

TOGETHER IN PRAYER

December 2025



Dear friend,

This month we remember a "young person" who came from His perfect home above to this fallen world. Let's also remember to pray for the young people of our country who face the challenge of growing up in a way that is pleasing to the Lord. Up to 10,000 of them will be coming together in Phoenix for fellowship and to learn of inspiring opportunities from Dec. 27 to 31.

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The GRN USA Team

1 **Urbana 2025:** Pray for the thousands of young people who will attend this conference. Pray the Holy Spirit reveals His will to them. Pray for the 50 mission agencies presenting the opportunity to serve Christ around the world, and at home, too.

- 2 **GRN USA Board:** Our USA Board had a truly blessed time in mid-November. The Holy Spirit drew the board members together to listen to His leading and make a number of strategic decisions. Stay tuned for some of these in later publications.
- 3 The Mpi of Thailand: Thank God for GRNT's continued relationship with the Mpi tribe. Please pray for God to work in the hearts of the Mpi people so that they will dedicate their lives to the Lord. Pray also that God will work in the hearts of the Northern Thai who are listening to players that GRNT left with them.
- 4 Passing the baton: A big challenge is finding the next generation of saints who will pray, take a vital interest in telling the story of Jesus in every language, and give as God directs. We are very thankful for Aidan and Hannah, who are assisting us with social media presentations.
- 5 **GRN Canada:** There is an immediate need for the Canadian Board to find a person who can take over the administrative work of David Elliott. The Board has been looking for a new director, with no success to this point. Pray for the Lord's will as the Board considers their options going forward.
- West Africa coordinator: Pray for Jérémie, new staff on the Swiss team. Jérémie and his wife are from Burkina Faso and will be managing the relationships between the West African GRN centers and the Swiss office as the funding center.
- 7 Advent Joy: When Jesus was born, angels announced His coming to the world. "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people" (Luke 2:10, NIV).
- 8 Graham S: Graham, from GRN Australia, is visiting in the USA for 10 weeks (3 Nov to 14 Jan). Pray for him as he provides technical assistance in the USA office, and then spends some time vacationing with his family.

- 9 Urbana 2025: Pray for the international team who will represent GRN at Urbana later this month. Pray for grace to listen, wisdom to answer questions, and the ability to share the vision of using audio-visual materials to speak God's message to people in every language.
- 10 Number of languages: Officially, GRN now has 6,700+ languages available. The entire picture is more complicated (some are language varieties, some languages are quite old, linguists need more specific details, etc.) but praise God with us for His faithfulness over the past 86 years!
- 11 European need: There is currently no recording team in Europe. Pray that the Lord will call people to this important task. Thousands of refugees across Europe are from places that are difficult to reach; God is bringing them to us.
- 12 India recordings: Pray for the Kumbhar recording project in Kerala, India. Give thanks for funds provided and for faithful language helpers. Pray the project will be completed successfully. And also pray for other projects being planned.
- 13 **GRN Indonesia:** Give praise to the Lord for the progress in re-establishing the center in Indonesia. Uphold Ronni and Candra, the recording team, in their efforts to record, distribute, and develop partnerships in their country.
- Advent Peace: Christ comes to bring justice, wholeness, and harmony to every relationship. He wants to continually grant us peace in every situation. Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times and in every way. The Lord be with all of you (2 Thes. 3:16, NIV).
- 15 Keeping spiritually fit: Our relationship with our Lord is essential. Pray that all GRN workers may find adequate time each day to spend in prayer and communion in the Lord's presence.

- 16 Prayer warriors: The work of GRN is a spiritual work that cannot be done without prayer. One of the most important things a GRN center can do is to recruit prayer warriors. Pray that centers would be proactive in in building strong prayer support teams.
- 17 **New recordist:** Pray for Robert T, a new staff member with GRN USA. He is working hard to build a support and prayer team for his ministry of recording in South Sudan. Pray for these efforts, and for Robert's heart as he waits on the Lord for His support and His timing. Pray about his future training and eventual placement with a more experienced African team.
- 18 USA 2025 finances: Praise the Lord with us for provision for this ministry for 87 years. This year has been a year of blessing financially, enabling us to partner with other centers, expand our team, and move forward in the goals God gave us for this year.
- 19 Volunteers: Dan R is very thankful for the 'snowbird' volunteers who come during winter months to help with projects around our Arizona facilities. Pray for God's blessing on these servants, and for protection for them as they attend to various projects.
- 20 From Dan and Na T: Please pray as we coordinate and host a construction mission team for around 10 people late December and the first part of January at Lanna Christian School in Chiang Kham, Thailand. Na will be able to join the team if she receives her USA citizenship and then her USA passport in time. We want to be open to the full will of God for us.
- 21 Advent Love: See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! (1 John 3:1, NIV).

- Nigerian van project: Our team in Nigeria is in serious need of a new van for recording and distribution trips around their country. Every mile traveled in this van will help people who have never heard the story of Jesus hear that wonderful Good News. Pray for God's provision for this need.
- 23 GRN Kenya: Walter, James, and Monica are serving faithfully in our Kenyan office. Pray for them as they plan distribution trips and seek partners to record in different language groups. Walter gives thanks for a successful trip, meeting with those who speak the Suba language.
- 24 GRN USA Board: Continue to pray for the Lord to lead our Board, and for new members in 2026. Pray also for our Executive Director, Bryan, as he liaises between Staff and Board. While his responsibilities are heavy, we pray for him the "peace that passes understanding" that only the Holy Spirit can work in our lives.
- 25 Christmas: For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on His shoulders. And He will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace (Isa. 9:6, NIV).
- 26 USA publications: Pray for wisdom as we seek to reproduce several of our classic GRN books, and also to write a new one with fresh stories of those who have become first-generation Christians in their language group because of hearing the Gospel on our recordings.
- 27 **Urbana begins:** These next four days will be life-changing for many of the young attendees. Pray for God's Spirit to speak, and may the listeners accept what God says to them and respond to His call on their lives.
- 28 Advent Hope: He came and preached peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near (Eph. 2:17, NIV).

- 29 The body of Christ: Give thanks for each person who works in partnership with GRN: whether they pray, give, volunteer, serve on staff, help in making recordings, or use our recordings to make disciples of all nations.
- 30 Testimony: "While talking about 5fish, a lady that worked in India and Bhutan asked me about two languages and was shocked to see our recordings in both of those languages. She said, 'No one ever has material in those languages.' She was thrilled and downloaded 5fish on the spot." Praise the Lord for this way to share the Gospel.
- 31 Happy New Year: May the Lord grant you peace and joy as you enter the New Year. Thank you for praying with us for the Lord's strength, provision, and encouragement each day.



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