



GLOBAL MISSIONS

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Prayer and Praise – December 15, 2021

Nicaragua: On December 22 Missionaries Nelson and Tirsia Gaitan will have special visitors from Shepherd's House Open Bible Church in New York City, Leo and Lizen Garcia, who will help with the special Christmas activities for children. They are expecting 300 children to attend this event. They will also be hosting special Christmas activities for the senior citizens of the community. Please pray that the Lord anoints and blesses all these activities.

Liberia: Please continue to pray for the recovery of Liberia's Field Director, Dr. Jacob Vambo III. He underwent a surgery in his abdomen and is to rest for the next two months. He is not to have any public meetings during that period of recovery time. The illness was not disclosed.

Ukraine: Please continue to pray for the long-running battle in the eastern part of Ukraine, that there would be no further escalation in fighting. Missionary Tammy Swailes says, "Thank you for praying. I continue to be safe and out of harm's way."

Kenya: Missionaries Mike and Pam Lumbard shared that their team of six people recently had their last full day of planned ministry in Kenya. In five weeks, they have held 67 services, classes, a kids' club, and home fellowships. Thirty-eight adults in addition to several children accepted Jesus. Lumbards' team handed out about 75 food boxes and at least 60 Bibles in Swahili or English. They also left money behind to purchase more food and Bibles. The impact for the Kingdom has gone far beyond what they expected. After they finished their services in Bungoma they will return to the capital city of Nairobi and then catch flights for the US. We praise God for this good report and pray that these new Christians will continue to grow and mature in the Lord.

France: Pray for Executive Director Vince McCarty and his wife, Lois, as they minister and fellowship with the pastors and leaders of our new Open Bible work in France. They will also be meeting with José and Caroline Dias, the National Directors of INSTE France.

Papua New Guinea: Our Field Director, Pastor Poi, shared that he just came back from the private hospital where they have removed fluid from his stomach, but the doctor said this would help only for a while. The real cause of the fluid buildup is heart failure, and it will build back up again unless God intervenes. Please pray for Pastor Poi's complete healing and restoration.

Please share with your congregation or with other interested individuals. Thank you for praying and caring.