COVID-19 Update

Things are going well all things considered. Before the lockdown, church was growing at a nice rate, we had baptisms planned. While this shift to digital-online ministry has had some hiccups, we see our church exposure increasing as a result. We are seeing new people who never would have come to church suddenly interested in our church and wanting to plug in. It's interesting times to say the least. I strongly believe God is using this situation to bring about revival in people's hearts during and especially on the other side of this pandemic. It is often seen that marks of a revival consists of 1) faithful preaching of God's word, 2) major crisis, 3) perseverant seeking after God, 4) spectacular visitation of God's presence, 5) resulting in a large impact of people proclaiming the gospel and lives being saved. I believe God is doing something like this through this crisis.

Overall, family is doing well adjusting to the changes in life. People in church are going through a variety of emotions, grieving, anxiety, etc. We are doing are best to care for people as best as we can during this time. Please keep this in prayer. There are some in our church who had trouble getting food. We helped those families. Some in our church are helping to feed about 8000 families right now.



Rajiv and Sarah's church members have been handing food bundles out to daily wage workers and other local families.

Please pray:

- 1. for revival in our own hearts, revival in our city
- 2. that people in church would grow in character, maturity, and trust in God
- 3. for the well-being of those who struggle to get food
- 4. for wisdom in our leadership
- 5. for strengthening in our family during this time
- 6. for stabilized finances for us as a family and our church during this difficult time
- 7. for wisdom for leadership of our country
- 8. for reduction in persecution towards Christians; some are not getting food because of their beliefs.

In Christ, Rajiv