

## 1 MARK & PAT TERRY Cru, USA

Praise God for the huge impact on the lives of thousands of educators, students, and parents around the world! They are hearing the Gospel from key teachers who are part of the ISP Teacher Community Groups, where they are growing spiritually and becoming multiplying disciples.

## 2 GREG & PAM SMITH InStep International, Inc., USA/Worldwide

In December, InStep launched a vision and strategic plan to reach 100,000 souls for Christ in 2024. It is doable with the network and partners they have in place to collaborate in these efforts to reach this goal. Pray that the challenges that have occurred will be diminished and God's greater plan will succeed! Stand in prayer with Greg in this spiritual battle and test of the vision by those who have committed to this goal. Pray for complete physical healing of the team.

## 3 LOANN HWANG InterVarsity Christian Fellowship, USA

Please continue to pray for complete healing for LoAnn. Since having a second car accident in September, her back has been in pain. However, she continues to minister to about 30-70 students from over 20 countries who attend weekly activities both at Emory and Columbia.

## 4 SAM & SILVANA SHAW Presbyterian Evangelistic Fellowship, Ireland/Worldwide

Pray for a puppet show which the team will present in Donaghadee on February 4. Pray also for Sam as he will be ministering in Nepal for two weeks.

## 5 RICK & ELISABETH ARNOLD Pioneers, Inc., West Africa

Pray that the Prince of Peace will be invited to bring HIS peace to their ministry country, especially in the coming elections February 2024. Pray for the Arnolds as they travel and connect with churches while stateside for a year.

## 6 ALAN & LYNEE WARD Wycliffe Bible Translators, USA

Wycliffe's work around the world is progressing at the fastest rate in history! For 2023, the statistics show the number of languages with no Scripture that need translation to start dropped by over 400 (to about 1,270). That's more than one start per day. Translation is happening in nearly 3,300 languages in over 165 countries.

## 7 GARY & ESTHER SMITH Ethnos360, Papua New Guinea

Pray for Gary and Esther as they plan to return to PNG in mid-February. They thank the Lord for restoring their passion and vision for ministry in PNG during their home assignment.

# ADVENTURES IN MISSIONS

February 18 | Noon | Lakeside Terrace

Guest Speaker: Al Whittinghill

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## 8 LINDA SUMMER The Agape Puppets, USA/Worldwide

This past Christmas season, as usual, Linda had hundreds of children in her home for Christmas tours which gave her the opportunity to tell them all about the baby in the manger who came to rescue them. She loves Christmas and everything that is a part of it. She shared that she heard "so many children praying out loud in her living room, putting their trust in Jesus." Praise God!

## 9 JOSH & GINA BLOOMFIELD AFC International, Australia

Please pray for their US team: Bruce - national leader from ND, Levi, and Jeff. They are working hard to launch a ministry that will see American churches increase their effectiveness in evangelism and see multiplying churches planted in un-churched communities across the country. Pray for the NE states where some of the most un-churched communities of the US are concentrated and for the church-planting team beginning to form for that area.

## 10 ISAIAS & JUDITH CATORCE TMS Global, Philippines

Judith is doing well with minor fibrose discomforts due to effects of radiation. God enabled her to go through 18 sessions with more to come as Isaías also looks after her needs. Walking pneumonia is prevalent in all of Metro Manila, so please pray that Judith remains strong and has no severe complications.

## 11 EDNER & DOMINIQUE JEANTY Crossworld, Haiti

Edner is grateful for a fruitful time in Panama where he had the opportunity to speak and share the platform for the evening sessions with Pastor Roby (the son of the convener) and with Dr. Yarbrough, the president of Dallas Theological Seminary. Three young leaders from Edner's church attended the conference, along with fifteen Haitian leaders.

## 12 MIHALIS & LOIS LITSIKAKIS AMG International, Greece

For many years, Lois has led a group in their area church and worked tirelessly to invite the moms she meets in her daily life and to serve them with this great ministry, the MomCo (formerly MOPs), which works to support and encourage them and helps train other mothers. It's also been a passion of hers to see an English-speaking group just for mothers who have moved here from other countries. This group was launched in November and is already growing!

## 13 ROBERT & LARA VITTER Adventive Cross Cultural Initiatives, Italy/USA

Pray that the Vitters will find a place to live while they minister in Italy. A local church couple have an outreach to invite their neighbors once a month to share the Gospel and a meal. They asked Robert to share the Gospel and it was incredible. Two families came who were not believers but shared how special it was to be around a group of people like this.

## 14 FOTIS & MARY ROMEOS AMG International, Greece

Praise the Lord for all the programs which took place at CosmoVision Center touching and changing the lives of many. Pray for the continuing ministry among sensitive people in need across the street or around the globe. Pray for earthquake victims in Turkey, for children in Moldova, for youth in Romania, for prisoners in Albania and for refugees in Greece.

## 15 BENNETT & IDONG EKANDEM North American Mission Board, USA

The Send Relief Ministry Center in Clarkston is ready. They will be running an afterschool program and adult literacy ministry starting in the Spring. It will be their second location; the apartment ministry will continue to operate. They need additional staff and volunteers to run the Send Relief location that will host about 36 children and several families.

## 16 BEVERLY MINOR BICF Global Network, Austria

December was a busy month of music and other ministry activities. Beverly, along with Longfield Gospel choirs had nine concerts, plus she led worship several times in church. She is thankful that the Lord kept her voice strong, healthy, and anointed. In February, she begins preparing for five international music ministry trips to France, Spain, Poland, and Latvia. In addition, ministry invitations have come from Innsbruck and Salzburg, Austria.

## 17 J & P Africa

P is encouraged by the Entrust modules that she and her group experienced from her ministry country. Fifty other women from seven African countries participated. They learned how to encourage women in a small group to share with one another, how to ask significant, open questions to stimulate critical thinking, how to use activities to create interest, and to guide dialogue to stay focused.

## 18 AL & MARY MADELINE WHITTINGHILL Ambassadors for Christ International, USA

Today is our first Adventures in Missions Luncheon in 2024 and we have the privilege of having Rev. Al Whittinghill as our guest speaker. He serves with AFCI which seeks to be a catalyst for revival in the church and encourages evangelism through the church on a worldwide basis. Pastor Al is a strong evangelistic speaker, and you will be blessed by hearing him share from his heart and the heart of God.

## 19 MERVAT N. Pioneers, USA

The Lord has brought Mervat through various health complications. Through it all, she has continued with the student ministry. It continues to grow. In August, they welcomed 80+ new students, picked them up from the airports and drove them to their apartment and gave them a home cooked meal. In January, Mervat began a six-month furlough where ministry will continue in a very part-time capacity, as she takes time to rest and grow spiritually. She has not had a furlough in 20 years. Pray it will be a refreshing time for her.

## 20 PAUL & LOIS JENKS AMG International, Asia/USA

Pray for healing of Paul's eye following his second surgery for a detached retina. Pray for an increased number of AMG hostel and By Grace School students so that more will be impacted by the Gospel of Jesus and have the opportunity for a brighter future.

## 21 JOHN & LOIS NORTH Ambassadors for Christ International, Australia

John encourages us to ask God to give us His faith goals for this year, to use us as a thermostat to change our environment in the ways God wants for us. He explains, social thermometers simply react and reflect in their own emotions and actions what is going on around them. Whereas, a thermostat doesn't just react to the temperature, it sets the temperature and changes the environment to match it. Which would you rather be?

## 22 BRANDY BARD Wycliffe Bible Translators, USA

Praise God a minority language in Eurasia just recently finished the book of Luke and published it for their people. They get to experience the wonder, joy, and peace of reading of Immanuel's birth in their own language, for the first time ever.

## 23 GARY & PENNY SEITHEL United World Mission, England

Please continue to pray for Penny and Gary as they cheer on their Secondary school students as they start a new academic year in February. Vocational and academic scholarships are £26 per month. They currently sponsor 26 students and are looking to help many more.

## 24 GREG & JEAN HINES FHD Missions, Honduras

Praise God for even greater opportunities to share the love of Jesus across the southwestern mountains of Honduras. Because of generous financial support and faithful prayers, they were able to bring physical relief and the hope of the Gospel to hundreds of people last year.

## 25 RICK & MARY LYNN ATHERTON Campus Crusade for Christ, South Africa

The Operations Leaders meeting in Albania was such an inspiring time. There were about 130 leaders representing over 80 countries. Most of the folks were nationals from their countries.

## 26 PAUL & KARAN DAVIS TEAM, France

Pray for Paul and Karan as they visit churches in Florida and Tennessee during the month of February. As they share, pray the connections will be anointed and produce great results.

## 27 J & R Central Asia/USA

Pray for more Christian volunteers to help them at the Haven, especially to help with children and transportation. Pray for full-time workers willing to work. Pray for J & R to have wisdom and patience as they work with many suffering physical ailments from anxiety and stress.

## 28 KEITH & RITA HAYWOOD OM, USA

Pray for the continued development of partnerships that were initiated last year and for the Lord to bring new ones on their radar this year. Keith's mom was promoted to her heavenly home on December 23, 2023. Please remember him and his family in prayer.

## 29 JULIE ROSEBOOM Ethnos360, Asia Pacific

Continue to pray for Julie's complete recovery from her knee surgery. She is pleased that her new class of students are working well together.

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"THEREFORE, MY BELOVED BRETHREN, BE  
STEADFAST, IMMOVABLE, ALWAYS ABOUNDING  
IN THE WORK OF THE LORD, KNOWING THAT  
YOUR TOIL IS NOT IN VAIN IN THE LORD."

I CORINTHIANS 15:58 NASB

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# PRAYER & PRAISE CALENDAR



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