

# The Eddie Trimble Family

## SERVING IN THE PHILIPPINES

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#### Basketball Ministry

Filipinos are well-known for their love of basketball. A court can be found everywhere—in empty lots, along highways, even on the roads themselves! Our church also has a basketball court. Because of this, we decided to begin a basketball ministry for the teens. Our Bible college graduates' churches also compete along-side our teens. After the boys play, they are taught lessons about salvation and Christian growth. It's a great opportunity to share the Gospel with these teens and to disciple them after they are saved.



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#### Benjamin Says Goodbye

The time has come once again to say goodbye to one of our children. Ah, the life of a missionary! Benjamin has gone to stay with his brothers in Oklahoma City in preparation for his future plans. We already miss him around here. He was involved in many ministries. His favorite was helping in Kid's Club!



#### RU MINISTRY

Many of you have heard of the *RU Recovery Program* that is designed to help those struggling with addictive behaviors. One of MABC's members, Bill Sutton, an American, went through the RU program years ago. He is in our Bible college at this time. The Lord has allowed him and a few other members of our church to begin an RU Program near his home, which is about 45 minutes away from our church. While Bill teaches the adults, his wife Celia and some ladies from our church have a class for the children. The kids eagerly wait every Saturday for their class to begin.



#### Children's Classes Update

What a blessing the Children's classes have been! We continue to see MUCH growth in the kids—and in those that are teaching them! The Lord recently opened up a great opportunity for us to begin teaching "Values Class" in the public schools. Every week our Bible college students and a few members of MABC are invited into classes to give the gospel to school kids. What an opportunity!



#### FURLOUGH PLANS

We will be leaving on December 17th for our six-month furlough. Our set date to return to the Philippines is June 25th. I still have open dates, so if you would like for us to come by your church, please email me at [ednbectrim@yahoo.com](mailto:ednbectrim@yahoo.com)