

## **LORMA & CSPF PARTNERSHIP:** **PAMASKONG HANDOG KAY PASTOR**

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**SAN FERNANDO, LA UNION—Lorma Medical Center’s Marketing Department, headed by Teresita Q. Klug, and the City of San Fernando Pastors’ Fellowship, lead by its chairman, Rev. Brennus Paragas, recently partnered to sponsor an event benefiting the members of the City of San Fernando Pastors’ Fellowship (CSPF).**

***“Pamaskong Handog Kay Pastor”*, was launched to give member pastors free annual physical checkup, while Lorma Medical Center gave the discount for the annual PE. The leadership team of the CSPF, with the support of benevolent donors and benefactors, raised the necessary funding to make this project successful.**

**About 26 pastors, together with their spouses and church elders, attended the launching of the *“Pamaskong Handog Kay Pastor”*, which was held at the Lorma Heliport Conference Room last December 17, 2009. During the event, the pastors and their spouses were oriented on the conduct of physical checkup and its importance. Dr. Jan Paulette Sandrino, a Family Medicine physician of Lorma, made a brief presentation of the various laboratory tests and other ancillary procedures included in the package.**

**Such a gift given to these pastors is very unique from the usual gifts given to a pastor during the holiday season. According to Rev. Brennus Paragas, the Project will give pastors a chance to become aware of their health condition. He said that it is not uncommon to hear of pastors, who fail to sustain their ministry because of sickness or deteriorating health. Thus, the result of the physical check-up will guide them whether to take necessary rest or modify their lifestyle and ministry activities. Rev. Paragas also hopes that through this Project, congregations will be more supportive and concerned of the welfare and health of their respective pastors and ministers.**

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