

Pakistan Christian Evangelical Services

*"For I am not ashamed of the Gospel,
for it is the power of God for salvation. . ."*
(Romans 1:16)



Dr. Saleem Massey
& Mrs. Naylah Saleem

October-December 2021

GOOD SHEPHERD CHRISTIAN HOSPITAL FOUNDATION PROGRESS



Dewan Bahadur S.P. SINGHA AWARD 2021



Governor House, Lahore City, August 23, 2021

The Honorable Chaudhry Sarwar, Governor of the Punjab Province, conferred S. P. Singha awards to those who did marvelous services for humanity. Government officials had recognized that Good Shepherd Christian Hospital will be a state-of-the-art hospital, providing the best medical services to poor villagers with the compassion, love, and mercy of Christ in the Kasur District. In recognition of the free medical and eye camps among poor villagers for the last 27 years with the co-operation of IDES, and establishing Good Shepherd Christian Hospital, the Governor of the Punjab gave the S.P. Singha Award 2021 to Dr. Saleem Massey.

MOTORCYCLE GIFTS FOR PCES PASTORS

Pakistan Christian Evangelical Services is thankful to Bring Good News International (Rick Wolford) and Gates Community Church of Christ, Oregon, for providing motorcycles to the pastors so they could spread the Gospel among remote villages.

Praise the Lord, under the supervision of British architect Ben Drew, Zor Engineers are constructing two medical wards on the ICU and Emergency block. The construction work will be completed at the end of December. Next year, we will start bringing medical equipment into the different hospital departments. The hospital consists of 150 beds. Please pray that the Lord will raise up friends and churches to support this project until its completion.

In order to run this hospital, we need at least 200 generous friends to make commitments for five years. Let us spread the fame of Christ through medical, social, spiritual, and psychological services among poor patients who will experience the compassion, love, and mercy of Christ at GSCH.



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FREE MEDICAL AND EYE CAMPS



Praise the Lord, we conducted free medical and eye camps from September 18-25 with the co-operation of IDES, among poor villagers of Kasur District. In those villages there are no medical facilities for poor patients. The team of Good Shepherd Christian Hospital treated them with the compassion, love, and mercy of Christ. Those who helped at the camps were Dr. Rehmat, Ethisham-eye specialist, Nasim Parvaiz, Principal of the Nursing School at United Christian Hospital, Sarah Parvaiz, psychologist, Samson Saleem, Administrator at GSCH, and Naylah Saleem.

Of the 815 patients who came to the camps, some were suffering from stomach problems, scabies, joint pain, body aches, respiratory tract infection, urinary tract infection, high blood pressure, diabetes, and gastrointestinal problems. 352 eye patients were treated for ailments such as cataracts, bacterial conjunctivitis, dry eyes, or keratitis.



SPECIAL THANKS TO DEAN OVERHOLT

Praise the Lord, my best friend and missionary Dean Overholt and his wife Ada raised more than one-hundred thousand dollars for Good Shepherd Christian Hospital project. We are proud of his passion, commitment and zeal for the Lord!



SABREENA'S INN

Praise the Lord, SABREENA'S INN is almost completed, where national and international doctors, nurses, and friends may stay comfortably in order to serve at the Good Shepherd Christian Hospital. Dr. Saleem's oldest son Samson and Sarah (pictured) are going to be married on December 17 & 18! Friends are invited to the wedding.

BAPTISMS



Praise the Lord, 20 men, 21 women, 5 young boys, and 15 young girls from Christian Evangelical Churches planted by Brother Saleem repented and were baptized for the remission of their sins. After baptisms, a worship service was held with a message on the Great Commission, motivating them to remain faithful in the Lord. Food was distributed among new believers at Christian Church, Khaliq Nagar, Lahore city on Sunday Oct. 12.

FORCED CONVERSION IN PAKISTAN

A minor Christian girl, Pashman, was kidnapped and forcefully converted to Islam. Her father Gulzar, appealed to the Honorable Judge Tariq Nadeem at Lahore High Court to hand over his daughter to him, but the judge rejected his application, saying that Pashman has accepted Islam; whereas "the law is against the forced conversion of religion" (The Daily Jang, Lahore, September 24, 2021). But, the forced conversion of minor girls from minorities shall continue, and no one can dare to stop it!

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