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## **April Mission Trip to Central China**

In April, I made a three-week mission trip to Hubei, Anhui, and Jiangsu provinces in China. We held meetings at 14 places, ministered to over 2,700 people, and led 40 people to the Lord. We ministered mainly in the cities with several house churches still in the villages. Recently, the churches in China have experienced great changes. The Three-Self churches have become more hungry for the Holy Spirit despite being limited by the government. Ironically, the Spirit-filled house churches have become eager for other pursuits, such as governmental approval, large church building projects; modern equipments including PA system, music instruments, and computer-based projectors; theological credentials; pastoral ordination; monetary offering, etc. Some churches are influenced by a famous church in Singapore with teachings on the prosperity gospel. This causes a negative influence on the house churches since more people moving away from the countryside to the cities, where believers become more subjected under worldly things. The work of the Holy Spirit in repentance and revival is gradually reduced, especially among the younger generation.

I first took a flight to a city in Hubei and then went to a remote village near another city by bus. The coworkers started praying passionately before dawn. After preaching in the next morning, many responded in tears. When I prayed for them in the afternoon, many fell in weeping. I prayed for healings in the evening and many got healed. A paralyzed sister was able to walk and we all danced in praising God. The prayer meeting in the next morning didn't end until noon. When I taught the Bible in the afternoon, they all listened carefully and took notes. Later the Spirit of joy came and they fell in holy laughter when I prayed for them. The Holy Spirit moved mightily. We departed and I took the bus back to the city in heavy rain. The next day, we met in an apartment with coworkers from the nearby cities. After preaching, I prayed for them in groups. Many fell in tears and spoke in tongues. More joined us for the evening meeting from local churches. After preaching, I prayed for them to be filled with the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit moved strongly and people were quite loud. Lastly, coworkers were filled with great joy. I preached in their Sunday service the next morning. Later I prayed for local believers and they fell in holy laughter.

I then took a fast-train to a city in **Anhui**. In the evening, I preached at a church with coworkers from Three-Self churches. Later I prayed for them in groups and many fell in weeping. **The Holy Spirit moved mightily**. The next morning, I preached at a house church packed with coworkers. Later I prayed for them in groups and many fell in tears. A sister led the worship and **the presence of God manifested** in the afternoon. After preaching, **the anointing of God was intense**. I first prayed for the young students and then coworkers. They all fell down quietly under the anointing for a long time. Later we went to the next town and had a dinner with a house church leader. The next morning, I preached at a Three-Self church and prayed for healing of

many elderly people. More people showed up in the afternoon. After preaching, I anointed the coworkers from various churches and they fell down quietly for a long time **in the presence of God**. Then we went to the next town to pray for a church worship team. The next morning, I went to a coworker meeting in a village. After preaching, I prayed for them in groups and many fell in tears. Because **a wheelchair-bound sister got healed**, more people showed up in the afternoon, overflowing into the courtyard. After preaching, **the Spirit of joy came** and I prayed for them again to receive the anointing of joy. There were so many people so I had to minister in a faster pace before taking the bus back to the city.

The next evening, we held a meeting with coworkers from Three-Self churches. When I prayed for them after preaching, they were filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke in tongues. The revival fire has descended for this city. The next day, I went to a house church packed with people. After preaching, I prayed for them and they fell in tears. When I prayed for healing, a sister walked off her wheelchair and praised God. In the evening, I preached to the young people. When I sang a spiritual song, coworkers were filled with the Holy Spirit in holy laughter. I took a bus to another city the next morning. After preaching, I prayed for people and they fell all over the place. Later when I prayed for healing, several crippled were able to walk. In the evening, I first prayed for coworkers and they fell quietly in the presence of God.

The next morning, I went to a city in **Jiangsu**. In the afternoon, people were on their knees in prayers after I preached. Later I prayed for them, many fell in tears. In the evening, I prayed for them after preaching, many were filled with holy laughter. A **young sister was drunk in Spirit**. In the next day, I took a bus to the next city, and ministered at a church near the marketplace. Many merchants and workers attended. After preaching, I prayed for them and they fell in tears. In the evening, I also prayed for personal needs and deliverance. The next morning, I took a bus to the next city. We had to cancel the original meeting because of safety issue. We met at a factory in the evening with a packed crowd. After preaching, I gave an alter call and **many received Jesus Christ**. I then prayed for healing on the platform and people from Three-Self church were hungry for the Holy Spirit.

I returned to a major city the next day and stayed at a house church. The next evening, I ministered at their prayer meeting. Many were filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke in tongues. The next day, it was packed with many people from various churches. It took a long time to pray for all of them and many fell in tears. After preaching in the evening, I prayed for them in groups to receive the anointing. Many were healed and many received great joy. In the next morning, I also preached at their Sunday service.

## Itinerary of Pastor David Lin 林牧師行程表

May 13-15Tucson, AZ 亞利桑那州土桑市華人基督教會June 1-21MY & AU 馬來西亞, 澳洲宣教各地教會奮興特會JulyChina 中國宣教各地培訓奮興聚會AugustEurope 歐洲宣教各地教會奮興特會