



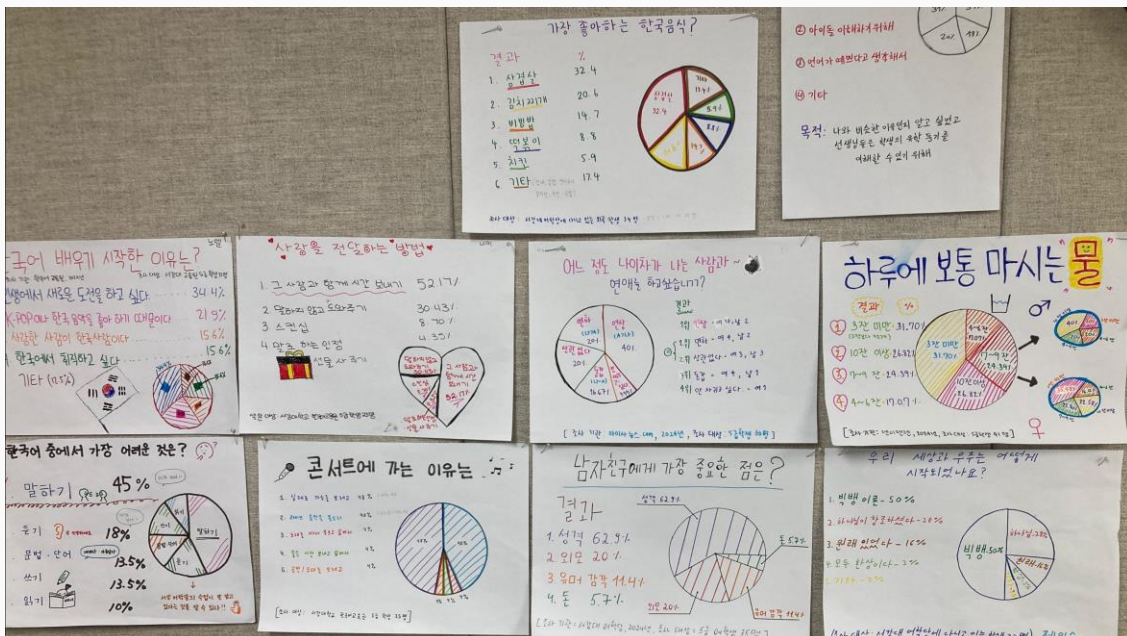
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Ministry Update from the Andersons
Serving in South Korea
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Final Semester of Language School

I am now well into my final semester of language school. I am currently taking level 5 Korean and will be taking level 6 from December to the end of February. Korean is the only language I have ever attempted to learn as a second language. Before I started the process, I had no idea how much time, study, and experience it really takes to comfortably speak in another language. There have been days where I feel as if I can communicate quite well in Korean, and then the very next day I find myself in a conversation where I have no idea what's going on. It has certainly been a humbling process but the Lord has held my hand through it all. I recently attempted street evangelism with my Father-in-law which showed me that by the grace of God it is possible for me to have gospel conversations in Korean but certainly not perfect conversations. It was frustrating not being able to communicate as clearly and precisely as I would want to, but I am thankful that I'm now able to have these conversations. Especially since sharing the gospel to Korean people in their native language is the main reason I have been learning the language.



Last week in class, we learned how to conduct a survey and how to present the data in a presentation format. I did my survey on "How did the universe and life begin?" and got the results you would expect with the majority of students saying they believe in the Big Bang theory. However when presenting my survey results to my classmates I was able to have a number of conversations with my classmates about creation and the gospel.

Update from our Team

For three weeks our team was blessed to serve students from a Christian school at our center. We called this ministry Jr. SYME. It is kind of like a 3 week camp, but more focused on intentional growth as disciples. There are classes on the Bible, Quiet Time (Family Time), English, evangelism and more. Of course there is a lot of fun as well.

One of the students, Catherine shared, "Before I came here, I heard about the gospel, but I hardly ever seriously thought about it. I couldn't really say what the gospel was or why it's important. But during this time I learned what grace is and how it can change my life. My faith grew a lot during this time. Thank you."

Jiah, another student, shared, "Before this time I knew about the gospel in my head, but didn't really believe in my heart. While I was here I learned who Jesus is, what he did, and how this connects with my life. I decided to believe who Jesus really is and what he did for me, how God forgave our sins from the past, present and future. He is not just someone else's Jesus. He is my Lord."





Please Pray



1. Pray that I would be able to finish language school well. Continue to pray that my Korean would improve at a steady rate. Pray for my motivation, discipline, and for boldness with the gospel toward my unbelieving classmates.
2. We are still searching for an apartment to move to in Songtan (South of Seoul close our ministry team). Please pray for the right home for our family. (We have to be out of our current apartment by the end of February)
3. Continue to pray for our ministry to the young adults at our church. Pray for our ongoing Bible study with them and that it would bear much fruit.
4. Pray our team and ongoing ministries this fall, including WOLBI Jeju, Jr. SYME, Bible clubs in schools, Core Training, and evangelistic events in churches.
5. Pray for our family; For Chanjoo as she serves our family, for the salvation of our children, and for me as I balance my time between study and family.

Family Update

When Lucy was Joshua's age, if we were to read a book together, she would sit there in one place for as long as you could read. Joshua, on the other hand, has a hard time to make it through even a couple pages. If he is not sleeping or eating, he is on the move. These days Lucy has taken a big interest in hospital play and making Joshua her patient. However, it's never an easy task getting Joshua to sit still for very long for a check-up!





Thank you so much for praying for us and our ministry. 🙏

The Anderson Family,
Jason, Chanjoo, Lucy, and Joshua.

Acts 20:24

But I do not account my life of any value nor as precious to myself, if only I may finish my course and the ministry that I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God.

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