

Prayer and Praise - March 12, 2025

"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds." Psalm 147:3 (NIV)

Liberia: Please pray for missionaries Drew and Jessica Welch. Jessica was recently in the hospital for malaria and typhoid fever. After receiving treatment, she is now recovering at home. Drew is also recovering from malaria. Please pray for their full recovery.

Welch's story: "After almost a week without water, we praise God for running water! A huge thank you to those who donated to bring water back to campus. We couldn't do anything without your support!"



Trinidad: Missionaries Brent and Sara Kelderman moved to Trinidad yesterday, March 11, 2025, and will arrive at their new home today. Please pray for a smooth move and transition from the United States to Trinidad and for God to use them mightily.

Des Moines, Iowa: Areli Estrada, Executive Assistant for Global Missions, shared with us that her aunt Felicitas Rodriguez passed away last week, and fortunately, Areli was able to attend her funeral. Please pray for the Lord's peace and comfort for Areli and her family during this difficult time.





South Korea: Field director Rev. Esther Moon informed us that there are now six Open Bible churches in Korea Open Bible Churches (KOBC). In addition, two pastors from Immanuel Mission Church of KOBC went on a mission trip to Sri Lanka and have started two mission campaigns there. Please pray that the Lord will bring revival to KOBC and all the churches in South Korea. Also, please pray for Rev. Esther and the National Board as they continue to spread the Gospel there and beyond.

Ghana: Church Planting Academy Director, missionary Rich Kopp, shared, "I want to thank everyone who has prayed for me over the past few weeks while I was undergoing treatment for myeloma. You all made a difference! The cancer is almost gone, and the doctor tells me that in the next few weeks it should shrink to the point where it can no longer be detected. So, thank you all and I pray for God's richest blessings upon you." Please continue to pray for Rich's complete healing.

Guinea, West Africa: Missionaries Tom and Sherry Moore asked for prayer for Denise Loua, a young woman from Open Bible Church in Kamsar. She often translates Tom's message into Soso. She was engaged to a young pastor, and they were planning to get married in May. He was on his motorcycle coming home from church last week and was rear-ended and killed by a truck. Please pray that God will comfort the young man's family and Denise after this horrible tragedy.

MOVE: MOVE National Director Aaron Keller will depart next Monday, March 17, for a scouting trip to Cambodia with his daughter Evangeline, Steve Kline, Travis Hunsaker, and interim project coordinator Steve Drake. Please pray for a safe trip and for the Lord's direction in this upcoming project.



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