

# SHE

Self Help and Empower



## **Baby Moses story;**

When we first met Moses he was 3 months old, very small due to being a premature baby and was not well at all. His family were at the point where they had to face giving Moses away because they simply couldn't afford to care for him.

Moses had a breathing problem and struggled at times with his breathing. The family is Burmese and live in a typical migrant workers camp that is owned by their employer, this environment was not beneficial to the health of Moses. Mum is 23 and Moses is her first child. Dad works in construction but work is not always available. The average wage is approx 200THB per day (£2.80) for a Burmese construction worker.



Mum was unable to breast feed Moses and needed to use formula milk to feed him but they could not afford to buy it, a weeks supply costs over 200THB. The father's employer paid Moses' last medical bill of 5000 THB (£70) and now they are indebted to the employer. Again we see a family in the grip of abject poverty with no hope for the future and with many needs. *SHE* committed to meet their needs by buying the milk formula every week together with paying for Moses to visit a local doctor when needed and Moses is now a very healthy active toddler.



We took the baby formula to the family once a week in the evening we also took along big containers containing a simple meal for the whole community. Through these visits and times of fellowship over the many months we have been able to share our faith and have seen many hear the Gospel for the first time and respond including Moses' parents. Moses was dedicated at Phuket Christian Centre



*SHE* staff also visited the community during the day time to meet the other children for creative play times as Burmese children do not attend school here in Thailand and built very strong relationships

Our times in the community are very special and we have seen and heard the many needs of Burmese people both here in Phuket and Myanmar (Burma) please lift them all up in prayer.