Press)
 - *Helping Teens Develop---Parents and Teenagers* (audio form) (Youth for Christ)

● **Publication of Training Material and the Renewal Journal**

CRM publishes the *Renewal Journal* (in Chinese) in ten issues yearly, with Jan/Feb and Jul/Aug combined. Its purpose has been to help Chinese Christians to grow deeper in Christ. Its content has been centered in the Word of God and the exegesis of the Scriptures; readers are encouraged to engage in the reading of the Bible and to be involved in Bible studies and expository preaching. The *Renewal* has been published yearly in four additions in four different part of geographical areas (North America; Taiwan; Hong Kong and Singapore/Malaysia) and these are free upon request. The distribution of the N. America edition is about 13,000 copies per issue.

2. PREACHING MINISTRY (Figs. 9-11):

● **Pulpit Ministry**

- (1) In 2011, CRM's preachers (Rev. Ting W. Lee & Rev. Paul Y. Lu) have preached in many places in N. America, as well as overseas, such as Netherlands, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Canada, etc., engaging in Expository Preaching, teaching Bible and Inductive Bible Study Method.
- (2) Pulpit Ministry in Various Churches:
 - CRM coworkers have served many Chinese Churches in NA and overseas.
 - Preached evangelic and revival meetings, mission conferences, and retreats.
- (3) Jointed Church Conferences & Retreats:
 - Seminar on Readers' Guide on Grudem's *Systematic Theology* by Dr. Paul Chang
 - 4/2/2011/Sat. at Taipei, China Evangelical Seminary
 - 4/3/2011/Sun. at Kaohsiung, Faith-Love Reformed Church
 - *Christ-Centered Taipei Expository Preaching Conferences: (5/2-3/11)* co-sponsored by the Bread-of-Life Church & the Holy Light Theological Seminary of Kaohsiung, 240 pastors attended.
 - *Christ-Centered Hong Kong Expository Preaching Conferences: (5/9-10/2011)*, 55 pastors attended.

● **Tape/CD Ministry**

- There are two broadcasting websites: "The Renewal Pulpit": www.bbnradio.org and the CRM's website (www.crmnj.org). New messages are available weekly.
- In 2011, CRM has produced 13 sermons of audio tapes/CDs. These are 3 sets of "Grown in Grace" in Luke and 1 sermon from Ephesians:
 - C127 Grown in Grace I (4 sermons) ◦ C128 Grown in Grace II (4 sermons)
 - C129 Grown in Grace III (4 sermons) ◦ C140-1 The Eternal Purpose of God (1 sermons)

● **ITS Graduates News:**

Praise the Lord, since the beginning of ITS in 2000, there have been 10 graduates of ITS obtained their seminary degrees from CIU-SSM. They are now serving in churches and mission organizations in different parts of the world. May the Lord bless their ministry wherever they are.

3. MISSION MINISTRY (Figs. 18-30)

The emphasis of CRM Mission Ministry is to develop mission fields based on discipleship training principles. CRM has 3 mission fields: Myanmar, Mongolia Republic, and 2 countries in the Mid-Eastern area. CRM has made a set of CDs for our mission activities, which is available upon request.

4. TRAINING MINISTRY

(1) **The Bible Study Camp Ministry (Figs. 12-16)**

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(2) The Discipleship training Ministry

This ministry includes the use of the following two types of training materials: "Equipping the Saints" & "Abundant Life". Dr. David Chou, the Resident Discipleship Trainer of CRM, whose ministry in the FY2011 is as follows:

- #1, Discipleship Training in Leipzig, Germany: 3 months (7/10-10/10/10)
- #2, Pastoral Ministry at Frankfurt, Germany: (10/15-17/10)
- #3, Discipleship Training in N. Carolina, USA: 5 months (11/10-4/11/11) The Formosa Church
- #4, Discipleship Training, Spiritual Development & Pastoral Ministry in Germany: 3 months (5/21-8/21/11), Frankfurt, Mannheim, Muenchen, Giessen, Koeln and Darmstadt.
- #5, Sunday Preaching Ministry: 8/22/10: Leipzig Chinese Church; 10/17/10: Frankfurt Chinese Church; 12/12/10; 4/10/11: Formosan Church, NC; 5/29 & 8/21/11: Frankfurt Chinese Church.

(3) Institute of Theological Seminars (ITS) (Figs. 17)

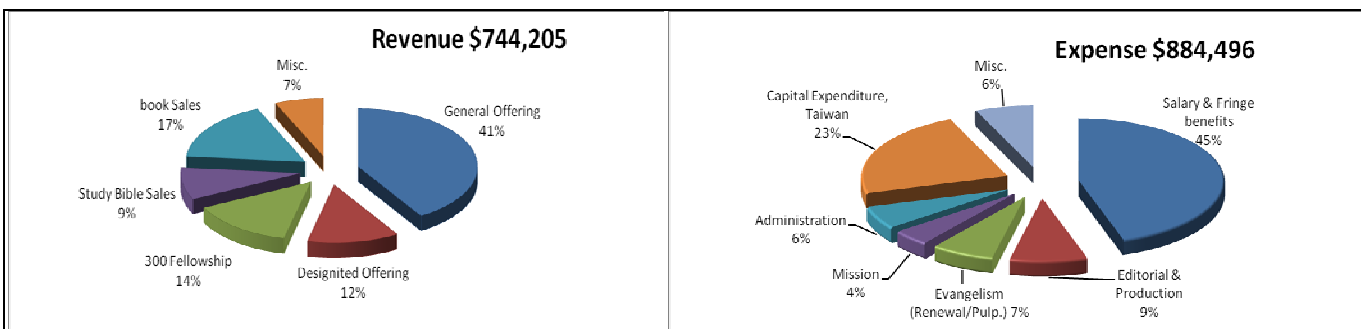
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ITS had offered 12 courses in 4 locations this FY:

- 9/17-19/2010 (Atlanta, NW) : Exegesis of Deuteronomy (Dr. Sow Pheng Liew)
- 11/5-7/2010 (New Jersey) : Post-Exilic Prophets (Dr. Alex Luc)
- 11/13/2010 (New Jersey) : Hermeneutics, I (Dr. Ting W Lee) (1 credit)
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- 11/17-20/2010 (Rotterdam, The Netherlands) : Exegesis of Revelation (Dr. Caleb Huang)
- 2/18-20/2011 (Atlanta, N.) : The Culture and Customs of the Bible Land (Philip Kao) (no credit)
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- 3/9-11/2011 (Rotterdam, The Netherlands) : Preaching Grace from the Gospel of Luke (Dr. Ting W Lee)
- 6-11/2011 (New Jersey, Holmdel) : Systematic Theology (Dr. Paul Chang) (6/25, 7/9, 10/22, 11/12)

III. FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal year 2011 (7/1/10 - 6/30/11) for the US Office: Deficit **US\$140,291**



IV. BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2012 (07/01/11 - 06/30/12, FOR US OFFICE): US\$750,000*

A. Literature Mission	400,000	-----	53.3%	
Production of Bibles	70,000			
Editorial Cost for Books	100,000			
Printing Expenses	150,000			
Renewal Journal	80,000			
B. Evangelism (Pulpit and Disciple Training)	100,000	----	13.33%	} 46.66%
C. Institute of Theological Seminars	30,000	----	4.0%	
D. Mission	70,000	----	9.33%	
E. Administration	150,000	----	20.0%	
Office Expense	60,000			
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New Equipment	20,000			
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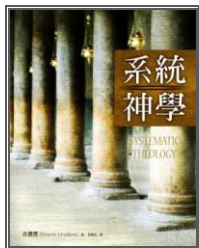


Fig. 1 Systematic Theology



Fig. 2 Spiritual Theology



Fig. 3 Design for Expository Preaching with CD



Fig. 4 Bible Reading plan



Fig. 5 (Simplified Chinese) Christ-centered Preaching

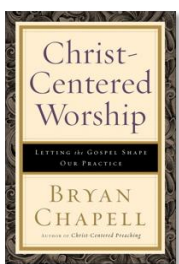


Fig. 6 (Simplified Chinese) Christ-centered Worship

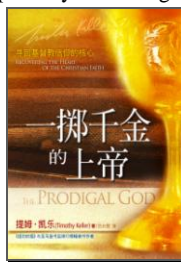


Fig. 7 (Simplified Chinese) The Prodigal God

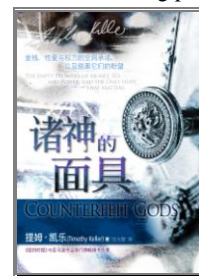


Fig. 8 (Simplified Chinese) Counterfeit Gods

● Evangelism Ministries (Fig. 9-11)



Fig. 9 Rev. Ting W. Lee at Kaohsiung Preaching Conference



Fig. 10 Kaohsiung Preaching Conference at Holy Light Seminary



Fig. 11 Rev. Ting W. Lee at Kaohsiung Preaching Conference with Students

● Training Ministries (Fig. 12-17)



Fig. 12 CRM 2011 Brother Bible Camp



Fig. 13 CRM 2011 Brother Bible Camp speakers and coworkers



Fig. 14 Rev. Ting W. Lee at Brother Bible Camp



Fig. 15 CRM 2011 Sisters Bible Camp in Michigan



Fig. 16 CRM 2011 Sisters Bible Camp in Michigan



Fig. 17 Rev. Paul Chang at Systematic Theology Workshop

Mission Pictures of Christian Renewal Ministries 2010-2011 Annual Report

Myanmar Mission Field



Fig. 18 CRM Myanmar Ministers: Rev. Eric Yee on left front, Rev. Z.Y. Yang behind, Rev. Ting W. Lee on Right



Fig. 19 CRM Myanmar Ministers Retreat



Fig. 20 All Students of Huli Gospel School



Fig. 21 CRM Agriculture Mission in Myanmar



Fig. 22 CRM Chicken Farm at Laxu



Fig. 23 Nanchao Maio Tribe Church

Mongolia Mission Field



Fig. 24 Worship of CRM Mongolia Church



Fig. 25 Rev. Xiaomei Shen (left), Rev. & Mrs. Ari (upper right) & Pastor Suika (lower right)



Fig. 26 CRM Mongolia Church Leadership Center

Middle East Mission Field



Fig. 27 Missionaries Facing Challenges



Fig. 28 Arab Language School in Oman



Fig. 29 Missionary Chua's Family



Fig. 30 Missionary Cultural Adaptation