

Hotline



Connect with God's Heart for the World

Free Methodist World Missions

Tuesday, May 14, 2019

AFRICA

Evert Bible College, a ministry of the Free Methodist Church in [Tanzania](#), opened in January 2019. The school will hold its second modular session from May 15-June 14. Pray for travel, studies, finances, and wisdom for students and the leaders of the school.

ASIA

Praise the Lord for one new church recently planted in a creative access country. Praise the Lord for recent baptisms in another creative access country. Pray that the Lord will continue to provide the resources for the planting of churches and the development of leaders in these two countries and others across Southeast Asia.

EUROPE

[Chadwick and Sarah Anderson](#) and their four daughters will depart for Győr, [Hungary](#) on May 19 to begin their missionary assignment. Pray for their travel and the many adjustments that will be ahead of them as they learn a new culture and language and develop new relationships.

LATIN AMERICA

Parts of [Paraguay](#) have experienced heavy rains for more than a week, and these areas are experiencing flooding. At least two Free Methodist Churches and 60 Free Methodist families have been affected. Pray for the flooding to subside and for provision for the churches and the families affected.

We rejoice with [Mike and Andrea Green](#), missionaries to [Uruguay](#), on the birth of their second child Zoe Arielle, born Monday, May 13. Give thanks and continue to pray for this young family.

MIDDLE EAST

From May 5-June 4, people of the majority religion in this region celebrate a month of prayer and fasting to their god. During May, pray that God will reveal Himself in powerful ways. Pray that people in this majority religious group will understand and know that Jesus Christ loves them and has provided a way for them to be in a personal relationship with Him. If you would like to know how to pray more effectively during this month visit [Prayer Cast](#).

FMWM FAMILY

Robert Everett Persing of New Middleton, OH passed away on May 2. Robert was the father of Free Methodist missionary to Thailand, Corey Persing. We give thanks for Robert's life, his service as a public school teacher and as a member of the Free Methodist Church (Freedom Church) in New Middleton. Please pray for [Corey and Connie Persing](#), Corey's mother Marilyn, his two siblings and the other members of the family.

Free Methodist World Missions celebrates with thanksgiving the life of former missionary Elizabeth Owsley who will celebrate her 100th birthday on May 15. Elizabeth and her husband, Clarence Owsley, served as missionaries to Brazil from 1958-1964 and again from 1974-1986.

INTERNATIONAL CHILD CARE MINISTRIES (ICCM)

Praise the Lord for the Togo staff who are new to the ICCM team. Pray for Pastor Assah and Madame Mazama as they impact the lives of children in Togo.

SEED LIVELIHOOD NETWORK

Praise God for recent breakthroughs for SEED's partner livelihood groups! The [Faraja Widows](#) in Kenya have overcome incredible crises, including someone taking their building. Their leader had to move away, but now has been able to move back closer to the rest of the group. Continue to pray for them as they overcome daily oppression and hardships.

SET FREE

On May 18, the Set Free team in Seattle, WA will co-host their third annual [Brave](#) event to inspire, resource, connect and build the resilience of girls in foster care and other vulnerable situations. Pray for the positive, long-term impact of this experience on the lives of these young girls.

VISA MINISTRIES

Pray for these teams:

- Hope and Healing Africa's team, led by Hendrik Smidderks, serving in Mozambique from May 7-23
- Deana Hayes and a team of camp counselors from the Wabash Conference Campground serving in the Dominican Republic from May 22-29

INVITATION FROM FMWM

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 Free Methodist Church has ministry in 90 world areas.

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