

family of four and for their language acquisition so that they are able to proclaim Christ.

January 26: As this couple moves to their field of service in the next few months, **K. H., NAME**, asks you to pray that God will provide a home surrounded by those ready to hear the gospel//Pray that God would supply all of **Nohemi Sanchez, Missouri, and Rick Lumm, Missouri**, spiritual, physical, and financial needs.

January 27: Ask God to give **May Marie Irwin, Retired, Colorado**, good health through the winter//**DOM Larry Lewis, Mid Missouri Association**, asks prayer for God to lead him as he seeks to lead the churches of his association.

January 28: **S. S., SEA**, asks prayer for continued language learning and the ability to learn the local dialect//Pray for **MK K. H., 7, SEA**, as she and her family return to their assigned country next month, asking that she would reintegrate into the culture easily through language study and making new friends//Ask the Father to give **DOM Jim Plymale, Franklin Association**, the ability to discern between what is "good" and what is "best".

January 29: Pray that **Gary Inman, Retired, SSAP**, will have opportunity to interact with people, here in the U.S., from his people group in Africa and draw them into the fold//Lift up **MK N. N., 8, SEA**, as she enjoys relationships with extended family during stateside assignment.

January 30: Remember **Jill Plymale, DOM Spouse, Franklin Association**, as she supports her husband as he ministers to his churches.

January 31: Ask the Father to show **Angela Moncada, Missouri, and Michael Daily, Retired, Florida**, how great His love is for them//Pray for **MK R. W., 17, EURO**, as he starts a dual credit program at a community college here in the states. Pray for him to grow in wisdom and the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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"But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you." Matthew 6:6

January 1: Happy New Year! Pray that **Kossi (Happy) Ayivi, Missouri**, would have an urgent desire to share Christ//Ask God to give **Ana Daily, Retired, Florida**, a spirit of optimism and ask that the Holy Spirit will fill her with joy and peace.

January 2: As **Elizabeth Welsch, East Asian Peoples (EAP)**, finishes this term of service and prepares to return to the states in April for a seven-month stateside assignment, pray that some of her Japanese friends and neighbors to whom she has been ministering and witnessing would come to faith soon//**Alice Barrett, Retired, EAP**, asks prayer for patience in care-giving and in the logistics of daily living which can become overwhelming and frustrating//Pray for **MK Luke Windham, 21, Sub-Saharan African Peoples (SSAP)**, to continue to seek the Lord in directing his path as he begins his second semester of university in Arkansas.

January 3: Lift up **Marcy Shaw, Retired, European Peoples (EURO), and Ted Lindwall, Retired, American Peoples (AMP)**, as they seek to find new ways to bring glory to His name in this new year//**Teresa Achucarro, Missouri**, asks prayer for their grown children, Monserrat and her husband, Fernando and his family, and Arnoldo, seeking work in Iowa. She also asks prayer for their two churches, Pan de Vida in Grandview and Jesucristo Verdad y Vida in Belton//Remember **MK Rachel Cobb, 18, Southeast Asian Peoples (SEA)**, as she makes major decisions regarding her future.

January 4: Pray that **Benjamin Barron, Missouri, and Duane Cook, Retired, North Carolina**, would find favor with unbelievers with whom they might share the gospel//Lift up **MK A. N., 13, SSAP**, as she embraces the teenage years with enthusiasm for serving alongside her parents.

January 5: Ask the Father to give **Chad Mathes, Missouri**, a heart like His//**Mary Ann Randall, Secretary, MWMU Board**, asks prayer for herself and her family as they adjust to the recent loss of her mother. As she prepares for her next trip to West Africa, she asks prayer for the new believers there, as they spread the Good News, that they would be bold and protected from harm.

January 6: Pray that **Bill Tritten, Retired, Kansas**, will find many opportunities to show acts of kindness in Jesus name//Lift up **MK Hannah Spannagel, 14, SSAP**, as she makes the most of every opportunity to be a light in a dark world.

January 7: Lesotho: Pray as a church team from Texas will be spending all this next week with **Stan and Angie Burlison** who arrived in Lesotho last month for a

two-year SBC Direct term. Lift up the **Flora family** as they spend this next week at the International Learning Center for their stateside assignment conference.

January 8: Pray that **Rachael Bailey, Missouri**, will always be patient as she trusts God's timing//Remember **Rosie Bedsole, Retired, SSAP; Bob Johnson, Retired, Georgia; and Ruby Ashworth, Retired, Idaho**, as they seek to meet the demands of life in their senior years.

January 9: Ask God to show **Jackie Miller, Retired, AMP, and Laura Fugitt, Missouri**, ways to obtain continual growth in their walk with Him//**DOM Frank Welch, Salt River Association**, asks prayer for renewed stamina that he will not grow weary or faint in telling others the Good News of Jesus.

January 10: Pray for **Ann Fox, Retired, SEA, and Karen Blair, DOM Spouse, Shoal Creek Association**, to be surrounded by girlfriends who will build them up in the faith.

January 11: S. J., SSAP, asks prayer that their family, who have been in the states on medical leave the past few months, will find favor with their host country's government in renewing their work permits as they seek to return in April or May//Ask the Father to give **Amy Barbour, SSAP**, many opportunities to boldly share Christ with those coming to South Africa from countries where Christianity is not freely allowed//**Sarah Grout, Missouri**, asks prayer for her father-in-law who is having chemo treatments for Stage 4 bone cancer. Pray that his body would respond well to the treatments and he would receive healing from the Great Physician.

January 12: Lift up **Verna Mae Sadler, Retired, SSAP**, asking that she be empowered to remain faithful to her calling even during retirement years//Two MKs in **Lesotho** share the same birthday today: **MK Rebekah Flora, 13**, asks you to pray that she will always trust God and realize that He is in control and He knows the way she should go. The **Bundricks** ask you to pray that the joy of the Lord will capture two-year-old **MK Eliza Joy's** heart at a young age and that she will follow Jesus with great joy.

January 13: New to our prayer calendar, lift up **Charles Beem, Missouri, and Rick Friesen, Missouri**, as they seek to use every opportunity to proclaim Jesus name to those with whom they come in contact.

January 14: Ask God to give **Lynn Utley, Missouri**, extra patience when facing difficult circumstances.

January 15: Robin Stow, formerly AMP, currently serving in Richmond, requests, "pray that I will know Him more and more intimately so that ONLY HE oozes out of me to others every day!"//Pray that **Liana Montanher, SSAP, and Alesia Fowler, Montana**, will be filled with awe-inspiring joy that can only come through the power of the Holy Spirit//**Brenda Smith, Retired, AMP**, asks prayer for health concerns and also for the people of Venezuela where she served//Ask the Father to surround **MK E. M., 9, Northern Africa and Middle Eastern Peoples (NAME)**, with friends to tell stories of Jesus.

January 16: Ask God to give **Pamela Foster, Missouri and Wesley Vance, Missouri**, a spirit of willingness to diligently plan and carry out His vision.

January 17: Pray that **Blane Mays, SEA; Kevin Wright, Illinois; Bill Sims, Retired, California, and MK Andrew Babb, 22, EURO**, will always rely on God's timing, trusting Him to open the doors for them to walk through.

January 18: Pray that **A. E., South Asian Peoples, (ASAP); Todd Genteman, Missouri; and Paula Misloski, Missouri**, will reserve quality time away from their ministries to spend with their families//**Gyslaine Jacques Guillaume, Missouri**, asks prayer for her daughter, Sue-Melissa, who is a missionary in the Philippines.

January 19: Steve Renner, Missouri, asks prayer for the ability to balance time between being a bi-vocational pastor and tending to the needs of his family. Pray a blessing for Family Life Church and that lives will be changed//Ask God to remind **Judy Lumm, Missouri, and DOM Curtis Townley, Osage River Association**, that great faith without great love can do nothing.

January 20: Ask God to give **Jared Jones, EAP**, boldness to honor Christ, even in dangerous situations//**Kesner Guillaume, Missouri**, asks prayer for the Lord to help with time management between work, ministry, school, and family// **MK Anna Flora, 18, SSAP (Lesotho)**, asks prayer to stay strong in Him as she leads discipleship classes with teen girls who are new believers//**Sandi Malone, Treasurer, MWMU Board**, asks prayer to be able to meet the challenges of learning all the ins and outs of her position with the board.

January 21: Lesotho: Remember **Jim and Teresa Flora** as they hold their stateside grandkid camp (Camp Mammiooppa) tomorrow and the next day. Pray for an especially sweet time//Lift up **Dean Preuett, Retired, Missouri**, as he continues to make himself available for opportunities to minister//Pray that **MK G. H., 10, NAME**, will join his parents in sharing Jesus' love everywhere he goes.

January 22: Kelli Frealy, AMP, asks prayer for her family as they leave the country where they have served for the past 10 years and relocate in a nearby country on February 3. Pray their four children will transition well//Ask the Father to give **Diane Campbell, DOM spouse, Twin Rivers Association**, a tender heart for those who are dealing with crises.

January 23: Emma Barker, Retired, EAP, asks prayer that she might be a faithful witness for the Lord wherever she is//Pray that **Steve Fowler's, Montana**, zeal would stir up other Christians to share their faith.

January 24: Lift up **Whitney Dole, EURO**, as she seeks opportunities to reach out to those who are marginalized//Pray that **MK Julia Ford, 1, EURO**, will stay healthy and happy, bringing great joy to her family.

January 25: Lesotho: Liz Bundrick's mother returned home yesterday after being able to spend the past three months with them during the first months of Abigail Joanna's life (born October 28). Pray for continued smooth adjustments to being a