# MISSIONARY PRAYER & PRAISE JULY 2025



### ☐ Dan & Claudia Aanderud, WDO, Germany

- Praise We praise God for the encouragement we receive through the prayers and generous support of those who partner with our ministry in Hamburg.
- Praise Please praise the Lord for the outdoor baptism where David publicly declared his faith and invited both Christian and non-Christian friends.
- Prayer Pray that David will boldly influence his friends for the Gospel and be a light among them.
- Prayer We ask for prayer that B and J, who expressed interest in Jesus, will open their hearts and come to faith.

#### ☐ Henry & Lorna Amarila, Cruise Ship Ministry, US

They ministered to crew members from Disney Wonder, Holland America Zaandam, and Carnival Panorama, leading three to Christ this month and continuing to assist and pray for many others.

- Praise Thank God for the three crew members who prayed to receive Christ this month.
- Praise Thank God for opportunities to provide transportation, prayer, and gospel conversations with crew members.
- Prayer Please pray for the spiritual growth of Ligaya,
   Teddy, and Ronnie as new believers.
- Prayer Please pray for Ronnie and Janelle to be blessed with a baby and for healing for Roland Guiang's wife and children.

#### ☐ Tessa Blackstad, Ethnos360, PNG

Tessa has returned to the U.S. for a short home assignment, taking intensive coursework in learning disabilities while reconnecting with family and preparing for her return to PNG.

 Praise – Praise God for safe travels from PNG to Seattle and His faithfulness in arranging medical, dental, and logistical needs.

- Praise Thank the Lord for rich fellowship with friends, family, and co-workers during this season of rest and preparation.
- Prayer Pray for health, energy, and spiritual refreshment amid her full schedule and coursework.
- Prayer Ask God for safe travel to San Diego and back to PNG, and for lasting fruit from her upcoming work with struggling students.

#### ☐ Myles & Coryn Bloye, Ethnos360, PNG

Have been adjusting to life at Lapilo, learning Tok Pisin, and preparing for NTMA training while supporting their daughters' school transitions.

- Praise We praise God for the friendships and flight experience Myles gained through MAF.
- Praise Please praise God for Teaghan's brave adjustment to a new school and culture.
- Prayer Pray that we complete language training by July and transition well into NTMA.
- Prayer Please pray for Kieryn to make friends and feel at home in Grade 1.

#### ☐ RJ & Janessa Borja, Ethnos360, Brazil

Hosted two encouraging work teams and recovered from illness; now preparing for a long jungle stay with the K-people.

- Praise We praise God for healing after a frightening illness and for protection during evacuation.
- Praise Thank God for work teams who served with such love and encouragement.
- Prayer Please pray for deep, trusting relationships with the K-people.
- Prayer Pray for unity and wisdom as we enter full-time language and ministry work.

#### ☐ Dora Breuninger, Sonshine Haven, El Cajon

Has been preparing for two youth camps and urgently needs godly male counselors to step up and serve.

- Praise I praise God for the return of camp ministry and excited young hearts.
- Praise Please thank God for faithful staff who've already committed to serve.
- Prayer Pray for godly men to fill the remaining counselor roles in time.
- Prayer I ask for prayer that those called to serve would step forward soon.

#### ☐ Craig & Julie Breuninger, OC, Int., US

Craig recently traveled to Albania for leadership discussions and encouragement, while this summer they will support missionary care in Colorado, host a Japanese student, and visit San Diego to meet Albanian friends.

- Praise Thank God for Craig's fruitful trip to Albania where leaders were encouraged and challenged.
- Praise Thank God for the opportunity to host a Japanese student, reconnecting with a family they hosted over 40 years ago.
- Prayer Please pray for wisdom and grace as they care for missionaries in Colorado Springs this July.
- Prayer Please pray for God to work in the heart of the Japanese student and their grandchildren during the visit.

#### ☐ Jon Breuninger, SEND, Alaska

Camp Woody is preparing for a summer of gospel ministry with traveling students, staff, and speakers gathering in Kodiak, Alaska.

- Praise Praise God for providing speakers and resources even amid rising camp costs.
- Praise Thank God for the staff and volunteers arriving from around the country to serve youth.
- Prayer Pray for student hearts to be ready for lifechanging decisions to follow Jesus this summer.

 Prayer – Please pray for travel safety by air and water, and for counselor health throughout the season.

### ☐ Les & Kathy Bruce, Biblical Byways, US

Now focused on prayer and writing, the Bruces continue to serve from home while maintaining deep ties to former ministries and missionaries.

- Praise Thank God for Les's improved health and strength following a grim prognosis.
- Praise Praise God for the opportunity to support missionaries through prayer and for the joy of seeing their family walk with the Lord.
- Prayer Pray for the completion of Les's writing on the origin of language and for Kathy's recovery from knee surgery.
- Prayer Please pray for the youth of the Alamblak tribe to grow strong in their faith and leadership.

#### ☐ Ben & Kristiana Buckman, PSS, Brazil

- Praise Please praise the Lord for the spiritual interest shown by students at the University of Turin and the meaningful Gospel conversations we had.
- Praise We praise God for continued opportunities to support local churches and mission-minded pastors across Italy.
- Prayer Pray that the seeds planted during university outreach will take root and that students will remain open to the Gospel.
- Prayer We ask for prayer that God would bring more committed workers to join in ministry across Italy.

#### ☐ Ruthie Burton, BMM, Brazil

Ruthie and her coworker traveled across Brazil and into Bolivia to lead children's ministry training seminars, while EBEN and EBEC curriculum is set to launch in multiple locations this August.

- Praise Praise God for open doors to train churches in Brazil and Bolivia in children's ministry using EBEN and EBEC materials.
- Praise Thank the Lord that Ruthie's 98-year-old mother has returned home and is recovering well after a hospital stay.
- Prayer Please pray for safe delivery of Spanish EBEN books and for fruitful ministry in the church, orphanage, and schools in Bolivia.
- Prayer Ask God to refresh Ruthie as she cares for her mother and to bless the upcoming ministry efforts upon her return to Brazil.

# ☐ Brandon & Rachel Buser, Ethnos360, Papua New Guinea The Biem people joyfully received the New Testament in their own language, with Gospel clarity, cultural celebration, and a renewed churchwide commitment to discipleship and outreach.

- Praise Praise God for safe travels, good weather, and the powerful dedication event on Biem Island.
- Praise Thank the Lord for Biem believers' hunger for the Word and eagerness to share it with others.
- Prayer Pray that the Biem Church will remain strong, rooted in grace, and actively disciple other islands.
- Prayer Ask for smooth transitions as the Buser family and team return from PNG to their home countries.

#### ☐ Brooks & Nina Buser, Radius Int., International

Radius celebrated its 13th graduating class and hosted its first Missionary Go Conference, while alumni reflect on challenges and growth in their first six months on the field.

- Praise Thank God for the successful Radius Go
   Conference and the faithful training of new missionary cohorts.
- Praise Praise the Lord for personal growth among new workers facing cross-cultural challenges.

- Prayer Pray for the incoming Radius class and for the SOS teams serving on campus this summer.
- Prayer Ask God to refresh and strengthen Radius staff during this summer season.

#### ☐ CAPS, San Diego

The CAPS team shared targeted prayer requests for various missionaries and unreached people groups, reflecting ongoing spiritual and logistical needs around the world.

- Praise Thank God for the consistent engagement of prayer partners standing in the gap for missions and the unreached.
- Praise Thank the Lord for the faithfulness of workers who continue to labor in difficult and resistant places.
- Prayer Please pray for open doors and protection for workers serving in restricted-access regions.
- Prayer Pray that the gospel will reach hearts in places where there is opposition and spiritual darkness.

# ☐ Brian & Julie Coombs, Ethnos360, US

Celebrated 27 graduating missionaries and are now preparing for travel, dental expenses, and welcoming new incoming students.

- Praise We praise God for sending out 27 new graduates into the mission field.
- Praise Please thank God for the chance to shape future church planters for the unreached.
- Prayer Pray for Julie's dental procedures and provision for unexpected costs.
- Prayer We ask for safety and strength as we travel and prepare for next term.

# ☐ Garran & Hannah Dick, Ethnos360, US

Continued mentoring students, homeschooling, and building financial partnerships while navigating U.S.-based ministry responsibilities.

- Praise We praise God for student ministry connections and growing relationships at church.
- Praise Thank God for meaningful mentoring opportunities for both Garran and Hannah.
- Prayer Pray for wisdom and courage as we rebuild our support team.
- Prayer Please pray that we remain refreshed and rooted in Christ as we serve.

#### ☐ Willa Edmonds, Tecate Mission, CA

Traveled to Oaxaca for a 50th anniversary celebration of a school she co-founded and continues serving in various ministry roles at TMI.

- Praise Thank God for the opportunity to return to Oaxaca and celebrate the school's 50th anniversary with former students and friends.
- Praise Give thanks for the strength and grace to continue ministry at 84, including administrative and teaching responsibilities.
- Prayer Pray for ongoing energy and health to fulfill daily responsibilities in ministry and life.
- Prayer Ask God to use every encounter to point people toward Christ effectively and joyfully.

#### ☐ Dan & Casie Falls, Ethnos360, International

They have traveled to Wisconsin, Germany, San Diego, and Canada this spring for training sessions, curriculum development, leadership meetings, and workshops.

- Praise Thank God for the completion of Spanish and Bahasa training curriculum guides to equip churches in Eastern Europe.
- Praise Praise the Lord for the hospitality and rest they received from Shadow Mountain Community Church and the Johnstons in San Diego.

- Prayer Please pray for energy and endurance as they continue heavy travel, including Dan's meetings in Senegal this week.
- Prayer Pray for wisdom and fruitful collaboration during their Colombia trip in July with local and regional trainers.

#### ☐ Simon & Annika Flanagan, Ethnos360, PNG

As ministry continues with trips to Lele and national conferences, the family is navigating a critical overseas medical trip to the U.S. for their daughter Nya's urgent hip treatment.

- Praise Thank God for providing a specialist and a swift appointment for Nya's hip injury evaluation in the U.S.
- Praise Praise the Lord for supportive partners and open doors enabling this urgent medical journey to take place.
- Prayer Please pray for a speedy and accurate diagnosis, timely surgery, and full healing for Nya.
- Prayer Ask God for provision, family unity during this separation, and timely return to PNG so the children can begin school on August 5.

### ☐ Bryan & Renee Gibbs, Oaks International, Japan

They have begun full-time Spanish language school in Mexico and are adjusting to their new routines, schedules, and cultural surroundings.

- Praise Thank God for a smooth start to their language school and the helpful teachers and classmates they've met.
- Praise They are grateful for good health and steady progress in their studies despite the intensity of the program.
- Prayer Please pray that they would retain what they are learning and build confidence in speaking Spanish.
- Prayer Ask God to help their family stay unified and joyful through the pressures of this new season.

#### ☐ Jesus & Maria Gonzalez, Avant Ministries, Spain

They are currently in transition, seeking God's direction for a new place of ministry and community to serve.

- Praise Thank God for His faithfulness and provision during this season of change.
- Praise They are thankful for open doors and the encouragement received from others in ministry.
- Prayer Please pray that God would clearly guide them to the right place to serve next.
- Prayer Ask God to provide peace and patience as they wait on His perfect timing.

#### ☐ Chris & Mihi Guess, ABWE, Romania

The Guess family continues gospel outreach in Europe while caring for their family's physical and spiritual well-being during a full ministry season.

- Praise Praise God for Abby's significant healing and for spiritual fruit seen in partner churches.
- Praise Thank the Lord for meaningful conversations with unbelievers and ongoing encouragement from supporters.
- Prayer Pray for healing for Pastor Felix and comfort for his wife Oana during her cancer battle.
- Prayer Ask God to bless the Guess children at camp and guide future ministry conversations across Europe.

#### ☐ Jeff HAuse, SAM, Bolivia

Jeff concluded his first CIET semester of 2025 and advanced the ReFocus revitalization process across multiple churches and regions in Bolivia.

- Praise Thank God for the successful completion of the Panorama of the Bible class as part of the first hybrid CIET course in Puerto Suárez.
- Praise Thank the Lord for new interest and continued momentum in church revitalization efforts through the ReFocus process.

- Prayer Please pray for fruitful planning meetings with the church association and seminary in La Paz Department for the rest of the year.
- Prayer Pray for wisdom as Jeff coordinates teaching, revitalization work, and speaking commitments, alongside his own master's studies.
- Prayer Pray for stability and peace in Bolivia amid national unrest and the upcoming elections in August.

□ Phil & Elin Henderson, Ethnos360, Mozambique/International After a visa delay, the team is back in Mozambique for a full ministry season, focused on translation, discipleship, and literacy work while continuing to build their home and support family transitions abroad.

- Praise Thank God for the miraculous visa approval, safe travels, and fruitful connections during their time in Papua New Guinea.
- Praise Praise God for ongoing Gospel impact among the Mwinika people and the recent graduation of their son-inlaw from academy.
- Prayer Pray for strength and humility as they balance major projects with a heart of discipleship, avoiding the traps of pride and busyness.
- Prayer Ask God for house completion, safe bush travel, and divine guidance in discipling future leaders and Bible teachers.

# ☐ Miriam Kanagy, TEAM, US

Miriam co-led a training module in Brazil and facilitated online workshops on soul-care while also engaging in member care and local ministry.

- Praise Praise God for the transformational impact of the Brazil training and the participants' spiritual growth.
- Praise Thank God for meaningful family time during her nephew's wedding and church involvement back in Idaho.
- Prayer Pray for ongoing strength and wisdom in her role supporting global workers and leading trainings.

 Prayer – Pray for continued financial provision, as she seeks to meet a \$500/month support need.

### ☐ Dan & Sharon Leatherwood, TBM, Spain

The church in Tafalla continues to grow in fellowship and outreach, with the successful launch of a new Bible study in Peralta and plans underway for another in a nearby town.

- Praise Thank God for the full church gatherings and the joyful launch of the first Bible study in Peralta with new community connections.
- Praise Praise God for growing fellowship among believers and the willingness of members to serve one another in practical ways.
- Prayer Please pray for lasting fruit from the Peralta Bible study and for wisdom in starting another in a nearby town.
- Prayer Ask God to provide transportation solutions for those in surrounding towns who want to attend church and study God's Word.

### ☐ Richard & Karen Lee, IMB, Tanzania

Medical clearance has been received, travel has been protected, ministry connections with African American leaders have continued, and outreach ministries have seen encouraging growth this month.

- Praise Thank God they have received medical clearance and been ticketed for travel.
- Praise Praise God for opportunities to connect and share their mission vision with many African American pastors and leaders.
- Prayer Please pray for the new church plant started last month to grow, stay healthy, and continue doing the functions of the church.
- Prayer Pray for wisdom and strength as they finish their final month of STAS and prepare to transition smoothly back to Tz.

#### ☐ Walter & Susan Ludwick, NAMB, US

The Ludwicks continue strategic outreach among Muslim-background families and international communities in South Carolina through discovery Bible studies, VBS connections, and partnerships with ethnic congregations.

- Praise Praise God for the growing Arabic Baptist Mission now served by a local Arabic-speaking pastor and for safety of Iranian family members.
- Praise Thank the Lord for Gospel access in Muslim homes through Vacation Bible School and discovery Bible study invitations.
- Prayer Pray for the salvation of the Syrian, Pakistani, and other Muslim-background families now engaging with the Word of God.
- Prayer Ask God to bless summer outreach efforts among Laotian and South Asian communities with lasting spiritual fruit.

#### ☐ Trevor & Aeryn McGee, SEND International, Alaska

- Praise We praise God for the opportunity to train alongside interns at Tanalian Bible Camp and to teach on the history of missions in Alaska.
- Praise Please praise the Lord that our Project Caribou team is finally together and that our teammate Nate is fully funded and now serving in Dillingham.
- Prayer Pray for Trevor's recovery from a rotator cuff strain and for strength as we support camp ministry this summer.
- Prayer We ask for prayer that we will trust the Lord's plans for our summer outreach more than our own and find balance as a family during the busyness.

#### ☐ Bobby & Tiffany Mead, FCA, US

They have been engaging in local outreach events, discipling new believers, and mentoring youth over the summer months.

 Praise – Thank God for fruitful conversations and deepening relationships through their summer outreach.

- Praise They are grateful for new believers who are eager to grow in their faith.
- Prayer Please pray for wisdom and grace as they continue to mentor and disciple young believers.
- Prayer Ask God to open more opportunities to reach their community in meaningful ways.

#### ☐ Bill & Tammy McKeever, MRM, US

The MRM July update highlights website redesign goals, expansion of a Mormon quotation book, hosting student mission teams, archaeological outreach, and upcoming evangelistic training at temple open house.

- Praise Thank God for the website redesign that boosts visibility and makes MRM's resources even more searchable and accessible.
- Praise Thank the Lord for momentum on the expanded "In Their Own Words" project and fruitful student mission teams hosted in Utah.
- Prayer Please pray for safe travel and effective witness for Bill McKeever, Aaron Shafovaloff, and Bradley Campbell as they tour historical sites June 8–16.
- Prayer Pray for strong impact at the Draper Days archaeology exhibit and upcoming Salt Lake Temple open house-training events.

#### ☐ Josh & Emily Merchant, WBT, Mexico

The Merchants wrapped up the school year at OCS and began their furlough in the U.S. while preparing their home, ministry roles, and children for the transition.

- Praise Thank God for a strong end to the school year and safe travel to the U.S.
- Praise Praise the Lord for the generosity shown toward OCS scholarships and for faithful friends in Oaxaca.
- Prayer Please pray for a smooth adjustment to life in the U.S. and for new friends for their children.

 Prayer – Pray for someone to step into the principal role at OCS and for spiritual growth in their home church.

☐ David & Jena Mough, Ethnos360, Missionary Training Ctr, US Graduation and hands-on training for missionary students concluded, with practical learning in simple living and ongoing curriculum development.

- Praise Praise God for the graduates' readiness to serve and for a meaningful celebration of their calling.
- Praise Thank the Lord for a fruitful women's Bible study and 40 years of marriage for Dave and Jena.
- Prayer Pray for wisdom in revising teaching materials and finding new practicum sites.
- Prayer Pray for Dave's upcoming planning trip and the development of new training workshops.

#### ☐ Ron & Cheryl Myers, BWMOM, Thailand/US

They have been distributing Bibles and sharing God's Word among rural communities, with many responding with openness and interest.

- Praise Thank God for the many people receiving Bibles and showing interest in the gospel.
- Praise They are grateful for God's protection as they travel to remote areas.
- Prayer Please pray that the seeds sown through Scripture will bear lasting fruit.
- Prayer Ask God to raise up local leaders who will continue the work in these communities.

# ☐ Nomad & Fanty Nelman, Ethnos360, Indonesia

The Nelmans returned safely to Indonesia after a fruitful U.S. trip, while preparing their daughter Marion for her solo move to Moody Bible Institute.

 Praise – Thank God for the safe return to Indonesia and His provision through generous families during their U.S. visit.

- Praise Praise God for the spiritual growth seen in their daughters and the opportunity for further missionary training.
- Prayer Pray for Marion's solo international travel to Chicago and her transition to college life at Moody.
- Prayer Please pray for financial provision and favor in visa processing for Marion's studies in the U.S.

#### ☐ Onesimus & Betty Ngoboka, White Fields, Uganda

Witnessed Remigiyo's salvation at 106 and ongoing growth in discipleship and women's outreach through local pastors and churches.

- Praise Praise God for Remigiyo's salvation after a lifetime of resisting the gospel.
- Praise We thank God for Pastor Onesimus's gentle, faithful ministry to new believers.
- Prayer Please pray for women's groups ministering through service and community care.
- Prayer Pray for continued fruit and growth in discipleship across Uganda's rural churches.

#### ☐ Steffan & Julie Pyle, Ethnos360, PNG

Completed extensive travel and helicopter training across the U.S. and are preparing for departure to Papua New Guinea in August.

- Praise Thank God for providing 100% of our support and setup costs through generous partners.
- Praise Praise the Lord for safety during the many hours of flight training across multiple states.
- Prayer Please pray that our visas and work permits for PNG are approved soon so we can depart as planned.
- Prayer Pray for grace and peace as we say goodbye to family and transition to life overseas.

#### ☐ Charity Shambaugh, BMM, France

Charity continues music and outreach ministry in France, sharing the hope of Christ through concerts and connecting with locals as summer begins.

- Praise Thank God for recent opportunities to minister through music in public events in France.
- Praise Thank God for the relationships being built through her presence and music ministry this summer.
- Prayer Please pray for open hearts as she continues to share Christ's love with those who attend her concerts.
- Prayer Please pray for spiritual strength, wisdom, and protection as she serves in France this season.

### ☐ Burton & Kathryn Sue, TEAM, Japan

The Sue family newsletter could not be accessed due to format limitations in the uploaded file, which prevented content retrieval.

- Praise Thank God for the presence and ministry of the Sue family in Japan.
- Praise Praise the Lord for the community that supports and encourages their service.
- Prayer Please pray for fruitful ministry opportunities and spiritual openness in Japan.
- Prayer Pray for strength and wisdom as they navigate cultural and spiritual challenges.

#### ☐ Ty & Lysi Tartaglia, OAC, Albania

The third annual Gospel Basketball Camp in Korçë created powerful relational and spiritual impact through sports, with strong family involvement and clear Gospel proclamation over several days.

 Praise – Thank God for the faithful team led by family members, whose joyful service and Gospel-centered hearts deeply impacted both campers and the local church.

- Praise Praise God for the opportunity to share the Gospel clearly multiple times during the camp, and for the deep encouragement it brought to the missionaries.
- Prayer Pray that the seeds sown in young hearts through basketball, teaching, and relationships will grow into lasting faith in Christ.
- Prayer Ask God to continue using the students and family members who served at the camp to shine His light wherever they go.

#### ☐ Dan & Na Tisdale, GRN, Thailand

While waiting for Na's citizenship approval to return to Thailand, Dan joined a mission trip to Albania distributing MP3 Gospel players, and Na continued writing the final book in her Jesus series.

- Praise Thank God for the fruitful mission trip to Albania and the opportunity to distribute MP3 players with Gospel messages to those unable to read.
- Praise Thank God for providing a good place to live in San Diego County with beautiful weather and field trip opportunities for Tytus.
- Prayer Please pray that Na's citizenship application will be approved smoothly without complications.
- Prayer Please pray for Tytus as he adjusts to teenage years and that God will provide the right school for him in Thailand.

#### ☐ Myles & Patty Toews, OMI, International

They are continuing their mentoring and training of local leaders while adjusting to life in a new home and community.

- Praise Thank God for the opportunity to equip and support leaders in their new ministry context.
- Praise They are grateful for the warm welcome from their new neighbors and church family.
- Prayer Please pray for strong relationships to form with those they are mentoring.

 Prayer – Ask God to bless their transition and establish a strong foundation for future ministry.

#### ☐ Richard & Sandra van Dillen, Christar, Holland

This summer included family reunions, outreach to former soccer teammates, and exploring teaching English to Muslim women in The Hague while continuing ministry with their small church plant.

- Praise Thank God for Perry-David's powerful testimony among his former soccer teammates after 20 years.
- Praise Thank God that Abdul continues to attend their small church plant regularly despite his busy schedule.
- Prayer Please pray for the salvation of many Muslim and atheist friends and Perry-David's former soccer teammates.
- Prayer Please pray for Richard's wife as she considers volunteering to teach English to Muslim women starting in September.

#### ☐ Aaron & Elise Varela, UIM, Candidates to Mexico

- Praise We praise the Lord for His protection and provision during the cataract surgery outreach, with 57 surgeries completed and many hearing the Gospel.
- Praise Please praise God for the chance to build new friendships and deepen church connections in Chihuahua.
- Prayer Pray for wisdom and favor as we navigate new aviation regulations affecting ministry flights in Mexico.
- Prayer We ask for prayer for Elise as she prepares to teach history this fall, and for our family's travels during our U.S. home assignment.

#### ☐ Alan & Sandy White, ROCK International, US

Celebrated progress on language projects and outreach in India, while continuing gospel film and book translations into new languages.

 Praise – We praise God that our books are reaching diverse communities in India and being actively distributed.

- Praise Please praise God for progress on Italian and Greek translations of the KING of GLORY movie.
- Prayer Pray for the salvation of many through gospel materials in Hindi, Marathi, Bengali, and Persian.
- Prayer Please pray for wisdom and effectiveness as
   Sandy balances city council work with ministry service.

# ☐ Barrie & Cherri Williamson, Ethnos360, US & South Asia Reflected on a joyful family wedding, answered prayer for Barrie's health, and upcoming plans to retire and visit ministry partners.

- Praise We thank God for a beautiful wedding and the joy of seeing Jaalah marry a godly young man.
- Praise Praise God for the positive results from Barrie's CT scan and the growth of the Global Equip program.
- Prayer Please pray for energy and good health as we prepare for travel during home assignment.
- Prayer Pray for wisdom and grace as we transition into retirement and connect with supporters.

#### **Restricted**

#### □ Tezcan

This month, Tezcan continues sharing the Gospel with Mu, a retired soldier who lost his leg to a mine and struggles deeply with pain, hopelessness, and accepting salvation in Christ.

- Praise Thank God for Mu's openness to hear the Gospel and read Scripture despite his mental and physical suffering.
- Praise Thank God for giving Tezcan compassion and perseverance to continue reaching out to Mu with God's love.
- Prayer Please pray for Mu to receive new life and true peace in Jesus, leaving behind his pain and hopelessness.
- Prayer Please pray for God to use Tezcan powerfully this summer to touch every heart he meets with the truth of Christ.

#### ☐ Fernando & Monse

- Praise We praise the Lord for the renewal of our residence permit and for granting us favor with the authorities in the country we love.
- Praise Please praise God for the divine encounter with volunteers in Tarragona, who took boxes of New Testaments and evangelistic material to use among the Maghreb people.
- Prayer Pray for strength and health for both of us, especially continued healing for Monse, and for fruit in the Old Testament translation and the outreach work in Tarragona.
- Prayer We ask for prayer that God will continue to provide financially for our family and open new doors of ministry, particularly for our children serving and studying this summer.

#### ☐ Tyler & Heidi

They have been serving in multiple church ministries, including worship and teaching, while balancing family life and transitions.

- Praise Thank God for the privilege to serve in various church roles and the unity they've experienced in their team.
- Praise They are grateful for the way God is sustaining them through a busy season of service.
- Prayer Please pray for clarity and discernment as they consider their next ministry steps.
- Prayer Ask God to strengthen their family and provide rest amidst ongoing commitments.

#### □ Bethany

- Praise I praise God for how He is using the Craft and Chat group to reveal His love to women who had never experienced it before.
- Praise I thank the Lord for the beautiful reminder of the Lamb who took our place, as seen in the cultural celebration of the Feast of Sacrifice.

- Prayer I ask for prayer that the women in Craft and Chat will experience the Father's love and be drawn to Him in these last two weeks of the term.
- Prayer Please pray for increased boldness for our team to clearly share the good news during this significant holiday weekend.

#### ☐ Tony & May

The Lasavath family prepares for a major move to Texas after fruitful ministry in San Diego and exciting progress in Laos and Cambodia.

- Praise Thank God for miraculously providing a vehicle, home, and schools for their upcoming move.
- Praise Praise the Lord for cross-border church planting efforts between Lao and Khmer believers.
- Prayer Pray for a smooth transition and fruitful partnerships in Texas and Southeast Asia.
- Prayer Pray for continued discipleship growth in Northern Laos and follow-up with new believers in San Diego.

#### □ Yuko

Yuko is transitioning out of her teaching role at the language institute in Tunis and is spending more time with students and friends, seeking to share the Gospel while preparing for ministry travel this summer.

- Praise Thank God for open opportunities to connect personally with former students and friends through language exchanges and meaningful conversations.
- Praise Praise God for faithful sisters at her Arabic church and for the support of her longtime friend Z.
- Prayer Please pray for wisdom and boldness as Yuko shares Scripture with friends like Jasmin and hosts weekly gatherings with students.
- Prayer Ask God to guide her fall ministry schedule and bless her travels to the U.S. and Europe with safety and fruitful connections.

#### ☐ Denis & Diane

Reported lively conversations with Muslims during Eid campaign, emphasizing Jesus' sacrifice and contrasting it with the Hajj pilgrimage.

- Praise We praise God for opportunities to share the gospel during Eid through our Facebook campaign.
- Praise Please praise God for the openness of many Muslims to engage in deep spiritual conversations.
- Prayer Pray that hajis who feel unfulfilled will seek and find true peace in Christ.
- Prayer Please pray for wisdom and discernment for our response team during follow-up discussions.

#### □ Don & Karen

Thankful for receiving permanent residency and preparing for both a children's camp and an East Asia conference before furlough.

- Praise We thank God for granting our permanent residency after much waiting and prayer.
- Praise We praise God for a full team of volunteers stepping up to help with the Children's Day Camp.
- Prayer Pray that our residency paperwork is processed quickly so we can leave for furlough peacefully.
- Prayer Please pray for the Children's Day Camp and East Asia conference to be spiritually impactful for all involved.

#### **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