

# LOVING GOD through serving people.

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

Philippians 4:13



The CFAM team in Pakistan is working to reach and serve the forgotten Christian communities, and God has led them to the outskirts of the village of Ghaniyaki in the Kasur District of the province of Punjab. Here there is a small community of 25 to 30 Christian families who have become financially enslaved to the Brick Kiln owners. Sadly these families who are already extremely poor have taken corrupt loans from the Brick Kiln owners, often for medicine, food or to pay for a daughter's marriage, and work at the Brick Kiln to pay off the loans. Unknowingly these families have entered into a contract that can never be paid by the work they do and when they start paying off the loan the Brick Kiln owner simply adds to the debt they owe and the families essentially become slaves to the Brick Kiln owner from generation

to generation. As Christians they have very little opportunity, are uneducated and often do not even know what they have borrowed, what they pay back, and they have no way to contest these loans causing generations of families into debt to pay off the never ending loans.

Thankfully in the face of much opposition from the Muslim Brick Kiln owners and the threat of extremist persecution the CFAM team has been able to reach this community and is beginning to provide food, Sunday School for the children and the Hope of the Gospel back to this suffering community. Our team is helping Christians like Siddique Masih who is 32 and diabetic and now has gangrene spreading on his leg which he cannot afford treatment for. Siddique's father borrowed 600,000 Rupees (about \$5,200.00 Cdn.) and passed away so the owner passed the debt on to his three sons so Siddique

owes 200,000 Rupees and his work at the Brick Kiln barely pays for his food and insulin so he must fall further in debt or lose his leg.

Even in the face of all this adversity and persecution this community is thirsting for the Gospel of Christ and feeling the love of the Body of Christ. Please help us serve this lost, forgotten and neglected community of Christians.



#### OUR MISSION

Christ For All Ministry works to take the message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to nations where there are hostilities towards Christians through equipping our Christian brothers and sisters. Our ministry works with the local body of believers to support their spiritual and physical needs so they can transform their lives and the lives of those around them.

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PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO CHRIST FOR ALL MINISTRY



Caught in the middle of tensions between India and Pakistan are the people of the District of Kasur where Christ For All Ministry has been working. Many of these poor farming families have had all their crops and possessions destroyed by flooding after Indian officials opened a dam on the river without warning. The CFAM team in Pakistan quickly saw the

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opportunity to help the many victims and spread the name of Jesus Christ. Our team was able to assist 39 families who were in desperate need of food; 16 families in Bhikhiwind, 12 families in Itahu Wala and 11 families in Ganda Singh. We could not do this critical work without your prayers and financial support. Please continue to support our work and if you have not already we pray that you consider supporting Christ For All Ministry.

fundraising and information evening in Langley, BC. The evening was started by Naeem Zafar giving a moving history and account of his life journey and God's calling to him to start a ministry focussed on serving persecuted Christians in the world. The evening was well attended by about 80 Christian brothers and sisters who were eager to learn and understand the work that Christ For All Ministry is doing in Pakistan. We were also very blessed to have a new Christian Pakistani family join us that had just recently been sponsored by the Langley Canadian Reformed Church after fleeing persecution in Pakistan and hiding in Thailand for six years.



# JESUS CHRIST ACCEPTED BY A MUSLIM GIRL

By the grace of God the CFAM Pakistan team met Kainat, a young Muslim girl, during their trips to the Sunday School projects in the Kasur District. When Kainat refused to be educated as a Muslim her brothers began to beat her, so she fled her home with her mother. In God's great mercy

Kainat and her mother were met by the CFAM team who shared the Gospel of Jesus Christ with them and the Holy Spirit worked in her heart and on their fourth visit Kainat accepted Jesus Christ as her Saviour, Praise be to God! Due to the constant threat from her father and brothers the CFAM team helped to move Kainat and her mother for their safety and continue to share the love of Jesus with them. We are very excited that Kainat could be the first recipient of an Urdu Bible from Christ For All Ministry as we work to give 1000 Bibles by 2023.

