

August 2021

Prayer & Praise



"For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do" - Ephesians 2:10

Week 1

Sun 1st - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Praise God that (amidst the turmoil of recent weeks - first riots that lead to military rule being declared and then a volcanic eruption saw Goma being evacuated) the DRC's COVID lockdown has been lowered.

Mon 2nd - UGANDA

Praise God for Wakisa's care team, which is always alert. Recently one of the girls suddenly went into labor, a month early, and the medical team sprung into action got her to hospital just in time to deliver safely.

Tue 3rd - INDIA

Pray for school students in India who are in the process of making up their final examinations that were interrupted by the second-wave lockdown. Pray that they will not be too impacted by the disruption and be able to display their hard work and understanding.

Wed 4th - PHILIPPINES

Pray for PMF's Leadership Team and their Board of Directors as they plan for the year ahead amidst the uncertainty of this COVID pandemic. Pray that God would bless their efforts and plans.

Thu 5th - CAMBODIA

Pray for Sunshine Cambodia as their Memorandum of Understanding (ie their registration) with the Ministry of Education is being processed. Pray that everything goes smoothly and speedily.

Fri 6th - UGANDA

Pray for Winnie (CFM's sponsorship program manager) and for Rose's (a cleaner at CFM) mother, who have both been unwell. Pray that God would heal them quickly and fully.

Sat 7th - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Pray for Dr Aaron and all the students in Ephphatha's new English training course being run this year.

Week 2

Sun 8th - UGANDA

Praise God for Wakisa's sponsorship program, which is supporting young mothers to stay in school or continue learning through vocational training.

Mon 9th - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Pray that the improvements to Ephphatha's hearing testing room (including better soundproofing) can be completed soon after all the recent holdups.

Tue 10th - PHILIPPINES

Pray for Alfredo de Guzman, Ronnie Rosillon, Bernard Salawa and all of PMF's church pastors during this pandemic. Pray that God would provide for their needs and that He might grow their churches (in numbers and faith) despite long and ongoing closures.

Wed 11th - CAMBODIA

Pray for Sunshine's 32 university students that graduated last month. Pray that God would help them find employment during this hard time of COVID-19.

Thu 12th - INDIA

Praise God that Solomon at BCM and his family are recovering from COVID-19. Pray that God would continue to strengthen them.

Fri 13th - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Pray for all of the children in HEAL's sponsorship program, those at the Mugunga School, and all other children in their communities who are back to school now that the lockdown has been lowered.

Sat 14th - UGANDA

Praise God for CFM's recent partnership with Uwezo - a research-based organisation focused on improving numeracy and literacy in primary children throughout east Africa. Pray that the children at CFM may be blessed by this partnership.

Week 3

Sun 15th - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Pray for Ephphatha's students that are preparing for exams now the lockdown has been lowered.

Mon 16th - UGANDA

Praise God for the training (including policies, strategy and fundraising) that Wakisa's staff and Board recently undertook. Pray that it will increase their capacity to serve outcast young mothers.

Tue 17th - CAMBODIA

Pray for Sunshine's Executive Director, Sem Sochetra, who has been suffering from unexplained dizziness for almost a year now. He has seen doctors and received treatments, but he is still not completely healed. Pray for God's healing over him.

Wed 18th - INDIA

Pray for the BCM's leadership team as they finalise planning their projects for the upcoming year. Grant them wisdom and insight how to best serve their communities at this time and going forwards.

Thu 19th - PHILIPPINES

Pray that God would bless Pastor Alfredo's efforts to start an evening bible school in Tagaytay City, which would focus on training young lay-leaders at a number of local churches

Fri 20th - UGANDA

Pray for James (CFM's Chief Operations Office), that his wedding may go ahead this month despite the disruptions of recent lockdowns.

Sat 21st - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Continue praying for the hunger crisis in the DRC. As a result of the ongoing civil conflict and the economic effects of the COVID-19 pandemic over 27 million people are facing acute hunger with 6.7 million of them on the cusp of famine.

Week 4

Sun 22nd - UGANDA

Praise God for the recent success of Wakisa's pilot program aimed at empowering youths. Wakisa's counselors have been meeting individually with 60 youths to support them in exploring life plans, creating goals, developing better decision-making and other skills, with the goal of empowering them to have hope for a brighter future.

Mon 23rd - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Continue praying for the families in HEAL Africa's sponsorship program as they try to keep their income generating activities and small business going through tough times in this pandemic.

Tue 24th - INDIA

Praise God for BCM's community development team, which has been working tirelessly providing relief to many COVID-positive individuals in the villages. Praise God for keeping them safe and pray He would strengthen and sustain them.

Wed 25th - CAMBODIA

Pray for the safety and wellbeing of the children and families in Sunshine's sponsorship program during this challenging time of pandemic.

Thu 26th - WORLDSHARE

Praise God for blessing us with three new Board Members – Anushka Wijesooriya, Glen Richardson and Jennifer Chen – we are so excited to have such wise, talented and Godly men and women on our Board.

Fri 27th - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Pray for the vocational training teachers at Ephphatha as they integrate new entrepreneurship training into the course. Pray that God would bless their efforts.

Sat 28th - UGANDA

Praise God for blessing CFM's agricultural project in Mafudu. Farmers are currently weeding their crops and are expecting high yields thanks to recent good rain.

Week 5

Sun 29th - PHILIPPINES

Praise God for keeping PMF's staff, and their families, from getting sick during this pandemic. Pray that they will continue to be physically and spiritually strong everyday.

Mon 30th - DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

Pray that God would bring peace to Goma (where our partners serve). Residents live under a constant threat of violence, kidnapping and death from rebel militia forces in the region.

Tue 31st - AUSTRALIA

Continue praying for Micah's End Covid For All campaign. Pray that we as a nation can support our neighbouring countries who are being hit hardest by COVID-19

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- Christian Fellowship Ministry (CFM) Uganda
- Wakisa Ministries Uganda
- Ephphatha Centre for the Deaf Democratic Republic of Congo
- HEAL Africa Democratic Republic of Congo
- Bangalore City Mission (BCM) India
- Philippine Missionary Fellowship (PMF) The Philippines

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