

Dear Friends and Partners,



Figure 1 View from Chandragiri mountain in Kathmandu

Warm greetings to you from Kathmandu!

As I recently reflected, I realized it has already been six months since I last shared an update with you—how quickly time passes! It is such a joy to share some of the wonderful things God has been doing through the ministry during this time of so much pain around the world.

First of all, I want to sincerely thank you for your faithful prayers, compassionate hearts, and generous support. We truly could not do this work without you. May God richly bless you and provide for all your needs according to His heavenly riches. We are so grateful that God has brought you alongside us in this journey.

Our New Minibus – A Wonderful Provision

Last May, we moved our 16 girls to a new school. However, our red van only has eight seats, which made transportation very difficult and overcrowded.

My husband, Milan, had the vision to purchase a minibus that could safely transport all the girls, as well as serve for youth gatherings and women's prayer



fellowships. After much prayer and long waiting to get approval from Social Welfare Council, we have purchased a new mini bus.

We are blessed with the new minibus—what a wonderful provision! Praise God! Thanks to each one of you who were able to help in prayer or by prayerful giving!

Christmas Outreach – Sharing Joy with 500 Children

We thank God for the fruitful Christmas outreach in 2025 where we reached 500 children across three districts of Nepal.

We visited three government



schools and three Anandit churches, sharing the Gospel and distributing gifts. It was a joyful time, and the children were deeply blessed—they absolutely loved it!



Christmas program at Anandit main church

Day Care Centre – Nurturing the Next Generation

Our Day Care Centre continues to grow and serve families in our community. We currently care for over 20 toddlers, six days a week, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Through fun learning activities, nutritious meals, and the loving care of our dedicated staff, we are seeing beautiful transformation in these young lives. Many children arrive with poor health, but through consistent care and nourishment, they are growing stronger and developing in a healthy and holistic way.

This January, ten children who joined us two years ago graduated to primary school. It was a joyful milestone for both them and us. This support is especially meaningful for single parents and daily wage workers who otherwise have no safe place for their children.



Children's Home – A Safe Shelter

Kanchan came to our home at just three and a half years old after tragically losing her mother. Today, she is nearly 16 and preparing for her final school exams (SEE).

She is diligent, focused, and committed to her studies, often spending her time studying both independently and in groups. Alongside her academics, she is a gifted dancer who brings joy to many



through her talent.

Please keep Kanchan and Sarishma in your prayers as they sit for their final exams starting April 2nd.

We are also thankful that five bicycles were recently gifted to the girls by our partners—they are enjoying them so



much and have all learned to ride!

We kindly ask you to continue praying for all 17 girls, that they would grow in the knowledge of God's love and become the individuals He has created them to be.



Girls' Hostel – A Safe Place to Grow

We are currently caring for six young ladies in our hostel. The teenage years can be challenging, and we deeply value your prayers as we walk alongside them.



Martha BK and Ruth Bohora are studying science with hopes of entering the medical field. Their studies are demanding, and they need encouragement and prayer.

Anjali is growing in her faith. During a recent visit to her grandparents, she chose not to participate in traditional rituals and instead shared that she is learning about Christ. We were encouraged by her bold and personal step of faith.

Our loving care continues to provide these girls with a safe environment and hope for a better future. We are grateful for Martha and Jevan Magar, who faithfully serve as guardians in the hostel.

Education Support – Aanandit Scholarship Program

In the past six months, we have supported **141 students** in accessing education through your generosity.

Amos Sunuwar (Age 4, Nursery) is one of the children supported through this program. After his father remarried, his mother Puja fell into severe depression and faced extreme mental health challenges. By God's grace, through prayer and support from a local church, she has experienced remarkable healing and restoration.

However, the family continues to face deep financial hardship, and Amos's education is at risk. Through



Scholarship Program, we are able to stand with families like his—bringing hope, stability, and a brighter future.

In addition to financial support, we also provide school supplies, Teachers' and parents' counselling in local three government schools, and recreational programs, helping children grow in a holistic way.

Micro Business Support- Uplifting families from poverty

Over the past six months, we have provided more than **40 small business loans** across four districts in Nepal making over 1200 loans in past 15 years.

These loans are helping families start or expand small businesses, creating sustainable income and restoring dignity.

The ladies here are very good examples from recent MBS support:



Uma Khadka (Mobile tea shop)

It's been 3 months, Uma Khadka has taken loan from our Charity, for her mobile tea shop, We provide Rs 20,000 for her business. She sells tea in the street from 11 to 1, she carries two thermos flask tea and sell it every day. She earns around 1200 to 1500 per day. She is single mother and has one daughter. Her income is sufficient for her basic needs.

The joy has no price!



Pratima Bk (Tailor)

She is Pratima BK who has taken loan from our Charity for her tailor shop, she is doing great, she's even given job opportunity to other people, she also gives training to other people for empowerment.

She is earning well to support herself and her parents.

She wants to expand her business and create more jobs.

Laxmi BK has started a beauty parlour from her home after receiving training. Her business now supports both her and her husband, who previously worked as a night laborer. Their quality of life has greatly improved, and they are able to repay their loan steadily.

Youth Empowerment Program- Creating jobs within the country

We have supported 8 more young people through skill development training over the past six months.

The Eight people have received

- Ruth Nepali – Bakery Training
- Kabita Budha Magar – Bakery Training
- Sardha Sunar – College Admission for technical education
- Rija Darji – Advance beauty course
- Diwas Thapa – Hair Cutting Training
- Rebekah Kurel- Buying sewing machine and sewing training
- Anisha Dahal – Scooter Ride Class



- Saraswati Dadel – Beauty Parlor Training

**1. Loanee: Bhim Tamang from
District : Sindhupalchowk,
Loan Purpose: Mobile Shop**

Bhim Tamang received Rs.150,000 loan to support his mobile shop in Kavre, Banepa. He has been able to maintain regular business operations and cover all necessary expenses. The shop is slowly expanding its customer base, and overall performance has been positive during the first eight months of operation. He has started to pay back Rs. 2000/ per month to ACC which he hopes to increase in coming months. This young man with physical disability has got such confidence and dignity by being able to have his own income.



2. Café in Kathmandu

Sunita Gole and Suraj Thapa – Kathmandu, are newly married couple who has invested loan on Café Shop which is running so smoothly with Rs.10-12,000/ sales per day.

The couple started the café called "JOYFUL CAFÉ" in Kathmandu with the support of

Rs 6,00,000.00 through youth-empowerment business loan and partnered with another Aanandit leader. After Nine months of operation, they have been able to consistently manage their daily operating costs and maintain stable business performance. Their customer flow is gradually increasing despite the competitive market, and the café is progressing steadily toward full sustainability. Local school teachers and students are their regular customers.



Sunita and Suraj's cafe

Sarita Gurung – Kathmandu, Fancy Shop.

With Rs. 150,000 loan, Sarita Gurung has been managing her clothing store called "SAAS" fancy shop in Lalitpur, successfully with another partner Asmita Tamang. She has maintained regular operations and is able to cover her business expenses. Nine months into the business, her shop is gradually gaining customers, and the business is developing at a steady pace despite competition in



the area. Their design for wedding dresses has been popular lately at Aanandit church. They have been regularly paying back the loan in instalments. Great to see this progress in their business which is getting more attention.

Praising Points

1. Our Christmas programs were a joyous opportunity to share the gospel with hundreds of people, blessing 500 students with gifts.
2. After a long wait, we have joyfully received our new van—thank you, Lord!
3. Praise God! Our five-year budget plan has been officially approved by the Government of Nepal—Hallelujah!
4. The Aanandit Family Retreat and Sponsor Walk were a tremendous blessing to all who attended.
5. **Women of Worth** Bible studies continue to transform lives, now enriched with *Women of Worship*, translated into Nepali study written by Ruth Coghill.
6. *Shine On Maisie*, a children's storybook by Cyndi Wilkins, has been shared with 500 students, spreading joy and inspiration.

7. We praise God for His abundant provision, goodness, and answered prayers—for Nepal, its churches, and His hope for the entire world.

Prayer Points

1. **Scholarship Program:** Please pray as we seek to support two more children from extremely poor families. They are waiting for our help to continue their education.
2. **Medical Needs:** Pray for three individuals in urgent need of medical care, including Om Bahadur Balal, who suffered a stroke and is partially paralyzed. May God provide healing and provision.
3. **Final Year Exams:** Please pray for Kanchan and Sarishma from our Children's Home as they prepare for their final school exams. Pray for focus, wisdom, and confidence.
4. **Support for People with Disabilities:** Pray for our extended vision to empower people with disabilities through education, skill training, and small business opportunities. We are carefully selecting the most needy families, and need God's guidance in this process.
5. **Support for Elderly Pastors and Leaders:** Pray for three pastors and leaders who have no immediate family, are elderly, and face health challenges. Pray for provision, strength, and God's comfort in their lives.
6. **Aanandit Church's 2033 vision:** By 2033, our vision is to establish 40 churches, build a new church facility equipped with all necessary amenities and accessible for people with disabilities, send out missionaries, and support church leaders who have no stable income.

Few Photos to Highlight the great moments:



Pastor Mahindra was honoured with the Peter Hopkinson Legacy Award, given in loving memory of our beloved friend Peter Hopkinson. The award was presented by Pastor Colin Barnes from England.”



Ganga, Anjali and Ranjita received their first Christmas gift ever 😊!



Fun Moments at Children's Christmas and Women of Worth Christmas Program:





Women Of Worth Christmas Program



Aanandit Church Leader's yearly seminar 2025

Thank you so much for giving your time to read and faithfully partnering with us. We are together in all of this wonderful work of our Lord Jesus 😊!

With much love and prayers,

Shusma Adhikari

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