



## Prayer and Praise – November 13, 2024

*“Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all ye lands. Serve the Lord with gladness: come before His presence with singing. Know ye that the Lord He is God: it is He that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture. Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise: be thankful unto Him, and bless His name. For the Lord is good; His mercy is everlasting; and His truth endureth to all generations.” Psalm 100:1-5 (KJV)*

**Nicaragua:** Missionary Nelson Gaitan shared: “My wife Tirsa and I will travel to Chiriquí Ciudad David in Panama on November 19. There is a church there that wants to join Open Bible and we will be with them for a week to meet them and pray with them. The desire is to extend the kingdom of God and then reach Panama City, which is the capital. Please pray that God will use us to encourage the brothers there and spread the mantle of covering over them. We hope that there will be healings and miracles among the brothers there.

**Guinea:** Missionaries Tom and Sherry Moore request prayer for the president of our national churches, Jean Bangoura, as he is visiting all the churches in Guinea and sharing a message about "The End Times." Pastor Jean is meeting with the leadership of each church, encouraging them to expand their outreach and to start new cell groups. He started with the church in Koloma, Conakry and was well received. Please pray for his safety as he travels from church to church by taxi.

**Cambodia:** Pray for Director of Global Missions, Vince McCarty and his wife, Lois, as they are in Cambodia. Missionaries Roger and Connie Cox are also traveling to Cambodia today to visit the work there. Pray for a wonderful time of gathering, worship and for the Lord's guidance and direction for Lifesong Learning Center and all its ministries.

**Liberia:** Missionaries Drew and Jessica Welch ask, “Please pray for the Open Bible Fellowship church plant that is reaching the people of Mondeh Town, Liberia with the monotheistic gospel of Jesus Christ. A pluralism of spiritual beliefs requires the supernatural power of God to be made manifest. With God we will gain the victory.”

**Cuba:** Field Director David Moreno expressed: “With the passage of two powerful hurricanes that have left our country devastated in the East and West, many people have lost all their property and their homes. The lack of food, the electricity cuts for 16 and 22 hours in a row, the shortage of water, medicine, and materials to rebuild their humble homes, has the entire nation in despair and unparalleled sadness. Please pray for the humanitarian crisis our nation is going through and thank you for your prayers.”

Please pray for missionary Burliss Parker as he travels to Cuba on November 18-21, and that they can have a time of encouragement.

**Ukraine:** Missionary Tammy Swailes shared: “Thank you for your prayers for the INSTE pilot group in Cyprus (in Greek language). One of the church pastors says, ‘Our leaders were asking us why we did not do this before, because none of them had been discipled this way before.’ Thank God for how He continues to use INSTE to disciple believers both near and far!”

**Venezuela:** Field Director Carlos Correa gives praise to God for what He is doing through INSTE. “On October 5, 2024, seventy leaders and pastors of Open Bible Churches of Venezuela, Tampa, Florida and Manaus, Brazil graduated from the First Level of INSTE (Theological Institute by Extension). The ceremony event took place at the Open Bible Church in Ciudad Bolivar, Venezuela.”

**Paraguay:** Field Director Nestor Rojas asks us to pray for the nation of Paraguay. That their northern border ends drug trafficking, hitmen and kidnapping and for a great spiritual awakening on their beloved land.

**Sierra Leone:** Field Director Milton Godwin and his wife Mary give praise to God for all the exciting things happening in Sierra Leone and its churches. At Congo Town Open Bible School, God is using the school to do great things in the community and beyond. The school is now a center for parents and children to come to Christ. It is used not only for learning, but also for people who come to Christ every day. This year the school has 37 teachers and other support staff. Most of the staff are members of our church and other local churches. Academic classes started without problems, and everything is going well.

The women's and men's department of the Open Bible Standard Church Congo Town celebrated their annual thanksgiving service. The women had six new members being inducted into the department and the men inducted four new members which included an 83-year-old man. Please pray for more souls to come to know Christ.



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