



## Prayer and Praise – October 23, 2024

*"Jesus answered and said to them, 'Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance.'" Luke 5:31-32 (NKJV)*

**Ukraine:** Missionary Tammy Swailes continues her travel to churches in the U.S. for a few more weeks. Please pray for her safe travels and safety when she returns to Ukraine on November 3.



**Nicaragua:** Missionaries Nelson and Tirsia Gaitan shared: "We want to testify about our young Carmen. She lived in total depression to the point of wanting to take her life on several occasions. We went to visit her and after sharing the Word with her, she gave her life to the Lord. She attends the new La Concepción congregation where Pastor Ricardo García pastors. She is very grateful to the Lord for her salvation and deliverance from the spirit of torment that possessed her. Today she praises God because her parents and her 8-year-old son attend church. God is making a total restoration to her entire family."

**Kenya:** Missionary Rich Kopp got a cracked vertebrae while he was in Kenya recently. Please pray for a complete and quick recovery.

**India:** Missionary Linda Wilson gives praise: "I praise God for a new small Bible study group that has started in Coimbatore, India. It is a new concept for us and has been accepted very well by everyone it reaches. The program is growing rapidly and is unifying our church family even more.

"We continue ministering to our young boys through our soccer program that continues to grow. Now, we have five certified coaches and 89 boys in five age groups. This has been a tremendous outreach to our boys and community."

Please pray for the Bible study group that started in Coimbatore and for the soccer ministry as it continues to grow.



**Tijuana, Mexico:** MOVE Director Aaron Keller and team are currently in Tijuana, Mexico. They are expanding "Con Ganas de Seguir" (*With Desire to Continue*) feeding kitchen directed by Pastor Abelino. The team is also doing small repairs on the base of Puente de Amistad this week. Pray for the MOVE team, so that they can finish all the projects that have been assigned for this trip and for their safe return to their homes.

**Global Missions:** Last week we joined in a prayer for Kennedy, the granddaughter of Global Missions Board member Rachel Sayre, who is almost a year old. She had been diagnosed with chronic kidney disease (CKD). She underwent major surgery on Wednesday, October 16 and praise God the surgery went well. Please continue to pray for Kennedy's complete and quick recovery.



**Global Harvest offering for 2024-2025:**

Would you join the **Multiply France** team by giving an offering that will help our pastors, their families and communities? Our priority will be to provide funds so that our Open Bible leadership in France can plant more churches and spread the Gospel of Christ.

Donations can be made online at [openbible.org/MultiplyFrance](https://openbible.org/MultiplyFrance). You can also mail a check to the national office payable to Open Bible Churches and write "Multiply France" in the memo line.

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