Hello friends! I've included an attachment for our July update with pictures and prayer needs, but wanted to write a few **urgent needs** we have in our ministry below. Would you be willing to pray, give or serve in one of these ways?

1. **Our Plas Prai dorm needs a financial boost!** Any one time gifts will help with needs coming up that are outside of our current budget (such as Child Safeguard Training $1,000+, new seniors' class trip in October $2500+, and we're still catching up with the increase in food costs). Please consider sending an extra gift by September to cover these needs and bolster our budget. Gifts can be given through World Team using the Plas Prai project #044016 at their donor page.
2. **Our current website** was built on an outdated platform that is no longer supported and will eventually stop functioning. We are seeking someone with the skills to redesign the site on a more stable, modern platform. If you have the expertise and feel called to support God's work in Preah Vihear through this project, we'd love to hear from you. Please contact us if you're interested in exploring this opportunity.
3. **Please pray for peace on the border with Thailand.** Many from both countries have evacuated their homes due to the fighting near the border over a 100-year-old land dispute that has flared up again recently. We are helping a few of our students' parents who live near the border by temporarily giving them refuge at our MLC building. Please pray for resolution and peace.
4. There will be more news to share soon (more info on the building project!) but if you could lift these items up in prayer for now, we'd really appreciate it. A more comprehensive prayer list along with lots of pictures is in the attached newsletter.

So grateful for those of you who partner with us in so many ways!

Jim and Carolyn

July 2025

Hello Friends!

Thank you for opening this letter—it certainly shows you care! The last two months have been filled with blessings. Here is a brief overview followed by praise and prayer points. Please check out page two for highlights in pictures.

June and July Events:

1. June 10-12: was a recruitment day as we took Plas Prai dorm applications to remote middle schools and met needy students eager to complete a high school education at Plas Prai.
2. June 17-18: A group of new believers from remote villages joined us to strengthen their understanding of who God is.
3. June 24-30: The Davisville Vision Trip team arrived and it was a joy to introduce them to the ministry here in PV on a deeper level. Their desire to seek God's will for their lives was evident in all they did. We are grateful for each one of them who chose to seek God in this step.
4. July 5-6: God gave us 50+ students to interview for 12 spots in next year's 10th grade incoming class at Plas Prai. We chose 12 students and have heard that they all passed their 9th grade finals! We're excited to receive them and get to know them in October!
5. July 12: We celebrated with our nine graduating seniors. They have been a joy to have at the Plas Prai for these three years!
6. Since then … we've been catching up on the rest of life and catching our breath! We look forward to a slower season in ministry for the next couple of months.

Praises and Prayer Requests:

1. Davisville Team—please continue to pray for these amazing team members as they process and determine next steps with the Lord and church leadership.
2. Graduating students—praise God with us as they finish high school in the next couple of weeks. And please pray for their future steps and trust in God's direction in their lives.
3. New students—once finals are finished for everyone, we will focus on receiving the new students in October and planning for a new school year at Plas Prai. Please pray for preparations over the next 2 months. May God lead the process and may we be so connected to the Vine that we hear his voice and follow.
4. Building News! We've mentioned in previous letters that God provided for land and the ability to build a training center in our town. The focus of the center (Ministry Training Center—MTC) will be to provide a facility to train believers in the Word of God, ministry skills and discipleship. The training will be primarily through our Preah Vihear School of Applied Ministry (PVSAM—run by World Team) and the hopeful start up of a Discipleship Training Center (DTS—run by our YWAM partners). Secondarily, our YWAM partners would like to use the facility to house their national workers and conduct local outreach to the community. We'll share more about all of this in our next newsletter—stay tuned. Here are some photos to tie you over!

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Davisville Vision Trip June 2025









Plas Prai Grade 12 Party July 2025









