CLPMI NAZARETH

SCHOOL UPDATE



LETTER FROM THE PASTOR



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Dear NPWM Partners,

Warm greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

First of all, we want to express our deepest gratitude for your unwavering support and partnership in the ministry over the years. The blessings we have received through your generosity and prayers have made a profound impact on our community.

We are writing to formally report on the recent closure of our school, which has long been a cornerstone of our mission and a fruit of our partnership with NPWM.



REASON FOR SCHOOL CLOSURE

During the global COVID-19 pandemic, our school experienced a significant decline in student enrollment. Families in our community faced economic hardship, and many opted for alternative forms of education or relocated. Over the past few years, we have worked hard to recover enrollment numbers; however, for this academic year, we only received three (3) student registrations.

Given the low enrollment, it has become financially unsustainable to continue operations. We are no longer able to compensate our teaching staff nor cover the ongoing operational costs of the school, such as utilities and maintenance. After prayerful consideration and extensive deliberation with our church leadership, we made the difficult decision to officially close the school earlier this year.

APOLOGY AND TRANSPARENCY

We would also like to sincerely apologize for not informing you of this decision sooner. A significant part of our congregation continues to hope and pray that one day we may recover and re-enter the field of education. Because of this hope, there was hesitation and delay in making a final decision and communicating it. However, in faithfulness and accountability to your ongoing support, we now feel it is necessary for you to be fully aware of our current situation.



CURRENT USE OF THE BUILDING



Although the school has closed, we want to assure you that the building is not left in vain. The rooms and facilities are now being used actively for children's ministry and discipleship programs. These include:

- Weekly Bible lessons for children and youth
- Arts, music, and values education activities
- Feeding programs and seasonal outreach events
- Sunday School classes and small groups for parents

These ministries have brought renewed life to the building, as we continue to fulfill our mission of raising the next generation in the knowledge and love of Christ.



MOVING FORWARD



While the closure of the school marks the end of a chapter, we believe it also signals the beginning of a new season. We are currently exploring new ways to serve our community and maximize the use of the facilities you have so graciously helped us establish.

Our heart remains the same—to share the Gospel and make disciples, especially among the children and families in our area.



We remain grateful for your partnership and hope that you will continue to journey with us as we seek to follow God's leading in this new chapter.
Thank you once again for your love, support, and prayers. May God continue to bless you richly as you serve Him.



On behalf of Christ Life Nazareth, we would like to humbly express our sincere hope that even though our school operations have officially ceased, you would permit us to continue using the facilities for the purpose of children's ministry.

The school may have closed, but the mission to reach and shape young lives for Christ remains alive in our hearts. We believe that the facilities, which have been a great blessing to our community, can continue to be used to give children hope, love, and the truth of the Gospel through regular Bible activities, discipleship, and outreach programs.

It is our prayer that you will see the value of this ongoing work and allow us to faithfully steward the space you helped establish, now in service of the next generation through ministry.

Thank you once again for your understanding, partnership, and generosity. May the Lord continue to bless and use NPWM mightily for His kingdom.
With sincere gratitude,