

Hotline



Connect with God's Heart for the World

Free Methodist World Missions

July 21, 2026

AFRICA

Please join us in thanking the Lord for [Emmanuel and Rachel Nzungize](#) and their faithful service at Kibogora Hospital in [Rwanda](#). They recently returned to the U.S. to continue serving in nursing and pursue further studies. Please pray for a smooth transition, God's guidance in this new season, and continued support for ministry at Kibogora. They plan to make short-term ministry trips as they remain in partnership with Kibogora Hospital and Free Methodist World Missions.

Please pray for Bishop Mark Lilema, his wife, and Jessica Maslen, a missionary serving with the Free Methodist Church in [Zambia](#), as they are in India for Bishop Mark's cancer treatment. Pray for God's healing, wisdom, and guidance during treatment. Also pray for Jessica as she returns to Zambia in a few weeks, and for Bishop and Mrs. Lilema as they remain in India for care.

ASIA

Pray for international missionaries [Alan and Ammabelle Bacus](#) as they travel to Creative Access-MY to reconnect with the developing community of believers and help lead a July 26 Celebration Service. Ask God for safe travels, wisdom and strength. Pray the Holy Spirit will work through them to encourage and strengthen the group.

Please pray for missionary [Minori Hall](#) as she travels to the U.S. on July 23. In recent weeks she has faced some challenges related to her visa. Please pray the Lord's favor will rest upon her.

EUROPE

Please pray for international missionary [Moises Souza](#), who has been experiencing health issues in [São Tomé](#). He traveled back to [Portugal](#) this past weekend for medical tests, and

they are awaiting the results. Pray for clear answers, wisdom for the doctors, peace during the waiting, and God's healing for Moises.

LATIN AMERICA

Area Director Ricardo Gomez sends an update from Venezuela:

We praise God for the opportunity this last weekend to minister to and train 300 people who are helping with relief efforts in [Venezuela](#). The team of three psychologists will continue training in Caracas and other parts of the country this week. Please pray they can train as many people as possible to help others process the trauma and loss they have experienced.

Praise the Lord! The FMC in [Colombia](#) just elected their first superintendent. Please pray for Pastor Fray Morales as he transitions into his new role as Superintendent of the church in Colombia. Ask God to give him wisdom, strength, and grace as he and his family adjust to new responsibilities, as he leads and invests in the church at a national level, and builds strong relationships with leaders across Colombia.

MIDDLE EAST

As tensions and conflict have intensified again, pray for wisdom and restraint among leaders to prevent further escalation and for protection over our teams, church partners and local communities in the region, especially those serving in areas where missile strikes are occurring nearby. Pray they will remain safe, encouraged and steadfast as they continue their ministry amid uncertainty and conflict.

ICCM

Please pray for the children served through ICCM's ministry in [Haiti](#), where rising food costs and ongoing economic challenges continue to make it difficult for many families to provide regular meals. For more than 14,000 children attending 54 Free Methodist schools, a school meal is often one of the most reliable sources of nourishment they receive. Pray that God will provide abundant resources for the Haiti Food Fund so every school can serve meals more frequently and no child will be hungry.

SET FREE MOVEMENT

This week, July 20-26, is Freedom Week across the [Latin America Area](#). Pray that each church and community observing this week will grow in their understanding of the realities of human trafficking and find practical, creative ways to address the problems in their communities.

VISA

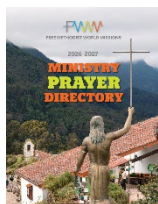
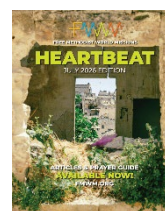
Pray for these serving:

- Margaret Ferrarone and her team from several Genesis Conference churches serving in the Czech Republic, July 16-27.
- Max Gregg from Indianapolis First Free Methodist Church, who is accompanying Rev. Ray Babcock on an ICCM visit in [Brazil](#), July 20-31.
- The Salty Church (Florida) partnering with [Dennis & Kyle Leon](#) in Costa Rica, July 24-30.

FMWM RESOURCES

HEARTBEAT

PDF versions of the July 2026 Heartbeat and Prayer Guide are available at FMWM.org/Heartbeat/



The **2026-2027 FMWM Ministry Prayer Directories** have arrived. If you would like to receive additional copies for your home, church, small group or missions committee, please email janet.coates@fmcusa.org

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