## Newsletter of Karunai Illam, May, 2018.

Greetings to you in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Thanks for your encouraging letters, prayers and contributions for KI We also regularly remember you in our prayers.

Eccl 11; 1 'Cast thy bread upon waters. For you shall find it after many days.'

## **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

Obeying this command Vacation Bible School was conducted in 9 villages in and around Vellore. About 2000 children heard about the greatness and goodness of Christ. The names of villages are Periyar Nagar, Sethuvalai, Sileri, Annasipalayam, Kamaraja Nagar, Indra Nagar Irular Colony, Sahaya Puram ,Arumparathy and Aaripudur. The theme of this year's VBS 'Fear not" The teachers and volunteers were given training on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> of April organized by India Bible League and a cassette was given to all the centres with songs composed on this theme.









As the children of Periyar Nagar wanted to go for an outing two buses were arranged to take them to Amerthi forest where they had love feast also which was enjoyed by all.

For Sethuvalai VBS final day prog., Pastor. Francis, his wife and their team came from Chennai and they put up a skit and a puppet show which was

very effective. We are very grateful to them.

## **Other News items:**

For the first time a clinic was arranged in Irular Colony at Indra Nagar on 22<sup>nd</sup> March and Dr,Margerie treated about 50 patients.. One Sheila had a tumour in her stomach and she was sent to RUHSA for treatment.





Linnea Good, David Good and their son Isaac Good (Biblical Story Telling, Heart and Voice) accompanied by Rev. Giftson of chaplaincy, CMCH visited us with their interesting instruments. Linnea taught them two English choruses and told them a story from the Bible. It is really very kind of them to spare so

much time for us in their busy schedule.



Some of our Periyar Nagar boys underwent a training Programme organized by the collector to rescue people in times of floods and earthquake.

On 4<sup>th</sup> March, St. John's Church gave Karunai Illam half an hour during the service when some of our children shared their testimonies and the activities of KI were shown. Special offertory was taken and we are very grateful to the pastor.

As the Committee decided that we Start an "ENDOWMENT FUND" and if you would like to contribute towards it, please state it specifically. The account no. is the same.



We need your prayers and we also pray for you.

Shall close with much love and prayers,

Yours in his service,

Jean Jepegnanam

The bank details are given below if you want to support KI. cheques to be made in favour of "Karunai Illam Trust".

Indian Overseas Bank

Gandhi Nagar Branch (0213), Vellore.

Account Number: 021301000024308

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Our project has got 80G – tax exemption, DIT(E)NO.2(783)

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As KI is completing 25 years, we are planning to celebrate our Silver Jubilee Thanksgiving Service on 23<sup>rd</sup> of June, 2018, at 5.30 pm in Zion Pentecostal Church, opposite to New Bus Stand.

All are invited.