

## Building Dedicated for the GLORY OF GOD

Vijaypur is an industrial colony situated near Guna in Madhya Pradesh. In early 1980, outreach work had begun. A few believers sowed the seeds with prayer and fasting, resulting in people coming to the Lord. Day by day the Lord added new believers to the church and



grew in number. Soon the need raised for a place of worship and the church started praying for land and a church building.

Initially, they started to gather in a rented place but later managed to put a hut together for the worshippers. Over the years they struggled to repair and maintain the place. Moreover, they were regularly attacked by religious

fanatics. One day the extremists came to burn the place down, but God kept the congregation safe. The church had to stop gathering in that place for a few weeks as the law enforcement got involved. Despite all the sufferings, they continued to trust in God. The church knew that God was in control and believed their situation would be beneficial for the expansion of the church.



Soon God intervened in the matter letting the church to gather again. The church as a whole supplicated to God for a new place to gather.



Under the able leadership of Pastor Prem Masih, the church decided to collect money for a church building with all the believers contributing from the very minimum. With that seed money the church approached NMM to help them to build a church hall. We too kept the matter in prayer for almost a year.

And then something miraculous happened. It was proved once again that

*faith, though it is as small as a mustard seed, is able to move mountains.*

Dr. Joy Punnoose informed that you had come forward to help build two church buildings. We were overjoyed and informed the people in Vijaypur, that the Lord had provided!!

With your giving and by the grace of God, , the building is complete and was recently dedicated in record time !! In spite of persecution and a long history of oppression, they have come out resilient and victorious. Many of those who were initially unhappy with the work, were also part of the dedication ceremony. This church building is indeed a declaration of God's provision and faithfulness.

The beauty of this church is that it serves many locations in and around Vijaypur making it a mother church to four other congregations. Praise the Lord that when He starts something, He doesn't stop until it is finished!

Requesting your continued prayers,

The NMM Team

On behalf of Pastor Prem Masih and the believers