

TOGETHER IN PRAYER

January 2025



Dear friend,

We enter 2025 with a new sense of excitement, a recommitment to our vision of telling the story of Jesus in EVERY language, and a firm trust in God to lead and guide our efforts for His glory. Thank you for being a part of all that will happen as we join **Together In Prayer**,

The GRN USA Team

- 1 **Vision for 2025:** The USA team, together with centers worldwide, are trusting God for an expansion of ministry, for His faithful supply, and for opportunities to tell the story of Jesus in more languages than ever.
- 2 **USA Board:** Thank the Lord for Preston, Bill, Mack, David, Mark, Larrie, and Bryan who are currently serving on the Board of Directors. Pray for wisdom for them as they consider two possible candidates to join the Board at our Annual Meeting next month.
- 3 **Urbana Planning:** One year from now, Urbana 2025 will be held in Phoenix, Arizona. Thousands of young believers will hear of many exciting opportunities for service, including GRN's. Pray for God to clearly call many young people to work with us.
- 4 **GRN Kenya:** Kenyan Director Walter O recently took part in the distribution of GRN materials to 16 churches among the Sengwar people. Pray that the materials will be well used in reaching out to local communities.
- 5 **Praying Scripture:** *Where there is no vision, the people perish.* Proverbs 29:18a
- 6 **GRN Canada:** Pray for a new leader for our center in Canada. The previous director resigned due to lack of funding.
- 7 **GRN Thailand:** Please pray for God's direction for the Motorcycle Gospel Team as they plan to visit villagers in remote mountain areas. May they be a witness and encouragement to many as they ride.
- 8 **GRN Staff:** Please pray for each country's staff, that we would continue to grow closer to Christ and become more like Him. May God's strength and blessing uphold us all in our global efforts to extend His Kingdom.
- 9 **GRN Mexico:** As of this writing, the Culiacán Project is in question, due to the very high level of danger in the area. Even the local Christians are advising that outsiders stay away. Pray for Director Chucho and God's guidance for him and the teams.
- 10 **Mexican Outreaches:** Other areas of Mexico are asking for GRN teams to come and conduct outreaches to agricultural camps. Sonora, northern Chihuahua, and northern Baja are options for short-term teams to visit and share the Gospel. Pray for Mike H from USA staff who takes teams on these trips.
- 11 **USA Director:** Continue to uphold Director Bryan as he leads the efforts of GRN USA. He will be returning to Tucson this week after visiting the UK for several weeks. Next month he travels to Thailand and Australia, and to Nigeria in March.
- 12 **Praying Scripture:** *And it shall come to pass afterward that I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions.* Acts 2:17
- 13 **GRN Indonesia:** GRN Australia is in process to re-start the center in Indonesia. USA will be assisting with funding. Give thanks for faithful recordists Ronny and Chandra, who have served there for years and are looking forward to the future. Pray for the official registration process to go smoothly.
- 14 **USA New Staff:** Ask the Lord to bring us new staff: those who belong to Bible-believing churches, who are teachable and can learn to take responsibility, and who have servant hearts and a strong sense of the Lord's calling to reach the lost.
- 15 **Advanced Training:** Next month 17 of our current recording team members will take advanced training in Thailand. Pray for all the preparations for this course, for safe travel from various countries, for open minds and hearts for the students, and for technical skills to be learned well.

- 16 USA Accounting:** Pray for Shannon and her team as they navigate new procedures resulting from transfer of data and financial processes to a new software program. We also need experienced financial assistance.
- 17 GRN Nigeria:** Give thanks for Director Kish who has served faithfully for many years in Nigeria, through many dangers and trials. He is passing the baton to Joshua B who will take over in March. Pray for God's blessing on his ministry of directing the work.
- 18 USA Properties:** Reconstruction of "The Residence" is nearing completion at the Tucson complex. Praise God for this home, which will be available for volunteers and visitors to use. Thank God for Dan and all the others who have worked on this project.
- 19 Praying Scripture:** *And a vision appeared to Paul in the night. A man of Macedonia stood and pleaded with him, saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us."* Acts 16:9
- 20 International Director:** Pray for Tim as he leads the Network forward in 2025. The next International Leadership Team (ILT) meetings will be in the USA in March of this year.
- 21 The GRN MapApp:** Pray for Allan and his team as they continually develop and improve this resource for use by missionaries and Christian outreach workers worldwide.
- 22 Israel:** Pray for the peace of Jerusalem. Pray for all the people suffering from the war. Pray for true peace in the hearts of many. *May those who love you prosper.* Ps. 122:6
- 23 GRN Australia:** They have plans to build three new recording and processing studios this year. Pray for wisdom, direction, and provision for this. Pray for Simon, Noel, and Henry as they navigate this long process.
- 24 GRN Philippines:** Give thanks for Mary Ann R who is taking over as Center Director for GRN Philippines. Pray for God's blessing on her ministry. Give thanks for Jurine T who has led this center for several decades.
- 25 Tumi Tiger:** Praise God that the demand for Tumi Tiger has exceeded the ability of our supplier to make them! Praise God for the children who are benefiting from its comfort and wisdom, amid trauma and distress. Please pray for more people to see its positive ministry benefits. Pray that the supply of these Tigers meets future needs.
- 26 Praying Scripture:** *Now the Lord spoke to Paul in the night by a vision, "Do not be afraid, but speak, and do not keep silent."* Acts 18:9
- 27 Health of USA Staff:** Pray for several of our staff who are either recovering from surgeries, awaiting surgeries, or dealing with insurance issues for medical care.
- 28 Unreached People Groups:** The Joshua Project has targeted prayer for 31 unreached people groups, with less than 0.1% Christians, and no Christian outreach actively engaging with them. Eighteen of them are in India. Pray for our efforts to record and distribute materials in India.
- 29 Recordings for Refugees:** Recently Ed adapted a message to be used with refugees and immigrants, and recorded it in the U.K. Pray for the people out of their own countries who will hear these recordings, who need God's message of peace and hope.
- 30 Spanish Translations:** Thank God for Maritza, who works off-site as our Spanish translator (TIPs, ALERTs, other publications) and liaises with Latin American field workers.
- 31 GRN South Africa:** Director Dalene J gives thanks that the Fwe language distribution project in western Zambia was fully funded. Pray for safe travel and effective distribution of these precious Gospel resources to Fwe-speaking churches.



"Expect great things from God; attempt great things for God." --William Carey.

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