

**Thought for the month** He told them, ... For truly I tell you, if you have faith like a grain of mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move, and nothing will be impossible for you. (Mat 17:20)

Programmes/Sectors	Reasons for Praising God	Reasons for Praying to God
Nawajeewan Rehabilitation Programme for Female Drug/alcohol users	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4 new clients came to contact through outreach programme.</li> <li>1 client completed the 3 months treatment phase at the residential programme.</li> <li>An opportunity to help district police station through counselling those who are in custody for allegation drugs.</li> <li>Chasten was able to sell in Germany the handicrafts made by clients at NJ programme.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4 clients who are at the development phase (6 months completed) need training opportunities for their future livelihood.</li> <li>All the clients at residential programme may have complete healing from God.</li> <li>May the clients in contact at outreach programme be motivated for better life and join residential programme.</li> <li>The ad from an FM radio may be heard by the target groups and they may come in contact.</li> </ol>
HIV & AIDS Awareness & Empowerment Programme	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consultations with Lamachaur Church at various levels on Church-Home-Based Care have been successful. The church is willing to run church-home based care for HIV infected and affected people with support from ACN.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The further planning process with Lamachaur Church for Church-Home-Based Care &amp; Support may proceed well.</li> <li>There may be a good coordination among the staff of different programmes. There sometimes are confusions while following the changing structure.</li> </ol>
Adult Literacy	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The visit to Nawalparasi to plan with local churches for literacy training and classes was fruitful. The churches are really taking responsibilities.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preparation for a literacy facilitators training in Nawalparasi.</li> <li>Daniel, a trainee worker in Nawalparasi may have safe traveling as he has to do it a lot.</li> <li>Preparation along with the local churches at the target areas in Kaski district for literacy classes.</li> <li>Some new converts in Nawalparasi are facing difficulties in the families for their faith.</li> </ol>
Community Development Support	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Training for Christian Teachers has been successfully over. 30 participants participated in the training. It was facilitated by Dr. Arthur and Hillary Jones.</li> <li>Toilet construction work in Nawalparasi has started.</li> <li>Gunmaya a member of a saving credit group is able to start a small poultry farm with a loan support from ACN and the group.</li> <li>A new saving credit group at a slum area in Kaski has started.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nawalparasi visit to prepare for vegetable gardening training and exploring more about local needs.</li> <li>All saving and &amp; credit groups may grow more independent.</li> <li>Planned activities for the month to achieve – resource and financial management training and other activities.</li> </ol>
Support Office (Admin & Finance)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The funding gap for the year 2011/12 is almost covered.</li> <li>SIM has started supporting ACN with human and funding support from this year.</li> <li>There was a very positive response this year from Social Welfare Council of Nepal in relation to approval of our request for outside funding.</li> <li>Consultation process of development of strategic plan for next 5 years is progressing.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>God's guidance and people's participation throughout the strategic planning process.</li> <li>Consultation process on HIV &amp; AIDS Church-Home-Based initiatives with other local churches in Kaski.</li> <li>Preparation of quarterly report.</li> <li>Upcoming EC meeting – review of policies and procedure.</li> <li>National and expatriate staff – for refreshment, good health, energy and peace in the families.</li> <li>All donors and supporters – for God's guidance and blessings on their effort and lives.</li> </ol>
Country	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Positive progresses on the peace process have been noticed.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>May the process of drafting constitution advance smoothly.</li> </ol>