

March 4, 2014

Dear Friends and Supporters of Team Thailand,

I am pleased to inform you of the direction in which God is leading our Team Thailand. Beginning this spring, Bro. Tim Shook and his family will return to the field, where Bro. Shook will begin transitioning to become the new leader of Team Thailand. The Shooks are sincere, godly people who want to honor the Lord Jesus Christ with their lives and service. I am glad God has seen fit to use them in this capacity and ministry, and I look forward to working together with them for the cause of world evangelism.

Congruent with this change in Bro. Shook's ministry, Bro. Mark Bosje and his family will be leaving Thailand this summer to join the First Baptist Church of Hammond, where Bro. Bosje will become an assistant pastor, working in the area of finances. He will also begin teaching missions classes at Hyles-Anderson College in the fall of 2014, joining veteran missionaries Jeremy Snipes, Dr. Dan Siemer, and others to advance even further the premier missions program of HAC. We look forward to having the Bosje family in our church family once again.

As it relates to FBMI, I believe strongly that our collegiate missions program will be enhanced by the transition, and I certainly believe the greatest days are ahead for Team Thailand. If you don't already support this work, I hope you'll consider doing so. Thailand is an open and vast harvest field. Please pray that God will help us through all the details and will help those affected by the move: the Bosje and Shook families, the other wonderful missionaries serving with Team Thailand, as well as the faithful Thai servants who are part of the ministry there.

Should you have any questions about this matter, feel free to contact me in the FBMI office.

Thank you,

Billy Paugh

Missions Director