

Prayer and Praise – August 13, 2025

"You will keep him in perfect peace, Whose mind is stayed on You, Because he trusts in You." Isaiah 26:3 (NKJV)

Tijuana, Mexico: Missionaries Travis and Heather Hunsaker share that they have accepted an offer on the sale of their home in Tijuana. Praise the LORD! Please pray for the process of finalizing the sale of their home. The process is a bit more complex in Mexico than in the United States. Both the buyers and the sellers are eager to close quickly.

Missionary Heather shared, "Our dear friend, Pastor Abelino Jacomb, who leads the 'Con Ganas de Seguir' feeding kitchen, underwent emergency surgery on his hand yesterday after an accident with a table saw. Please pray for his pain management, full healing, and for the surgeons to successfully repair the tendons in his left hand! Pastor Abelino and his wife, Mireya, are dedicated servants of the Lord who have steadfastly supported their community for many years."





Liberia: Field Director Hilary Paul gives thanks to the Lord for the safe return of missionaries Drew and Jessica Welch to Liberia. He also expresses gratitude for the opportunity he had to preach at the Liberia Independence Day Service on July 27, hosted by the Rhode Island Liberian Ministers Alliance. Additionally, he was able to join Drew and Jessica at Generation Church in Brookville, Ohio, along with his son Anthanasius. Please keep the Open Bible members in Liberia in your prayers.

Sierra Leone: Field Director Milton Godwin shares the challenging situation they have been facing over the past couple of weeks due to continuous heavy rainfall in the Peninsular City and Freetown. The rain has been non-stop, day and night, and has affected everyone. Additionally, he gives praise because their home was targeted by thieves, but in the attempt to break-in, they shouted for help and neighbors came together to assist. Nothing was stolen, but it was a scary experience. Please pray for protection over Pastor Godwin's family and that the rain may cease.



Northern Mexico: Missionary Fayth McConnell has undergone additional tests, including an MRI, which revealed a blood clot between her liver and bowels. Doctors will be prescribing medication in hopes of dissolving the clot. Fayth is also experiencing issues with her adrenal gland. Please pray for the Lord to heal Fayth and restore her to full health.

Cuba: We thank God for Mission Esperanza, who has partnered with Gleanings for the Hungry. On July 29th, a container of food arrived to help and bless our Open Bible community in Cuba. These meals are now being delivered to the needlest people across Cuba, providing opportunities to share the Gospel of Christ. We praise God for Dave Bethany and his team at Mission Esperanza, who are dedicated to helping our Open Bible family in Cuba. Please continue to pray for all our pastors and people in Cuba.



Cambodia: Pastor Aaron Keller is leading a team of eight members from Sunshine Open Bible Church to Cambodia next week. They will depart on August 18th and return on August 26th. Pastor Aaron will finalize plans for the school project next year for MOVE. The team will also conduct evangelism outreach with school children, parents, and villagers affected by the war. They will distribute school supplies, food, rice, and other items to the villagers. Please pray for the Lord's anointing and blessings on these activities, as well as for safe travels for the team.



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