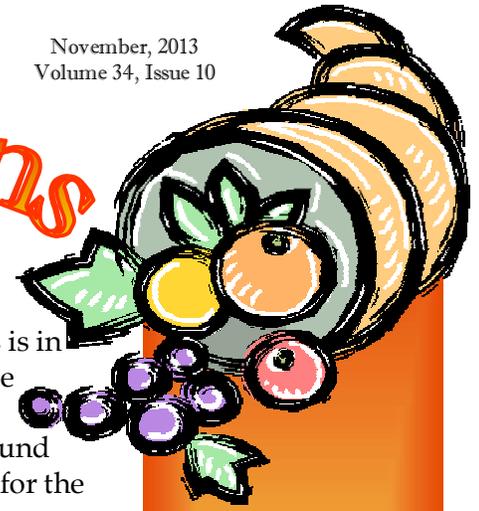


Emra Expressions

Last Month



One of the long time S.A.Y. Yes! Centers in Los Angeles is in an EV Free Church. They are reaching out to a very poor Hispanic neighborhood around Staples Center (home court for the Lakers and Clippers). Many years ago it was a major EV Free Church and as the neighborhood changed they had to choose whether they would stay in that location or move to the suburbs.

A large group chose to move and start another (daughter Church), while a smaller group chose to remain.

Now, in the suburbs there is a huge EV Free Church where thousands attend their services on a Sunday while in the inner city there is a small EV Free Church that is reaching out to thousands, but only a handful attend the Church.

The daughter Church in the suburbs now wants to have a S.A.Y. Yes! Center so they can reach out to a group of people who live in and out of a Hotel within a mile or two of their location.

The exciting part came when the Director of the S.A.Y. Yes! Center at the EV Free Church in downtown Los Angeles volunteered to come and do some of the training to help the daughter Church get going.

Praise God for the humble spirit on both sides of this relationship.

Pray for this new group and the more well established Centers as a new year is starting and new kids hear about Jesus and the life He offers them. Pray that many would respond to the message, the program and the love they find at their S.A.Y. Yes! Center.

We are in China and the youth group of our Church is putting this letter together for you! Thanks to them for the hard work they are putting into this ministry.

In His grip,

for John and Sheryl Emra

Thank You for Praying:

- for our safety as we travel through China.
- for the two wonderful Foundational Principles of Family Peace Seminars we had in October.
- for June. A Chinese lady who is living in our house for the next six months. She is a delight and an answer to your prayers for someone to watch over our house as we travel.

Please Pray for:

- the Mission leaders, Church leaders, parents and educators we are training as we travel in China. Pray they will hear the Biblical truth, and be willing to look at their culture through that truth!