



Praise & Prayer Points - August 2022

*"Then shall ye call upon me, and ye shall go and pray unto me
and I will harken unto you" Jeremiah 29:12*

Brazil:

Pastor José Carlos & Eurides - Manaus

- Please pray for a man called Lucas, he is an alcoholic, and he has recently given his life to the Lord. Pray that he will remain firm in his decision for Christ
- Pray that the Lord would continue to give me good health in order to do this work for Him
- Pray for our upcoming visit to the North East of Brazil in November, to meet with the workers there, that God would prepare the way for this trip

Pastor Márcio & Luziânia - Lajes Pintadas

- We praise God for the anniversary conference we held recently, pray for the word of God that was preached that souls would be saved
- Pray for both the physical and spiritual health of the church here
- Pray for more opportunities to preach the gospel in this town and region
- Pray for the spiritual growth of our family, and for physical protection in these days

Pastor Plínio - Sena Madureira

- Pray for the work among the indigenous people; a man from the Sena Madureira church is involved in translating the bible into their language
- Pray for the evangelistic work I am involved in, especially as I go from house to house speaking to people about their need to be saved
- Pray for two young men, Hariel and Ezequiel, who are members of the church at Sena and are currently at seminary in Paraná
- Pray for the elderly of our church, some cannot make it to church because of infirmities

Pastor Junior & Christina - Nisia Floresta

- We praise God for the new converts we have in the church
- Pray for the various meetings of the church, for good attendance and opportunities to speak with the unsaved
- Pray for the various visitors who come into the church from time to time, that God would speak to their hearts



Pastor Anderson & Viviane - São Paulo do Potengi

- We praise God for some new converts, pray for Francisco, Kaio and Leandro that they would grow in their faith
- Pray for the brothers and sisters in Lajes, they have been somewhat demotivated recently, and wanted to cut links with their mother church, pray for wisdom and guidance for this situation
- Pray for direction concerning some work we want to do on the church building, we need a new bathroom, the windows need renewed and we need lighting at the front of the building

Pastor Adriano & Maria - Várzea

- Please pray for our family, especially our children Adriano, Lucas and Ester
- Pray for wisdom in the ministry and in particular as I would preach from the word of God
- Continue to pray for the congregation in Goianinha (church plant)
- Pray for the salvation of souls in this town

Pastor Luís & Aldeneide - Passa e Fica

- Please pray for some unbelievers that we have had contact with recently - Iris, Socorro, Daniele, Calebe, João Vitor, Francisco, Eliane, Sofia
- Pray for the children's ministry, we have plans to do some street clubs
- For further open doors for opportunity to preach the gospel
- For the conclusion to the building work at the church, which will be a great help to us, especially with the children's work with 2 extra rooms

Pastor Iran & Socorro - Campo Redondo

- We praise God for all of the prayer support of the brothers and sisters in Northern Ireland
- Pray for the children's work of our church, that the children would trust Christ early in life
- Pray that God would continue to supply financial resources to cover the remaining costs of the new church building at Serra do Doutor
- Pray for the wedding of our daughter Isabel, in September, that all the planning and preparation would come together for the wedding day

Pastor Walkênio & Hadassa - Montanhas

- We praise God for the ongoing bible studies with some believers of the church, João and Cleide, as they prepare for baptism
- Pray for Fran and Yves as we hold regular bible studies with them, that soon they would accept Jesus as their Saviour
- Pray for our young people João Lucas, Guilherme, Mateus, as they are disciples, that their knowledge of God's word would grow



- Pray for our family as we make a trip to visit relatives that we would have a safe journey

Pastor Carlos Souza - Manoel Urbano

- We ask prayer for our church family and the leadership, that God would lead us and bless us as a fellowship
- Pray for the progress of the construction of the church manse
- Pray for the elderly of our church for God's help in their lives, their names are Paredes, Margarida, Artemilda and Julieta
- Pray for the evangelistic work which goes on outside the church, in the colony and also in the house meetings in the homes of our members

Pastor Abraham & Priscilla - São Jose

- We praise God that we have been given transport which we can use for the work of the Lord
- Pray for our church building which still requires work, especially on the roof, as we cannot hold meetings if it is raining
- Pray for the people of this community, that many more people will come to know the Lord as Saviour
- Pray for us as a family, that we continue to grow spiritually and remain firm in our walk with the Lord

Pastor Neto & Layze - João Camara

- Pray that God would stir up some men here to take up leadership roles within the church
- Pray for the transition of a new pastor here, the church will meet soon to vote on a candidate that will be presented
- Pray for myself, Layze and Noemi as we are all sick at the moment

Altina - Schools ministry Manaus

- We praise God that the renovation at the Izabel Angarita school is now finished and we can get back in again to teach the boys and girls
- Please pray for 2 school directors, their names are Rejane and José Claudio, that very soon they would trust the Lord for Salvation
- Pray for the salvation of the children whom we teach the word of God to each week
- Pray for Jonas and myself, for good health, and for the courage to keep going in this ministry



Portugal:

Mark & Judith Loney - International Evangelical Church Algarve - Vale Judeu

- We give thanks to God for the many new people who have joined IECA in recent months following the lifting of covid restrictions - pray that as we get to know them we can disciple them and integrate them into the local fellowship
- Pray for the Ukrainian people that we are helping with accommodation and food as they settle into their new life in Portugal. Pray also for their spiritual/physical/mental needs at this time, as many have lost everything
- Pray for the new church year that starts in September as we study the book of Acts - pray that it helps us to grow as a biblically oriented church
- Pray for further outreach opportunities to develop, that we can come up with creative ways to reach into the community around us with the gospel message

Aroldo & Emmanuelle Areas - Evangelical Church - Santo André

- We praise God for the recent ladies meeting which was well attended. The fellowship and the bible study was very good and encouraging
- Pray for Filipa and Marco who are now helping Emmanuelle with the kids and teens at the Friday bible study meeting
- Pray for our summer camp which will take place on the first week of August
- Continue to pray for health, strength and wisdom as we continue serving the Lord in the various ministries here in Santo André

Barry & Raquel Henry - Portuguese Church - Vale Judeu

- Pray for Raquel's application to stay another year with Comacep
- Pray for continued open door to schools, there are some changes which could possibly take place that would mean current volunteer teachers would no longer be able to teach
- Pray for our son Mateus as he decides upon his future having now finished bible college (ITLC)
- Pray for us as a family for a time of refreshing and recharging on our family holiday

Lanzarote:

Richardo & Sandra Hernandez - Evangelical Church - Arrecife

- We give thanks to God for a wonderful 2 weeks with the mission team who came from Northern Ireland to help with children's work and outreach
- Pray for the people we contacted at the coffee mornings, some of their names are: Celine & Kurt, Franklin, Sonia, Angela, Joaquin.



- Pray for the children who attended the camp. Many who attended were unsaved and we thank God for the opportunity to share the gospel with them
- Pray for a couple to come forward in the church to lead children's work. The couple who did it previously have stepped down. We also need another Sunday School teacher, and some ladies to run the creche

Northern Ireland:

Victor & Audrey Maxwell

- Praise God for the visit of our grandson from USA, for time spent with him over the last 2 weeks
- Pray for Audrey and the upcoming hip replacement surgery she will undergo
- Pray for help and strength following the surgery for a good recovery

Keith & Karen Lindsay

- Praise God for a blessed time in Lanzarote with Richardo and Sandra and the church
- Pray for the 60 plus children who were reached through the camp, and for the 40 of them who received bibles, and for the parents who attended the last meeting, 3 of which requested bibles also
- Pray for a couple who attended the coffee mornings at the Lanzarote church, and who have been attending church every Sunday since then
- Pray for the Bangor Worldwide convention, that it would be a blessed time. We look forward to meeting folk at the mission stand (Mon 22nd-Fri 26th Aug)

Jeffrey & Marianna Ferguson

- We praise God for our daughter Emma who is now one month old. Marianna's parents were able to come from Germany for a week to visit
- Pray for contacts made at the Keswick at Portstewart Convention, that further opportunities would arise to speak about the work of the mission
- Pray for the 1500 gospel booklets which were given out at the recent Reach Your Neighbour outreach days in the towns of Omagh, Dungannon and Cookstown
- Pray for upcoming meetings for help and guidance, and for further opportunities to speak about the mission, and to proclaim the good news of the gospel



Peter Moore

- Praise God for safe travels to Portugal to take part in camp ministry there
- Pray for strength as 3 weeks of Camp Sonshine comes to an end, and I then go to Santo Andre for 1 week of camp there
- Pray for all the young people who attended the camps this year, that God would change their lives

Dr Bill Woods

- Praise God for His help given to me as I change treatments, the Lord continues to give me peace
- Pray for my health; as chemotherapy has now stopped working, I am taking a new treatment
- Pray that this new treatment would have minimal side effects

Dr Tom & Lucimar Geddis

- We praise God that after several delays for our return flight from Brazil, we arrived back in Northern Ireland
- Pray that very soon we would receive the suitcases which were lost in transit
- Pray for a time of rest and recovery following the journey, we are exhausted after the delays we experienced
- Pray for the folk we have left behind in Brazil, that God would continue to work in their lives, and save those of our unbelieving family members

“I will go down, if you will hold the rope!” (William Carey)

***Thank you for taking the time to pray for our missionary workers,
and for all your support in every way***

*“How then shall they call on Him in whom they have not believed?
And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard?
And how shall they hear without a preacher?” Romans 10:14*