

# Hotline



Connect with God's Heart for the World

[Free Methodist World Missions](#)

**Tuesday, June 11, 2019**

## AFRICA

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Pray for missionaries [Thom and Sherry Cahill](#) who will be traveling throughout the east coast for partnership building. Their goal is to return to [Tanzania](#) in January. Pray for strong partnerships to be established. In addition to needed financial support, they have a goal of 300 prayer partners who will commit to pray for [Africa](#) daily.

## ASIA

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Pray for the Free Methodist Church in [Japan](#). During recent meetings with the Asia Area Director, the leadership in Japan indicated a desire to strengthen our partnership with them. [Gene and Minori Hall](#) will join the Wilkins and the Veronese families in Tokyo later in July after General Conference.

Pray for Abraham, the country leader in [Creative Access Country-N](#). Abraham and his family have been asked by the landowner to vacate their property, and there are currently no viable options for them to consider. This move will displace his family, a significant church, and ministry to children. Pray for resources to rent a much better facility.

## EUROPE

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[Al and Diane Mellinger](#) (missionaries to [Bulgaria](#)) invite you to pray for preparations being made to launch new church plants in three countries in the Balkan region this fall. Pray for the selection of church planters and target cities, and the connection with persons open to the gospel in each town.

Praise the Lord for [Phil and Debra Gilmore](#) newly appointed missionaries to [Spain](#). They will serve a two-year assignment in Spain beginning in January 2020. Phil will help develop a training center for the Impact Europe church-planting network. Debra will help provide leadership at the Mosaic Cultural Center in Madrid. Pray for them as they enter a period of partnership building.

## LATIN AMERICA

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This past weekend, [Pastor John Jairo Leal](#) (CCP Coordinator for Latin America), Dr. Glenn Lorenz (FMWM Missionary) and Dr. Casto Rojas (Superintendent for Creative Access Country-X) led a Community Church Planting Implementation seminar in Lima, [Peru](#). The 39 people in attendance represented most of the FM churches in Peru. They increased their understanding of the CCP process and strengthened the unity between churches. Please pray that this training will bear much fruit for the kingdom of God and result in new churches throughout the country.

## MIDDLE EAST

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Pray for [Hany](#) as he travels to the U.S. to share this summer. During his visit, he will have the opportunity to share at General Conference, the Wabash Conference family camp and seven churches in five different states. Pray for physical and spiritual strength and for a time of rest and rejuvenation.

## FMWM FAMILY

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We celebrate the graduation of Lydia Austin from Seattle Pacific University. Lydia is the daughter of Kevin ([Set Free Director](#)) and Natelle Austin.

We extend our sympathy to [Chris and Yuko Wilkins](#) (missionaries to Japan) over the passing of Yuko's father, Shiraishi Katsutoshi. We rejoice knowing of his faith in Jesus. Please pray for the comfort of the Holy Spirit to be with Yuko, her mother, and her two sisters. Chris and Yuko ask for special prayer for those family members who are nominal Buddhists. Pray that the reality of Jesus Christ will become known to them during this time.

## INTERNATIONAL CHILD CARE MINISTRIES (ICCM)

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Praise the Lord for children who have received baptism. Pray they will grow in the grace and knowledge of Jesus.

## SEED LIVELIHOOD NETWORK

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Pray for the SEED team as they make final preparations General Conference in July. Thank the Lord for the group of volunteers that assist them each week.

## SET FREE

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Begin to pray now for the Freedom Sunday 2019 project focusing on Iraq. Set Free, SEED and ICCM are partnering with Impact Middle East to support their existing ministry to refugees, focusing on economic development, child development, and psychological support.

## VISA MINISTRIES

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Pray for these teams serving around the world during the next several weeks:

- A team from the FMC in Santa Barbara, CA serving in Costa Rica June 11-24
- A team from the FMC in Jackson, MI serving in Costa Rica June 18-25
- A team from Journey Church in Sherwood, OR serving in Rwanda June 20-July 5
- A team from Moundford FMC in Decatur, IL serving in Hungary June 27-July 6

## INVITATION FROM FMWM

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Thank you for your faithful prayers for the FMWM missionary team and the work of the Free Methodist Church in 90 countries around the world. We would like to invite you to join us Monday evening, July 15, 2019 in Orlando, FL as we kick off General Conference with a missions dinner sponsored by FMWM, ICCM, SEED and Set Free. This will be an opportunity to engage with FMWM missionaries and nationals from around the world and hear from leadership. Register Now - [GC '19 Missions Dinner](#). The deadline for registration is Wednesday, June 12.

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## FMWM RESOURCES

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The 2019-2020 FMWM Ministry Prayer Directories have been delivered. Extra copies are available by request.

**The Free Methodist Church has ministry in 90 world areas.**