



May 3, 2010

Summer in Thailand

The hottest part of the year in Thailand is March, April, and May. Temperatures are up into the 100s nearly every day, and it's typically a slow part of the year for student ministry. Most of our students went home for the summer or have been doing internships in other provinces and cities. March and the beginning of April were particularly slow at the English Center. **BUT ...**

God sent a team to help me! A missions team came to our church on April 18th, because they knew my pastors from previous ministry in Thailand. They asked if I needed help with anything, and I said YES I do! I invited them to help with the new course starting on April 20th, thinking they could at least spend time with the eight or ten students we might have. **And then... God sent us students!**

That Tuesday, more students showed up than I ever imagined. Former students brought friends, and new groups of friends came, so we had **almost 30 students!** I was blown away by God's provision of teachers and students as well! It was also a strong reminder that

TLC English Center can't run without teachers. The fact is...



We need people to help!

By **AUGUST 1st**, TLC English Center will once again be **teacher-less**. Our current teachers and teams will return to the States, and I will be the only staff member at the English Center. **Can you be a part of the solution?** Bring a team, come as an individual, let someone know about this opportunity! You can have an eternal impact in the lives of Thai students.

Check out this website for more information, and pass it along!

<http://opportunitytoserve.wordpress.com>



We took a big group to a waterfall for our QUEST event this month ...Check my website for more updates and pics!

Praise and PRAYER	PRAISE GOD FOR - STUDENTS!!! and God's provision of people to help; continued friendships
	PLEASE PRAY FOR - TEACHERS!!! Pray that people will answer God's call to serve and love
	Thai students so they will come to Christ; students that heard about Jesus at QUEST; wisdom and strength for me as I build relationships with our students and direct the English Center.

You can contact me by... **EMAIL** lauren.becker@agmd.org **MAIL** 220/56 Mu 2; T. Chang Pueak A. Muang; Chiang Mai 50300 THAILAND
Check out my website: <http://www.laurenbecker.wordpress.com> **ACCOUNT NUMBER** 294540
TO SUPPORT ME visit my website and click "Support This Ministry" **OR** email Nancy at ndickerson@ag.org



If you would prefer to receive this newsletter electronically, please send me an email at lauren.becker@agmd.org.