

MISSIONARY PRAYER & PRAISE JANUARY 2025



SHADOW MOUNTAIN
MISSIONS

Dan & Claudia Aanderud, WDO, Germany

- Prayer – For many opportunities to share the Gospel during this season.
- Prayer – For Marlene, a college student who has shown interest in the Gospel yet is hesitant.
- Prayer – For Leonora who believes but is not allowed to attend our Bible study.
- Prayer – For a high school boy, B, who was attending but stopped and is now reading his Bible and searching on his own.

Dan & Tonita Aceves, WBT, PNG

- Praise – Most of our travel details are covered for the first month or so of our trip back.
- Praise – We have a few days left praise God that we can be used and ask Him to help us finish well.
- Praise – We are all fairly healthy; pray it stays that way!
- Praise – That God is trustworthy, faithful and kind. His Word is a comfort and a guide to us as we prepare to leave and that is no small thing.
- Praise – We've received all the renewed passports and necessary traveling visas to travel to America.
- Prayer – For Dan and Tonita's teeth. It is difficult to get to a dentist right now so pray that things hold until we can get what we need.
- Prayer – For our family as we hold joy and sorrow together. Pray we parent our children well; to know when our children need correction and when they need comfort.
- Prayer – We have had a lot of extra loss, our cat died. We've also had friends leave unexpectedly and we grieve for their absence.

Dan & Debbie Bender, TMI, US

- Praise – We are so very thankful for God's wisdom and the financial gifts to help us undergo getting some major repairs done to our 7-seater ministry vehicle.

- Prayer – I began to be friends with this young man named Aman during our driving lessons. Debbie and I have shared the Scriptures many times and have prayed together. Join us in praying that he would understand the Gospel and give his heart to the Lord Jesus Christ.

Tessa Blackstad, Ethnos360, PNG

- Praise – For His continued protection of myself and Hoskins Centre.
- Praise – For bringing healing to one of my co-workers who suddenly became seriously ill.
- Praise – Almost all of the Bible translation work on computers damaged by a family's house fire in the US was able to be salvaged.
- Praise – For bringing Jan & Annette Wols back to Hoskins Centre after home assignment in the Netherlands. They look forward to being able to distribute a complete Bible (OT and NT) to the Lamogai people sometime in 2025.
- Prayer – For God's sustaining grace to fill me abundantly; that I would rest in Him.
- Prayer – For God's wisdom for a team of 3 families who are seeking direction as to where to start a church plant in Papua New Guinea.

Myles & Coryn Bloye, Ethnos360, PNG

- Prayer – For Coryn as she continues to homeschool Kieryn and assist Teaghan in school at NCA.
- Prayer – For Teaghan as she attends school at NCA and adapts to the culture.
- Prayer – For Myles as he works on language and transitioning from MAF to NTMA.
- Prayer – For the fuel shortage in PNG.
- Prayer – For missionaries working among the people of PNG.
- Prayer – For the people of PNG.

RJ & Janessa Borja, Ethnos360, Brazil

- Praise – For family time! Cousin time is the kids' favorite.
- Praise – For a surprise visit with Becky and Jared in PA!
- Praise – For time in the snow, which was a special answer to prayer for Leo!
- Praise – For future plans to spend time with family.
- Prayer – For our time spent with family to be encouraging and focused on Jesus being made known.
- Prayer – For Edy and his health concerns.
- Prayer – For God's continual provision for us and all necessary materials for our move back to Brazil.
- Prayer – For prepared hearts among the K people as we prepare to move in and begin our relationships with them.
- Prayer – For opportunities to tell others about Jesus.
- Prayer – For our kids' hearts as we return to Brazil.

Tom & Danielle Brendle, Ethnos360, Florida

- Praise – Our ministry continues to provide essential spiritual, emotional, and mental support to missionaries around the world.
- Prayer – Pray for Levi and Heidi as they adjust to Levi returning to active duty after many months of paternity leave.
- Prayer – For Jacob and Kristy as they navigate the challenges of having two young children and for continued strength and joy in their family.
- Prayer – For Luke as he starts teaching third grade and for their family as they settle into their new home near the Brendles.
- Prayer – For Josiah's continued success in his studies at Full Sail University and for his growth and discipline in his martial arts training.

Jon Breuninger, SEND, Alaska

- Praise – Thankful for the coffee shop in Kodiak and all the ministry that takes place there.

- Praise – Grateful for the fun youth group parties and the opportunity to share the gospel.
- Prayer – For each student to remain safe and have an opportunity to respond to the gospel over the break.
- Prayer – Keep praying for those still recovering from the bonfire accident a few weeks ago.
- Prayer – For many opportunities to meet new students, deepen relationships, and point them all to Jesus.

Les & Kathy Bruce, Biblical Byways, US

- Praise – We have been blessed with many wonderful and generous friends, and with delightful experiences over the course of our whole lives. God is so, so good, and you are special, too!
- Praise – I (Kathy) am in pretty good shape for the shape I'm in.
- Praise – We really want to praise God for our wonderful family allowing us to get together recently.
- Prayer – Les, on the other hand, has been struggling a bit. The problem is his kidneys are failing. He is extremely tired, weak, and cold most of the time. On December 11 a team of doctors scheduled a stent to be put into the artery that goes to the kidney, in hopes of getting more blood flow to the site.

Jim & Judy Burdett, Ethnos360, US

- Praise – Despite some challenges with our health, we are all in all thankful for the measure of health that the Lord has given us to continue in His work.
- Prayer – For us to figure out timing with to take the updated edition of the Dom New Testament to PNG and distribute them.
- Prayer – For resolution to some legal troubles our son is facing.

- Prayer – For Darren and his family in Thailand working on learning Thai. Pray also for their team as they continue to search for where to work and for unity.
- Prayer – For Heather’s health and finances.

Ruthie Burton, BMM, Brazil

- Praise – For the tremendous gift of salvation received through the Lord Jesus Christ.
- Praise – For the opportunity to serve the Lord by sharing the opportunities to teach others and encourage them to engage in this partnership with God.
- Praise – For the months I recently spent with my mother, caring for her needs and having quality time in fellowship. We also had a wonderful two weeks’ car trip to Corpus Christi, TX. We attended Mom’s great granddaughter’s wedding and enjoyed seeing many family members.
- Praise – For the wonderful trip Cláudia had to Venezuela. Many children are being reached using the Spanish edition of the children’s Bible curriculum EBEC, called EBEN.
- Praise – For the ministry opportunities we have had upon my return to Brazil.
- Prayer – For two upcoming trips in January: our return to Brazil and our trip to teach at the Cariri Baptist Seminary on the subject, “The Theory and Practice of Children’s Ministry”.

Brandon & Rachel Buser, Ethnos360, Papua New Guinea

- Praise – The final translation check of the Biem New Testament is completed! Praise the Lord!
- Praise – Successful annual Sepik Conference where missionaries gathered for encouragement and fellowship.
- Praise – Encouraging consultant trip to a tribal location, witnessing the impact of God’s Word on the local church.
- Prayer –that God would speed the final stages of the Biem New Testament work.

- Prayer – For good health, especially for Rachel, as we press towards completing the New Testament and for financial provision for the printing of the Biem New Testament.
- Praise – Each of our children are walking with the Lord and that is the greatest blessing of all!
- Prayer – For Levi and Heidi's family as they adjust to Levi returning to active duty after the first of the year.
- Prayer – For Jacob and Kristy's family as they navigate life with two little ones.
- Prayer – For many people on our support team who are facing great health, family, and financial challenges.

Brooks & Nina Buser, Radius Int., International

- Prayer – For our students who are finishing classes well at Radius International.
- Praise – The Biem New Testament translation is complete, with the final verses checked. Pray for the final stages of editing, formatting, and revision to go smoothly.
- Praise – The annual Sepik Conference provided encouragement and fellowship for the missionaries and their families.
- Prayer – For continued strength and unity among the missionaries in the Sepik Region.
- Praise – The church planted in the mountains of PNG is maturing and showing a clear understanding of salvation and the Holy Spirit.
- Prayer – For the believers as they face challenges like concerns about witches, infidelity, and the future of the church.

Odette Calleja, RGBI, Texas

- Prayer – For our walk with Christ.
- Prayer – For Ian; may God give him wisdom in his exam for his Private Pilot license.

- Prayer – For Alexa, may God give her wisdom in her studies and practices during her master's degree as an Anesthesiology assistant.
- Prayer – For Pablo, may God give him wisdom as he is beginning his master's degree in divinity.
- Prayer – For me, may God give me wisdom in my work in the financial area.

CAPS, San Diego

- Praise – For CAPS' 25 years of service, providing a place of hope and light for women and couples in need. Celebrate the impact they have made in countless lives.
- Praise – For resilience in overcoming obstacles.
- Praise – For the effective placement of CAPS' clinics around San Diego County.
- Praise – For the resources provided by supporters.
- Praise – For the increasing number of patient visits.
- Prayer – For support and guidance for those facing unplanned pregnancies.
- Prayer – For wisdom and strength for the staff.
- Prayer – For protection and favor amidst opposition.
- Prayer – For continued generosity to expand services to more women searching for support.
- Prayer – For unmarried college-aged women to find CAPS and receive needed support.

Willa Edmonds, Tecate Mission, CA

- Praise – I feel so blessed to have excellent health and a calendar full of opportunities to serve the Lord. Where would I be without Him and His daily sustaining grace?
- Praise – I am so grateful for my family!
- Prayer – For my ministry involvement that includes: teaching, listening, secretarial, leadership team, English Bible Correspondence courses, friends and family and more.

Dan & Casie Falls, Ethnos360, International

- Prayer – For our friends who are in the aftermath of losing their home, belongings, and car – while still serving in a teaching role at Ethnos Canada.
- Prayer – As we continue to pour our lives into a global training network for the purpose of cross-cultural church planting and Bible translating around the world, pray for us and the teams we are working alongside in Senegal for the next two months.
- Prayer – For many students and missionaries amid language and cultural acquisition to not grow weary in the hard work that cross-cultural ministry will require of them.
- Prayer – While constantly in motion, we do attempt to take time to rest and connect with the Lord. Pray for us as we continue to learn about our capacity, that we would be quick to see our need of the Lord and the abundant life He offers.

Jasson & Kim Farmer, UIM, Mexico

- Praise – A medical team from California provided services in remote villages. Despite restrictions on faith discussions, they connected with a local believer, leading to a time of prayer and encouragement, revealing a hidden community of faith.
- Prayer – For a positive response from the villagers as the team presents the Gospel and shows a nativity movie. Also, pray for the inclusion of their children in the ministry, like Micah, who enjoyed helping and experiencing the local culture.

Cori Gervasi, Ethnos360, US

- Praise – For the winter season and the warmth of new coats.
- Praise – For ten years of teaching at the Ethnos360 Training Center.

- Praise – Appreciation for the support and love from friends and family.
- Prayer – For wisdom and guidance in making decisions about classes and curriculum.
- Prayer – For strength and clarity in dealing with difficult situations and relying on God.
- Prayer – For guidance in finding a reliable replacement for the car and managing finances.

Jonathan & Faith Goldberg, OM, Israel

- Praise – We have had no rockets in Haifa for 3 weeks. This is a great relief, and we are thankful for the peace during this time.
- Praise – Our personal ministry continues pretty much as usual. Pastoral and teaching work with the congregation and Ebenezer medical work are ongoing and making a positive impact.
- Prayer – For our captives still held in Gaza and the soldiers fighting to release them from the grip of wicked forces.
- Prayer – For the safety of Israeli forces as they uncover Hezbollah attack tunnels in Lebanon and secure strategic sites in Syria.
- Prayer – For our eldest son Stephen who is preparing for his medical licensing exam in mid-February. Pray for his success and peace during this challenging time.

Chris & Mihi Guess, ABWE, Romania

- Praise – We've officially moved out of our home of almost 8 years and into our new temporary home! While it's significantly smaller than what we're used to, we're grateful that we can continue ministry from this space. It wasn't an easy process to find a home that would allow for a short-term rental, but God made a way.
- Praise – We also had the task of preparing Brianna for college, making sure she had everything she needed when we finally launch her next year.

- Prayer – For this season of transition and for Brianna as she steps into her next chapter as well.
- Prayer – We plan to be in this home for a total of six months before returning to the USA for our home ministry assignment.

Jeff HAuse, SAM, Bolivia

- Praise – The church association that I mainly relate to recently had their annual assembly. I was able to dialog with rural pastors and leaders and was encouraged by the conversations and plans we started working on for the next year. It looks like 2025 will involve a lot of travel!
- Praise – A new missionary family arrived on the field and their arrival and initial stages of their immigration work have gone smoothly.
- Praise – I took my annual retreat to work on my Personal Development Plan (PDP) which includes elements of both ministry and personal growth. This was once again a very special time of seeking God's will and I feel He has shown me some specific things to address in my life this year.
- Prayer – I would appreciate prayer as I enter into 2025 with some exciting opportunities and commitments already set, but with several things to put in order based on my PDP relating to both ministry and to personal growth.

Phil & Elin Henderson, Ethnos360, Mozambique/International

- Praise – For safety for us in all our travels!
- Praise – For our new little grandson coming in April!
- Praise – For the graduation of the guys from the Biblical Studies course, the group from the homiletics course, and the preschool children.
- Praise – For God's provision for Phil and I to take a break.

- Prayer – For peace in Mozambique and a resolution to the election confusion.
- Prayer – For believers to be salt and light in their communities.
- Prayer – For the Gospel to continue to spread throughout the Mwinika people group.
- Prayer – For health for Callie (thankfully she is doing well so far) and our little grandson.
- Prayer – For Elias as he finishes up this term and for guidance as he makes decisions for his future.
- Prayer – For our colleagues, Francois and Nadia, that God would bring healing to her body and that they would be able to return to their home among the Mwinika.

Aruj & Patt Jugsujinda, BMW, Thailand

- Prayer – For Patt's health issues as she receives ongoing treatment from doctors. Two months ago, she fell and injured her right shoulder. She is still experiencing severe pain. Next month, she will have an MRI scan to determine if there is any tendon injury or need for surgery. Currently, she is using pain relief gel to ease her pain.
- Prayer – For more opportunities to bring the gospel to our community.

Jon & Tammy Junker, TEAM, Japan

- Praise – Several moms and kids have trusted in Jesus through GLOW's ministry to Japanese families in the Atlanta area.
- Praise – We have a great team working together to publish this book. We are excited about this journey.
- Prayer – For "K" and other returnees struggling to maintain their faith in Japan amidst family and societal pressures.

- Prayer – That all these gatherings and activities would be used greatly by God to encourage and bless our neighbors and bring them a step closer to trusting in Him.

Lance & Jessica Kanagy, MAF, Indonesia

- Praise – A Muslim man who stayed at the MAF hospital house accepted Christ after interacting with MAF staff and pastors.
- Praise – Levi, who had been having weird stomach issues for the past year, seems to have turned a corner and hasn't had issues in over a month. This is a huge relief for the family.
- Praise – Jeremy is cleared to start flying again after nearly a month and a half of Lance being the only pilot. This news is an incredible relief for Lance.
- Prayer – For Jessica's health as she continues to struggle with vertigo. The meds she is currently on are helping to keep it manageable most days, but each day is still a struggle.
- Prayer – For continued strength and wisdom for Lance as he manages the busy schedule of ministry flights and work at the hanger.
- Prayer – For the new believer to grow in his faith and find support in his new church family.

Luke & Jaalah Kanagy, MAF, Ecuador

- Praise – Luke has finally received his final authorization to start flying in early 2025. This means he can continue with the important work we came to do.
- Praise – For our faithful ministry support team, as we are currently at 115% of our required monthly support target.
- Prayer – For our coworkers who are recovering from surgery and battling cancer.
- Prayer – For our furlough in early 2025, that it will be a time of rest and connection with their supporters.

Miriam Kanagy, TEAM, US

- Praise – We successfully finished a 16–week online module on “Facilitating Relational Learning” with eleven Brazilian ladies from all over Brazil. This online format made it easier for women with small children, physical challenges, or financial limitations to participate.
- Praise – Over the past two months, we co–hosted “Grace Groups” for the TEAM member care department. These sessions helped us grow in our understanding of grace and encouraged each other.
- Prayer – For Addy, who is attending “Project Patch” in Garden Valley, Idaho. Pray for God’s best for her in the next year.
- Prayer – For our upcoming training modules in the Spring and Fall. We plan to offer the second and third modules as a hybrid (half online and half in person) and the second module virtually in the Fall. Pray for the certification of Brazilian women to join our team as trainers.

Richard & Karen Lee, IMB, Tanzania

- Praise – For God’s protection over us as we traveled throughout last month.
- Praise – For women in Jinja and Kampala who learned Cake to Christ in just 2 and a half days!
- Praise – For the cake class Karen go to teach for some of our B 4 Ashes ladies. Angel who has been off the street for a year has already been selling juice and says she is ready to sell the spice cakes she learned to make.
- Praise – Richard baptized 3 new believers!
- Praise – For the positive feedback given to a pastor about our feeding project from Muslim leaders in the area. They did not even know this pastor was connected to us.
- Prayer – For M who is struggling in her Christian walk. Pray that God would draw her back to Himself.

- Prayer – For J who was scheduled to be baptized but had to postpone. Pray that she will really believe and have confidence in who she is in Christ.
- Prayer – For our adult kids, Christian and Rebecca.

Elmer & Elisangela Lessa, Amazon Vida, Brazil

- Praise – The Lord is significantly blessing our ministry in all areas we serve, especially in the Upper Amazon Region of Brazil.
- Praise – Lives are being transformed as the lost are evangelized, believers disciplined, churches planted, and leaders trained.
- Prayer – For our expanding work among new tribes and people groups in new areas of the Amazon.
- Prayer – For the resources to go where God is opening doors.
- Prayer – For our church plants to grow spiritually and physically across the jungle.

Bobby & Tiffany Mead, FCA, US

- Praise – River Kaleo Mead was born on December 7th! We are enjoying bonding with him and appreciate all the love and support we've received.
- Praise – The Grossmont College baseball huddle finished off strong in November. Bobby is looking forward to resuming Bible study and attending more games in this upcoming season.
- Prayer – For our fundraising needs to be met so that we can continue to do the work of the ministry.
- Prayer – For all our ministry opportunities across the San Diego area and the people that we are able to disciple through FCA.
- Prayer – For our family as we navigate life as a family with all the changes that having a newborn brings.

Bill & Tammy McKeever, MRM, US

- Prayer – For Discernment: Ask God to grant wisdom and discernment to understand His truth and recognize false teachings.
- Prayer – For Salvation: Pray for those who are seeking salvation to find it through faith in Jesus Christ alone.
- Prayer – For Boldness: Request courage and boldness to share the gospel truthfully and lovingly with others, especially those from different faith backgrounds.

David & Jena Mough, Ethnos360, Missionary Training Center, US

- Praise – Ministry Fair 2024: Students able to connect with our representatives coming from all over the world to share God’s work going on in their corner of the world and inviting them into it.
- Praise – 2024 Global Dinner: Sharing fellowship and food from all over the world with university students considering missions as their next step.
- Praise – Equip Conference: This conference was held to bring unity, fellowship, worship & renewed focus to our stateside staff and students; being reminded of our collective efforts and shared purposes of reaching the unreached. What a success!
- Praise – Visiting Missionary from the Philippines Soon to Join Staff: Inviting students to our home for a Filipino meal and a chance to hear perspectives and personal stories on church planting in the PIs.
- Prayer – We have a critical need for additional childcare staff. Pray that God would provide the right person/s for this position.

Nomad & Fanty Nelman, Ethnos360, Indonesia

- Prayer – For the opportunity to take a week off for rest and renewal, ideally with a getaway.

- Prayer – As Program Manager, please pray for wisdom, discernment, and sensitivity in relationships and decision-making.
- Prayer – To navigate difficult situations with empathy and understanding, seeking God's guidance.
- Prayer – For the final document needed from the Indonesian Ministry of Trade to proceed with the export of the helicopter container from the U.S.
- Prayer – For us as we navigate finances for purchasing permanent church property.
- Prayer – This year we have several financial needs coming up, including Fanty's travel expenses, Madison's school tuition, and Marion's U.S. student visa application and travel. Pray for God's provision and guidance as we plan for these upcoming expenses.
- Prayer – For Phillip as he continues to face speech delays. As parents, pray for us to have the wisdom needed to navigate this developmental stage with grace and provide him with the help, encouragement, and love he needs to thrive.

Chuck & Helen Price, WIXIM, US

- Prayer – For the men and women that I encounter in ministry to be encouraged.
- Prayer – For the many officers I have met recently who have been given Bibles or downloaded Bible study apps.

Steffan & Julie Pyle, Ethnos360, Papua New Guinea

- Praise – For 6 safe years of service with Moody Aviation. In the span of those six years, I flew 2,483 hours with around 50 students and taught over 900 hours of ground school.
- Praise – For 27 years of marriage this coming January!
- Prayer – For our kids as we depart for Papua New Guinea. Pray for Ethan to find an apartment, for Abby and Clayton as they depart for Africa to serve with African Inland

Mission for 6 months, and for Isaac and Lydia as he looks to the Lord for long-term employment in the future.

- Prayer – For us as we trust the Lord with the financial needs we have transitioning to Papua New Guinea.
- Prayer – For Zachary and Melia as they continue to train at Moody Aviation. Zachary is about halfway through his maintenance training before he starts into flight.
- Prayer – For us to end well at Moody Aviation. It is hard to uproot and change ministries, leave family and friends, and start all over.

Dave & Linda Ringenberg, MAF, Indonesia

- Praise – For the ability to be with family for Linda’s dad’s memorial service.
- Praise – For opening two more airstrips for MAF service in Papua.
- Prayer – For the safety and effectiveness for our flight program here in Papua.
- Prayer – For the 14 seniors in Ryan’s class as they prepare to graduate and leave Papua in May.

Sonshine Haven, El Cajon

- Praise – After teaching the Christmas lesson from Luke 2 (costumes required!), we turned the lights down and listened to “Mary Did you Know” by Danny Gokey, and it was very powerful!

Dan & Kathie Stowell, Brazil for Christ, Brazil

- Prayer – For Oliver’s safety and schooling in Hungary.
- Prayer – For Sophia’s spiritual growth.
- Prayer – For Dan’s upcoming extensive dental work.

Tyler & Lysiena Tartaglia, OAC, Albania

- Praise – For the reopening of our church’s Mercy Center for underprivileged kids. For financial reasons, this

ministry was closed a few months this year, so a group of us from the church combined finances to reopen it.

- Prayer – For us to continue building strong disciples here in Albania, helping each student to grow in faith and connecting them to the local church community.
- Prayer – For our students at NEXT to continue growing in their understanding and of the fruit of the Spirit.
- Prayer – For new students to feel welcome and experience the love of Christ through the NEXT ministry.
- Prayer – For the men who recently attended Legacy Hill retreat to grow and bear fruit.
- Prayer – For wisdom and strength as we continue investing in raising up godly leaders among the next generation.
- Prayer – For the resources and partnerships needed to sustain and expand the ministry at Legacy Hill.
- Prayer – For the women in Lysi’s Bible study as they serve the God, their families, and the church.

Dan & Na Tisdale, GRN, Thailand

- Praise – For the new Executive Director of GRN USA, Bryan Wilson. We anticipate many new and exciting developments for our organization soon.
- Praise – WWP—We have two amazing ladies editing the two books that Na has finished. Na is now writing the first draft of Book #26, Jesus the Humble King. This is the exciting part where the lessons move toward the cross and the work of His salvation.
- Praise –Daniel has landed a fantastic job at Esri as a software development engineer. We are incredibly grateful to God and excited for this new chapter in his life.
- Prayer – That the joy of the Lord will be the source of our strength. We will be soaked in the deep love of God and that each day our lives would reflect His love and joy.
- Prayer – For our unsolved problem of the local artists for WWP: Last year, we had to let go of our two artists and hire two new ones. Unfortunately, it seems that the new

artists can't complete tasks within the agreed time frame.
pray for wisdom and guidance as we navigate this.

- Prayer – For Dan working on rebuilding and updating the Thai: Good News app. He is also reaching out to Google regarding the company revoking the app from their store. Fortunately, it is still available on the Apple App Store.

Myles & Patty Toews, OMI, International

- Praise – For the progress toward funding even more scholarships for crewmembers! Thank you for your generosity.
- Praise – For generous friends like YOU. We are so grateful for your incredibly generous heart!
- Prayer – For our new crew needed in 2025!
- Prayer – For our 2025 port visits and visitors. Pray for open doors and open hearts.

Richard & Sandra van Dillen, Charistar, Holland

- Praise – Krishna thinks that her husband, Ahmed, would be interested in watching a tv series about Jesus in Urdu!
- Prayer – For our Gezellig Gemeenschap Gemeente (GGG) to grow and multiply.
- Prayer – For the salvation of our Muslim friends whom we met in our doggie park.
- Prayer – That Shukran would be able to see a doctor and be healed from panic attacks.
- Prayer – We have a Hindu convert who has cancer in her left eye. Pray that the Lord would heal her.
- Prayer – That all five of our grandchildren will grow up knowing, loving, and serving Jesus. Pray also that they would speak learn to speak Dutch.
- Prayer – For our relationship with one of our adult kids and their new spouse.
- Prayer – For Patrice Danielle's second portfolio dealing with her students at the elementary school she works at.

- Prayer – For one of our children to return to Christ and for the salvation of his Bulgarian Muslim girlfriend.

Aaron & Elise Varela, UIM, Candidates to Mexico

- Praise – For Aaron’s progress with airstrip checkouts, including completing some in Tepic, Nayarit.
- Praise – For Aaron’s successful flights for medical outreaches in Nayarit and the mountains of Chihuahua.
- Praise – For God’s help with legal processes, including Aaron’s temporary residence card, Elise’s driver’s license, and dual citizenship for our kids.
- Prayer – For Elise’s increased involvement at the mission school, teaching elementary art and a mixed media class.
- Prayer – For Aaron’s new role as Aviation Safety Officer in the aviation department.
- Prayer – For safe travels and fruitful connections during our summer assignment in California.

Emiliano & Vanesa Vitti, Word of Life, Ecuador

- Praise – This year, God opened doors for us to share the gospel with over 8,700 young people through camps, church programs, and outreach events. Out of this group, more than 900 made the life-changing decision to receive Christ as their Savior.
- Praise – Our Intensive Discipleship Center welcomed 28 students this year, many of whom decided to follow Christ during camp. These young people are being equipped to grow in their faith and take the gospel to others.
- Praise – For the ways God has blessed our family this year. Nicolas and Abigail are growing in their faith and excelling in school and sports. Nico is about to finish his primary education, and Abi just turned 10 years old.
- Prayer – For our team’s dream of placing missionaries in every region of Ecuador continues to take shape, and to achieve this, we are praying for more missionaries.

- Prayer – That we can reach the families of Nicolas and Abigail’s friends with the gospel.

Alan & Sandy White, ROCK International, US

- Praise – Trans World Radio seems to be interested in translating the *King of Glory (KoG)* movie script into modern Greek and audio recording it so ROCK can dub it into the movie.
- Praise – For the Gospel going out around the world through our Turkish friends in Turkey and through ROCKids and ROCK Resources.
- Prayer – For wisdom in preliminary steps for the modern Greek *KoG* project before translation begins.
- Prayer – Italian *KoG* has been translated and needs to be audio recorded. Pray for God’s provision of a good reader for this.
- Prayer – For our Hebrew, Arabic, Ukrainian, and Russian versions of *King of Glory* to help those living in areas of war with the hope of eternal life in Jesus.
- Prayer – For funding for us to make another trip to Turkey in the next year or two.

Bob & Dawn Wilson, PGO, International

- Praise – For the blessing of Dawn’s improved health. Doctors told us recently that she is in remission after five and a half years of persevering through treatments.
- Prayer – For Haroldo Arreaga, who has helped lead our teacher conferences and discipleship training since 2005, as he retires. Pray for his continued impact and blessings in his new chapter of life.
- Prayer – For the interpreters who have worked with us over the years. Many are still involved in the teachers’ movement, and others are working in various Christian ministries. Pray for God’s continued work in their lives and their ministries.

Aylwin & Abeni Woleng, CURE, India

- Prayer – Our kids are doing well in their school, except for their struggle with the Hindi language. Both read and write but do not speak because they don't understand much.
- Prayer – Lord willing, we are looking forward to moving to our new God-given home soon.

Bret & Christy Zimmerman, SEND North, Alaska

- Praise – Six young adults in the Tanalian Leadership Center are growing in their love and knowledge of the Lord. They have enjoyed many activities together, such as bonfires, a winter baptism, and wacky Christmas games.
- Praise – Our SEND North team in Southwest Alaska is growing! We hosted a time of sharing, praying, and planning in Port Alsworth, and had two new teammates join us.
- Praise – Our trip to Scotland was special. We enjoyed the history and breathtaking nature while hiking. Disconnected from the noise of our lives, we focused on our Lord and each other. God used this trip to grow our love and communication. We are profoundly grateful.
- Prayer – That God would bring more workers to the North. There are many hurting communities asking for those who love Jesus to come and help.

Restricted

Jay & Nikki

- Prayer – For us to remain healthy so that we may have longevity of service.
- Prayer – For us to love each other well and to maintain healthy sustainable rhythms between engagement ministry, medical coordinator ministry, and family time.
- Prayer – For our daughters K at university in the US, and L in high school here in Nairobi with us. Pray that we parent

them well, that Jesus would draw them to Himself, and that He would sustain them both in their academic loads.

- Prayer – For L as she begins to make plans for college. Pray that Father would reveal His will and plans for her life.
- Prayer – That we have wisdom and discernment as we plan next year's ministry activities. Many doors have been opened to us for ministry, far too many to walk through. Pray that we hear and see the Lord's leading in the people, locations, and work that He wants us to be involved in with future ministry.
- Prayer – For the Holy Spirit to guide everything we think, say, and do. That we honor God and point to Him in all things. He must become greater; we must become less.

Tezcan

- Praise – That He continues to use me in peoples' lives.
- Prayer – For “Is” to humble himself before the Lord.
- Prayer – For the Lord to open the hearts of the people I am sharing the Gospel with.

Fernando & Monse

- Prayer – For Family: Fer, Leslie, and baby Fer to have open doors. For Alex studying. For Daniel and Josue's service and studies.
- Prayer – For Fruit: The brothers in North Africa and Europe. For translation of the AT, for lessons of Basic Theology in Arabic, and for Spring Living Waters. Pray a lot for Natalia, Montse, and David.
- Prayer – For our monthly expenses.
- Prayer – For Strength: protection, safety, and health.

Tyler & Heidi

- Praise – The whole family has been fairly healthy, the boys have had a great first semester, and we are all settled into our new apartment. Thanking God for all these things!

- Prayer – That would look to the Father in everything in the year ahead and do the things He is asking us to do.
- Prayer – For two families that the Father has brought into our lives. May the Father give us boldness and wisdom in our interactions with them.
- Prayer – For the young believers in our circle, for growth and deepening roots for them.

Bethany

- Praise – For ongoing partnership with Esther and Amy.
- Prayer – For unity among workers, local fellowships, and N. African believers.
- Prayer – For wisdom in daily life; that we would depend on Him each moment.
- Prayer – For various Christmas outreaches – in MF, Diez42, TM.
- Prayer – For growth in numbers and more importantly maturity in the body of Christ in North Africa and among North Africans in Spain.

Tony & May

- Praise – Franklin Graham was able to share the Gospel with over 14,000 people in Vientiane, Laos.
- Praise – Tony had the opportunity to speak at a local missions conference in Colorado, encouraging and training new workers to serve among unreached people groups.
- Prayer – For Pastor See's widow, Mrs. M, and the Baw church as they dedicate new shops opened by her son and daughter. Pray that these businesses will provide income for their family and be a blessing to their neighbors.
- Prayer – That we continue to live as a family on mission wherever we are in the world. Pray that Tirzah, Taliah, and Zion would continue to make friendships and be a light for the Gospel. Pray for wisdom as we seek to make disciples and catalyze new churches in Asia and the USA.

- Prayer – For Tony and the team of mobilizers as they train new workers and serve local churches.
- Prayer – Pray for the upcoming events in Thailand and Laos: Training OMF Missionaries in Chiang Mai (Jan 19–25), Training Northern Lao Leaders in Chiang Khong (Jan 26–30), and Coaching the Lao Team in Vientiane (Jan 31–Feb 4).

Denis & Diane

- Praise – For the successful translation and dubbing of The Chosen into Urdu.
- Praise – For adding a live Pashtu show to the channel.
- Praise – For growth of the virtual church its new pastor from seminary.
- Prayer – For continued reach and impact of the Gospel in Pakistan.
- Prayer – For airing Season Two in 2025.
- Prayer – For effective outreach to the Pashtu-speaking community.
- Prayer – For strength = for believers facing persecution.
- Prayer – For new believers to find courage to follow Jesus closely and tell others how He has changed their lives.
- Prayer – That the seeds of the Gospel take root as we make Urdu programming available to reach Pakistani Muslims with the gospel.

Mission Organization Names and Initials

ABC—African Bible Colleges, Inc.

ABWE—Association of Baptists for World Evangelism

AWANA Clubs International

BMM—Baptist Mid-Missions

BMW—Biblical Ministries Worldwide

BWMOM—Baptist World Missionary Outreach Ministries, Inc

Biblical Byways

CAPS—College Area Pregnancy Services

CEF—Child Evangelism Fellowship

CHRISTAR

Converge

Crossworld

CURE—Community Upliftment Reformation and Empowerment

Ethnos360— (was New Tribes Mission)

FCA—Fellowship of Christian Athletes

GRN—Global Recordings Network

IMB—International Mission Board

Iranian Christian Church of San Diego

JETS—Jordan Evangelical Theological Seminary

MAF—Mission Aviation Fellowship

MCM—Missionary Companion Ministries

Mesa Global

MRM—Mormonism Research Ministry

NAMB—North American Mission Board

OAC—Open Air Campaigners

Oaks, International

OC International—One Challenge International

OM—Operation Mobilization

PGO—Pacesetter Global Outreach

PSS—Pastoral Support Service

Pioneers International

PCC—Pregnancy Care Clinic

Radius International

RGBI—Rio Grande Bible Institute

ROCK International—Relief, Opportunity & Care for Kids

SAM—South America Mission

SDSBA—San Diego Southern Baptist Association

SEND International

SEND North

SMCC Missions—Shadow Mountain Community Church

Sonshine Haven

TEAM—The Evangelical Alliance Mission

Tecate Mission International

TBM—Tentmakers Bible Mission

Vianova

White Fields

WIXIM Ministries, Inc.

WOL—Word of Life

WDO—World Discipleship Outreach

WBT—Wycliffe Bible Translators