

Cool to Be Back in School

Perhaps there's no better way for students to end their summer vacation than for them to share what their contemporaries need most at this time.

On June 13, two days before school reopened, ten families from Forest Hills Subdivision attended NCF's worship service to see the love of God at work. They each took home a bag filled with the following school supplies: 10 notebooks, plastic and paper envelopes, scissors, adhesives, a ruler, eraser, specialty and pad paper, and a roll of plastic cover.



All went home really grateful for receiving twice as much blessing: spiritual on top of the material. The recipients were victims of Ondoy, the typhoon that submerged most of Metro Manila in floodwater on September 26 last year.

This community development effort of NCF is monthly, endowed by Brother Jared Rakes and Sister Cathy Ingham through the ministry of Pastor Roger Manao. Next month, NCF gears to distribute hardware materials (i.e., lumber, GI sheets, plywood, and the like) to these same families in the hope that they could reinforce their newly-reconstructed shanties by the river.



Indeed, the rainy season brings with it a shower of heavenly blessing to these people. This time, the saying "When it rains, it pours", takes on a new meaning...