PRAISE & PRAYER

All full-time Calvary Chapel missionaries living outside the U.S. may submit prayer requests to keep the Body of Christ informed about their work around the world and to be covered in prayer. Their condensed prayer requests are listed below.

Please submit requests to Jim Hall at: jim@calvarymagazine.org

Please submit prayer requests for the next issue **no later than June 1.** Please keep them brief (25 words or less); include the missionaries' names, ministry, city, and country. Focus on the missionaries' prayer needs, outreaches, and praises. Go to www.calvarymagazine.org for an extended list of prayer requests that includes stateside-based missions.

Notice: We recently lost a database of Calvary Chapel missionaries. We are in the process of rebuilding it, but there are still many missionaries we have not been able to contact. If your requests are missing from this edition of Praise & Prayer, please resubmit your information to us so that we can be sure to include you next time.

AUSTRALIA

Ben & Laura Grisez, CC Sydney, Castle Hill—the discipleship courses to be fruitful; doors to be opened; all to be strengthened & upheld in God's love & grace.

Andrew & Niki Russell, CC Melbourne—wisdom; discernment; provision; our family; revival; balance in ministry; more helpers & leaders in the church.

AUSTRIA

Concetto Bianca, Millstatt—Spirit's fresh outpouring on the staff; wisdom to be an example to the SoS students. *Praise God for His plan at the Schloss!*

Stefano Fasolato, Millstatt—strength & wisdom for ministry here at the Castle; more sensitivity to the Lord's voice!

Ivan & Michelle Ibbotson, CC Salzburg—a place to live as our contract ends; fruitful missions trip to Romanian orphanage. *Praise God for lives being transformed, discipled, baptized & bearing fruit.*

Daniel & Petra Ornelas, CC Salzburg—job interviews & apartment searching in Helsinki, Finland; teaching at CC Stockholm, Turku & Helsinki; a closer walk with our Lord.

Shay & Annica Swanson, CC Vienna—fruitful evangelism; growth in Bible studies & prayer meetings; fresh vision on reaching the lost.

BRAZIL

Tom & Luciana Stowe, Calvary Curitiba—souls saved thru Easter services & evangelism; more prayer. *Praise God for Carnival BBQ*; our events at the start of the year; a few new people coming to our church.

Adriane Moura, Curitiba-Paraná—classes; intern & skill programs; strength & vision for staff; ladies retreat in May; VBS in July; more volunteers; me to be Spirit-filled as I teach & disciple. *Praise God for a full house again.*

Alexandre and Lilian Vaz, Calvary Rio de Janeiro provision as we move into a new location, including chairs & church equipment; the church body to grow stronger during this spiritual building season.

Celso & Tatiana Nascimento, São Vicente—provision; more workers in the kid's ministry; a leader for the teenagers; lasting fruit thru the school of ministry & its 16 students.

BULGARIA

Keith & Cherie Fresonke, Truth & Hope Foundation, Troyan—fruitful spring retreats; team from NY; weekly Bible study; wisdom for summer schedule. Praise God for new family from U.S. joining our work.

CAMBODIA

Steven & Annie Sutton, Water of Life, Kampong Thom—our children's ministry; fruitful Bible teaching & outreaches; all the details for our house construction project.

Holly Dziedzickie, Phnom Penh—provisions; medical expenses; protection; grace in the eyes of everyone. Praise God for many delivered from sexual exploitation & trafficking; they're growing in Jesus!

Kit & Ream Carson, A Greater Hope NGO, Takeo— Praise God for everyone praying for the ministry (agreaterhopeorphanage@gmail.com).

CANADA

Dejan & Julie Buljovcic, CC Edmonton, Alberta—upcoming spring & summer outreaches; students & married couples; personal wisdom & strength. *Praise God for successful outreaches.*

Cameron & Heather Wathen, Calvary Victoria, BC—strength; wisdom; grace personally; Sunday morning & other studies; youth ministry. *Praise God for the grace in our church body*; *His faithfulness*.

COSTA RICA

Wayne & Brooke Goranson, Jaco—direction for church plant; ministry partners to labor in the work. *Praise God for His provision & continued healing!*

Gerry & Silvia Carrillo, Pérez Zeledón—the Gospel to be preached & received in His amazing love.

CYPRUS

Jonathan & Katie Doub, Girne—men's & women's home fellowships to grow in maturity and love for Christ. Praise God for opportunities for discipleship of various young men & women.

ENGLAND

Joey & Tiffany Rozek, Calvary Cambridge—fruitful upcoming church retreat; new vision ahead! *Praise God for growth in our leadership team; good fruit from our Bible & marriage conferences.*

Edme Brink, Creation Fest, Cornwall—wisdom, guidance, preps & logistics for upcoming outreaches; souls; right volunteers; more locals to get involved; favor; provision!

Bob & Jeanne Claycamp, CC Exeter—children's ministry overseer; British spiritual leaders raised up; more worship leaders; new Bible studies opening in southwest of England; our health to stay strong.

Chris & Debbie Ward, CC Exeter—pray for a smooth transition back to the U.S. as our visa was canceled; provision; direction. *Praise God for all He has done & will continue to do in southwest UK*.

Michael & Theresa Howard, CC Harrogate—unsaved church & retreat attendees' salvation; strength; guidance; blessing on the open doors in the community. *Praise God for a blessed ladies retreat*.

Doug & Lisa Keen, CC Hastings—fruitful evangelism at church services; 2 outreach teams coming; youth group to grow. *Praise God for growth; revival in church prayer.*

Bryce & Bethany Heard, CC Mansfield—the youth & men in Mansfield to be saved. *Praise God for His provision of our own bldg. & numerical growth.*

Jeff & Mary Hicks, Calvary South Lakes, Kendal—wisdom, love & compassion as we transition into our next fostering placement; favor/openness with new neighbors; open doors in Staveley.

Sarah Yardley, Creation Fest, Wadebridge—Truro cathedral outreach; Creation Fest; personal outreach; Holy Spirit gifting. *Praise God for provision & souls.*

ETHIOPIA

Shaun & Megan Havelaar, Ebenezer Grace Children's Home, Hawassa—our local adoption of 2
Ethiopian children; provision of land for a permanent home for the children/ministry.

FINLAND

Michael & Anni Rhoads—provision & grace to do His will; a miracle pregnancy; a passion to know Him more as our first love; a healing of Anni's thyroid & Michael's nerves; deliverance from demonic warfare.

FRANCE

Steve & Laura Cyr, CC Bourges—3rd child to arrive early April; fruitful outreach during annual spring music festival. *Praise God for provision; health; Liam starting school.*

Pierre & Nancy Petrignani, CC Nice—men with spiritual thirst; recomposed families' regular attendance; visiting French CC plants. Praise God for Sophia men's prayer meeting & Nice women's group.

Tonio & Lindsey Petrignani, CC Nice—provision; healthy pregnancy & baby; refreshing & filling of the Holy Spirit personally & congregationally; a new apartment. *Praise God for baby #2 due in August!*

Mike & Becky Dente, CC Paris—paperwork for 2 families; CCBC Paris preps; conferences; provision; souls saved; Holy Spirit empowering. *Praise God for helpers; provision.*

GEORGIA

Jed & Renee Gourley, CC Tbilisi—our English outreaches & Bible studies; a work of the Holy Spirit in the Caucasus region! *Praise God for answers regard*ing our children's education.

GERMANY

Stephan & Dorit Spielau, CC Görlitz—a miracle, healing & restoration of the marriage of a family in our church.

GREECE

Travis & Kristin Spencer, Athens—provision for new visa requirements; favor with the govt.; health; acceptance of visa application; a fruitful furlough; grace for our family.

Sean & Jacky Coleman, CC Crete—us to live like Jesus; spiritual gifts; learn Greek; outreach teams; revival; residency renewal; homeschooling; vigor; protection; provision.

GUATEMALA

Forrest & Carol Kendall, Servants 4 Him, Santa Lucia Utatlan, Sololá—provision to purchase Bibles & study resources for the pastors we train.

TTATT

Mickie Horst, Port-au-Prince—an outpouring of the Spirit thru all of Haiti; God to set the captives free from the power of Satan along with every kind of voodoo practice.

Brian & Sophia McDaniel, Cross to Light, Port-au-Prince—new church plant in Artibonite (voodoo village). Praise God for 180,000 Bibles hand-delivered thru church plants & evangelism!

Seige & Dinette Poteau, CC Port-au-Prince—leadership; provision; boot camp, prison, & young ladies ministries; univ. campus project; construction work in the south (Hurricane Matthew victims).

HONDURAS

Jon & Marilyn Beard, RO4Y, Ojojona—provision & wisdom to complete a staff house; a pick-up truck; nanny/teacher for Beard kids & Spirit-led revelation in the youth. *Praise God for healthy newborn.*

HUNGARY

Norbert & Rachel Lakatos, Serving Those Who Serve, Budapest—purchase of an apartment; God's will regarding Danny's college applications; Joshua at CCBCY England; return to the U.S. on 25 June.

Lindsey Cuen, CC Eger—organization, leadership, team unity & for God to save the kids during our annual English camp outreach (17-23 July)!

Laci & Lilla Gyűgyi, CC Esztergom—daughter Karolina (3) to be healed from asthma; youth group to stay strong & growing; Slovakian orphanage ministry; church leadership's spiritual & ministerial growth.

Caleb & Kimberly Beller, Vajta—covering & wisdom for CCBCE move to Budapest; a perfect house for our family & schools for our 4 kids; upcoming AVFL discipleship program. *Praise God for provision for a car!*

Lisa Collins, CCBCE Vajta—God to stir each heart at CCBCE with a passion for Him; overflowing of God's Spirit; lasting fruit from ministry; salvation of the thousands of refugees.

Phil & Joy Metzger, CC Budapest, CCBCE, Vajta—God to plant & establish more churches, transform lives, & bring revival; God's heart to lead, teach, disciple, & serve; Holy Spirit's anointing.

INDIA

Rudy & Sharon Torres, PTA, Guwahati, Assam—provision, resources, & wisdom for the Reach India Tract Project. *Praise God for printing of 100,000 Gospel tracts a month.*

IRELAND

Rick & Cindy Johnston, Calvary Braid Valley, Ballymena—no apathy to exist in the church; success of church unity in town & return of those who drifted from fellowship. *Praise God for unity of pastors*.

Shawn & Deanna Tebbe, CC Dublin—provision; worship & youth leaders; us to be Spirit-filled & led; fruitful summer outreaches in July & August.

Jess & Rebecca McCurnin, Galway—provision; His timing for U.S. missionaries to join us; body to pursue holiness & obedience; salvation of Donal. *Praise God for salvation of John Manning; a builder to help us.*

Tyrone & Anna Power, CC Waterford—health; wisdom; provision; protection. *Praise God, people have been coming to church as a result of our parent & toddlers group.*

ITALY

Jim & Margie Stewart, CC Padova—more helpers in the ministry; wisdom; health; boldness to share with the lost here. *Praise God for provision for church building rent; a new believer!*

Vincenzo & Antonella Cotroneo, Rome—wisdom, guidance, open doors, & provision for our church plant in Acilia, Rome; our Street Soccer program.

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Tommy & Joanna Ruiz, CC Ginowan—classroom renovations; church plant in Yomitan village; future Bible college students; Summer of Service outreach this year. *Praise God for provision & faithfulness!*

Chuck & Yumi Robb, Higashimatsushima—English classes/cafe to reach the community. Praise God for new believer & seeker Bible studies started; short-term team in Dec. made a great impact in community.

Dan & Mihoko Bolinger, CC Iruma—our church; English school & home move before October; new believers class; wisdom in directing worship team; peace over nuclear situation.

Chizuo & Mari Sakurai, CC Kokubunji, Tokyo—summer outreach; kingdom of God to keep extending thru us into our community; Japan & next generation. *Praise God for blessing our young adults group!*

Kiyomasa & Taeko Akashi, Tokyo—fruitful Easter outreach in April for young mothers; funeral seminar outreach for the old in May (Japanese belief is strongly connected to ancestor worship).

KENYA

Ramsey & Vicky Vule, Nairobi—church fellowship & Sunday school; South Sudanese orphans we are caring for in Kakuma refugee camp; peace in South Sudan; God to touch leaders to bring lasting change.

Randy & Kari Saul, Abide in Truth, Kisii—women's U-Turn for Christ Ranch opening; hen & coffee projects; CC Kebabe; Pastor Dennis; more opportunities to share Jesus! *Praise God for all He's doing!*

Ruth Deam, Consider Jesus Ministries, Nairobi—discernment & ministry direction as the year starts.

Praise God for all He continues to do in & thru me.

KOREA

Mike & Hye-Young Loudermilk, CC Daejeon—evangelism & outreaches to impact our community for Christ one person at a time. *Praise God because He is good.*

Derek & Allison Forbes, BGEA, Seoul—launching internet evangelism; training chaplains for Billy Graham Rapid Response Team; building strong & healthy relationships with local churches.

KOSOVO

Jen Mellor, Calvary Malishevë—a smooth transition back to the U.S.; provision of a vehicle, job, & housing; future direction. *Praise God for 10 years of missionary service.*

Urim & Teuta Zogaj, Golgota Malishevë—a permanent home for the church; a worship leader. *Praise God for new people attending church; open doors for children's ministry in villages.*

MALAW

Steve & Nora Braselton, CC SoM & Ruth's Shawl Ministry, Lilongwe—successful start of new year of ministry; for wisdom in adding 4 new interns to staff.

MEYICO

Garrie & Jackie Price, Cabo San Lucas—complete A/C; Isabel's health; land to build on; bilingual worship leader. *Praise God for good health; Paola (10) is now enrolled in a nearby school for the deaf.*

Juan & Jonathan Domingo, CC Horizonte, Ensenada—Praise God for 61 full-time students at CCBC Mexico & an amazing fresh move of God's Spirit with 3 Sunday morning church services!

John & Laurie Barillaro, CC Mexicali—souls; completed sanctuary; health; implementing "Lion Tamers"

in church & prison; prison ministry. *Praise God for fruitful Cuba mission trip*; our new sanctuary.

Edmundo & Faviola Arroyo Ramirez, CC Querétaro—health for our family (sick for 2 months); equipment for the church. Praise God for the new families at church.

Eben Browne, Ronn & Laury Remai, CC San José del Cabo—His Word to continue to encourage, strengthen, & prepare us; oil in our lamps; 2 Timothy 2:19. *Praise God for new faces in the congregation.*

Paul & Maura Cathey, Calvary Sayulita—hearts sensitive to the Spirit; strength; perseverance; wisdom; the body to desire more of God in their daily lives. *Praise God for His faithfulness!*

Daniel & Ana Jones, Rancho Maranatha, Alamos, Sonoro—protection as Daniel flies into the Sierras for Bible studies; missionaries to come to reach more communities. *Praise God for the team He raised up.*

Robert & Damaris Aguayo, Merida—"Lighthouse Christian School" of Calvary Centro, opening its doors next fall; many to come to the saving knowledge of our Savior thru this ministry.

Sam Medina, CC Merida—teachers with a heart to serve God, teach Eng., & minister to children from pre-school to 12th grade. *Praise God for His faithfulness to this ministry these past 20 years*.

NEW ZEALAND

Brian & Kathy Hughes, CC Auckland—wisdom, knowledge & understanding of God's will; health, strength, provision & abundant love; Bible in the public schools, Calvary Radio NZ & South Pacific.

NIGERIA

Prince & Florence Lawrence, CC Jikwoyi-Abuja—cont. strength & wisdom for the work; laborers; clearer vision for Nigeria. Praise God for body's spiritual growth; calls for CC churches across Nigeria.

Kefas & Tina Momoh, CC Lagos, Nigeria—God's direction for CC Bible School in Nigeria; God's blessings upon CC Lagos.

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Rob & Betsy Bradshaw, Wycliffe Bible Translators, Ukarumpa—distribution of Jesus film to bear fruit in lives; audio recording & printing of Doromu-Koki New Testament to proceed well.

PERU

Cory & Danielle Kilgus, Cajamarca—provision for construction of a security wall; protection from thieves; lasting fruit among the students.

Darwin & Annie Torres, church plant, Calvary La Semilla, Cusco—a new building. *Praise God we are rapidly outgrowing our current space!*

PHILIPPINES

Rick & Arcelie Casper, CC Bustos—the mission team from CC Honolulu in May; church & community impacted for Christ; ministries by river, & at municipal & govt. housing.

Charles & Daisy McElroy, Dumaguete—keep Christ first & communication open; Paquito's safety & growth; wisdom for Mindanao crusade (May). Praise God for new meeting place in Bais; our Feb. wedding.

Steve & Janilyn Michael, Dumaguete—more approvals to share the Gospel & conduct a weekly service in public & private schools; invitation to use an hour radio outreach program on Energy FM.

Betchie Ashworth, House of Grace, Muntinlupa—unity, wisdom, provision, protection, & favor for

upcoming VBS outreaches & children's conferences in various cities. *Praise God for His faithfulness*.

Andreas & Carmela Schmid, CC Olongapo—the Word to spread swiftly among the Aeta people & many to get saved. *Praise God for His protection*, guidance, & provision.

Ron & Tes Brown, U-Turn for Christ, Samar—a joint Sunrise Worship Service on Resurrection Sunday.

Rizty & Nenita Sioco, MFHBC, Tagaytay—His Word to minister to the needs of our Bible students, teachers & co-laborers this semester; their eyes to behold His truth daily & His joy to be their strength always.

ROMANIA

Jamie & Andreea Hogan, Bucharest—direction for our local church; salvation of many orphans at camp in June. *Praise God for His everlasting lovingkindness*.

loan & Dina Creanga, CC Drobeta—Christian radio station; children & youth ministry; moms in prayer; church growth; a worship leader; open doors; colaborers; anointing; discernment; boldness; health.

RUSSIA

Bill & Ania Shepherd, CC Novosibirsk—a healing of Ilia (one of our elders) from tuberculosis; the search for a bldg. or hall to buy.

Dmitry & Alina Tribelsky, CC St. Petersburg South—God's blessing, unity, speakers, encouragement, & special prophetic words to the ministers in Russia during the May 7-9 pastors/leaders conf.

SAINT KITTS

Brandon & Wendi Grayson, Caribbean Christian Fellowship—a worship leader; favor starting an addictions rehabilitation program in the prison; unity in leadership; fresh filling of the Spirit.

SCOTLAND

Marton & Mattie Tatton, Calvary Glasgow—fresh vision for 2017 & the opportunities it brings; church's great spiritual growth; Creation Fest 2017 in Glasgow.

SOUTH AFRICA

Matthew Jordaan, Cape Town—a church bldg.; Demitri & Karen as they serve; CC Africa Missions Conf. (9/26-29); CC Shepherd School training a new generation of leaders & church planters.

Julian & Monica Duguid, Redemption Church, Cape Town—the Name of our risen Savior Jesus to be lifted high; the Gospel to ring out; continual empowering of the Holy Spirit.

Chad & Heather Naaktgeboren, CC Johannesburg—a smooth transition as we hand over the church to my assistant & return to CA on 16 July after 10+ years of service; clear direction for future.

DeBeer & Ridri, CC Somerset West—the final work at new church venue; open doors in the local high school. *Praise God for partial use of the new bldg.!*

SOUTH SUDAN

Sabet & Suzy Kuj, Tonj—immediate needs; new vehicles; medical volunteers; CHE program; Easter outreach. *Praise God for church growth*; new believers; purchase of new church land.

SPAIN

Will Abuzaid, CC Barcelona—growth of our members; fruitful discipleships; the outreach teams coming to serve this year.

Ivan & Eunice Martos, El Rincon de la Victoria, Malaga—the Choirs outreach concerts; church retreat; our family. *Praise God for His provision*.

SWITZERLAND

Ted & Caro Allen, CC St. Gallen—upcoming German IBS; leaders & helpers to be raised up & Spirit-led. *Praise God for fruitful English IBS course.*

THAILAND

Nate & Ivy Cheeseman, Bible Translation, Chiang Mai—a productive home assignment time & safe travels around the U.S.

Sharon Porterfield, Thai/Burma border—provision for disabled children's home; teachers for Myanmar school; future Karen Discipleship Center in Thailand. *Praise God for ministry opportunities in Myanmar!*

UGANDA

Sam & Sarah Kibuuka, CC Kasega, Kampala—salvation of the prisoners & provision for their physical needs; the church & school in Koome Island to bring the Gospel & hope.

UKRAINE

Cara Denney, CC Kyiv—provision for an apartment for church ministry center/coffeehouse; continued church healing & growth. *Praise God for the blessing of being back in Ukraine!*

Dima Lyamin, CC Kyiv—national conf. May 5-8; the power of the Gospel be proclaimed; new churches planted in Kyiv & Ukraine; a church bldg.

David & Katya Snead, Lviv—protection & healing of our pastor & his family; production of this year's evangelistic short film & lasting fruit.

Joel & Katya Brown, CC Mukachevo—Uzhgorod Bible study; evangelism projects; safe pregnancy; Bible college teams; wisdom; discipline. Praise God for growing church; fruitful evangelism & discipleship.

Dennis & Georgia Janisse, Mukachevo—fruitful Bible classes, leadership training, & seminars at L'viv Theological Seminary Extension; fruitful women's breakfast & gypsy ministry with Notika.

Vanessa McElroy, Mukachevo—Eng. classes; Apr. outreaches; Spirit's outpouring on teens; new church building; provision for women's conf. in Paris; discipleship; spring women's tea. *Praise God for growth*.

Ruslan & Lyuba Melnichuk, Mukachevo—safe pregnancy; family discipleship; seminary studies; men's ministry; mercy with insurance (car wrecked in accident). *Praise God for continued provision.*

Notika Pashchenko, Mukachevo—new workers & summer VBSs for the gypsy ministry. *Praise God for blessed camps and childrens' workers training for the Nepal ministry.*

Benjamin & Lena Morrison, CC Svitlovodsk—upcoming training seminars with City to City; raising up new leaders; our family's U.S. furlough this summer; provision to finish new church bldg.

Jonathan & Stephanie Markey, CC Ternopil—fruit-ful concerts, music projects, & worship confs.; provision for soup kitchen & bldg. construction; souls.

Daniel & Janette Carter, CC Vinnytsia—a church van; strength & wisdom; evangelism to children & parents thru SuperBook Club. *Praise God that new-comers have repented & started coming.*

Restricted Countries:

CENTRAL ASIA

A and S, church planting, Arabian Peninsula—seeds that have been planted to grow into churches; the Holy Spirit to draw hearts to Christ. *Praise God for opportunities to share.*

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EAST ASIA

Arron & Vicky—adjustment to the heat as humidity & temperatures rise; our children to adjust to the field. Praise God for our first team & opportunities; Gospel went out to over 400 people.

Byron—fruitful family ministry conf. in Atlanta; safe travels to mainland; children to come to know God; final 6 classes for Masters with Calvary Uni.

Daniel & Liz—many students & young professionals to be introduced to God; the small groups we are training to multiply & spread out; fruitful recordings in unique dialects; courage; strength; abundant grace.

Jesse & Mallori—our move back to U.S. in June; a smooth transition into this next season God has for us.

Khanh—establishing Natural Farming demo farm & the B4T agri-business for God's glory. *Praise God for His provision & sovereignty in all that we do.*

Lenny—physical strength for daily border crossings; unity among co-workers; relationships established with local fellowships. *Praise God for a smooth transition moving here from Mexico*.

HIMALAYAN MOUNTAINS

Mike & Amberlea—healing of Amberlea's thyroid cancer; provision for our trip stateside. *Praise God for bringing so many of the lost to us!*

ISRAEL

Strangers N Pilgrims—our children; our service to the Lord; a sensitivity to the Spirit; a car or golf cart.

Michael & Anni, Naphtali Services, Jerusalem—the Holy Spirit to lead us back to Israel as soon as possible. Praise God for many souls saved at recent revival meetings.

We pray for those giving women an alternative to abortion, for adoptions and foster care. We lift up those that protect us at home and abroad. We pray for missionaries that have heeded our Lord's call to GO and make disciples. We lift up those who have been called to share the Gospel with refugees and for openness for them to hear the truth of the Gospel. Please comfort those who have experienced a death of a loved one. Please pray for unity and love to reign over our interaction with other believers. We continue to pray for the peace of Jerusalem.