



Prayer Requests and Updates from CFC's Partners

Compassion International

-Pray that God would heal Srijon in Bangla-desh, who is suffering from kidney disease and needs complete healing.

-Pray for Survival Pro-gram mom Emefa in Togo, who is pregnant and expecting twins. Pray that the babies are delivered healthy, safely and on time.

-Pray for protection of our children and their families in Kenya as swarms of locusts are causing widespread damage. Pray espe-cially for those who depend on farming as their livelihood.

Immerse

-Health and safety for staff and students/residents. We currently have four residents in our International House (down from 29). All of our Academic English classes are continuing online.

-Wisdom in working out the details for accepting new residents during the COVID-19 crisis (there is the possibility of several Millersville University international students moving into our International House in May)

-A favorable response for our application to the federal Payroll Protection Program.

IJM

-Please pray for the family of one of our survivors in Uganda. The survivor's mother is both a single mom to two children and a student currently preparing for her final exams. Due to COVID-19, the children are no longer able to stay at the shelter where the survivor was receiving aftercare, and are having to stay with their mother in her university hostel room. As a student, the survivor's mother currently has no livelihood, and the lack of support from the shelter leaves this already vulnerable family even more vulnerable. Please pray for their safety and protection from the virus in the midst of these difficulties.

-Pray for our team in El Salvador as they work alongside public justice system officials to protect the most vulnerable in a country where almost a third of the population lives in poverty. Pray for God's wisdom and protection for our team as they find creative ways to support public justice system authorities to better serve survivors of violence while complying with the current strict quarantine measures.

-Please pray for IJM's outreach to women and families living in red-light districts in the cities where we work. Due to the COVID-19 lockdowns, these women have no income and are becoming desperate to support their children. IJM and our partners are working hard to provide them with food and hygiene



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kits. Pray that we can also support the local government well as they protect these women and their families during this time of need, and pray that traffickers and brothel keepers do not inflict more violence on vulnerable women during the turmoil.

-Praise the Lord for the incredible momentum the Philippines team achieved in the first few months of the year. Perpetrators are being convicted on a weekly basis and the judgments are sending a clear message that the Philippine government and rule of law are on the side of vulnerable children. Pray a prayer of protection over these children, as community lockdowns and increasing economic strain elevate the possibilities for the exploitation of children. Pray that God would convict the hearts of the perpetrators and extend a hand of protection over the most vulnerable.

Intervarsity

Prayer for Students:

1. Please ask God to surround students with good discipleship support. Some students returned home to an environment that doesn't support their faith and some have good spiritual support. One of our leadership students expressed the need to be able to share hope in these anxious times with her family members who don't know the hope of Jesus.

2. Pray for our graduating seniors who are uncertain about future jobs and who are now faced with completing their last semester of college and potentially not being able to celebrate the milestone of graduation as anticipated.

3. Pray for God's leading as we seek to continue ministering to students through virtual environments, hand-written communication, and other creative opportunities. Pray for opportunities to invite other students to experience our community through online avenues.

Prayer for our Family:

1. Please pray for our 7 family members as we come up with ways to be all together in limited spaces. Mandy and I are thankful for time with our kids and we are thankful for our health. With both of us working from home and taking care of Isabelle's special needs along with the 2.5yr old Alli, things can get crazy quickly.

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2. Pray for our children as they do college online (Addie) and await the decision from our school district on how this year is to be finished.

Life Cycles

- Pray for continued gratitude to God for His protection and love for us all through these times.
- Pray for the desire for unity instead of division.
- Pray for healing for teens, families, and leaders who are ill.
- Gratitude for CFC's ability to continue to minister and teach.

Pioneers

Will you join us in praying Psalm 66:1-3 for the next month?

Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;
sing the glory of his name;
give to him glorious praise.

Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!
Because of your great power, your enemies cringe before you.

All the earth worships you;
they sing praises to you,
sing praises to your name.

Siloam

- We need favor -The government promised to give us a large property to use for our clinic so we do not have to be in a rental place.
- In a process of opening a pharmacy, pray to know His will, and provision of all the need.
- For the Lord's protection of our Team at the clinic.

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- Siloam Ethiopia has a medical Director who is a volunteer Doctor now. The Lord also provided another Doctor for our clinic, praise the Lord! They are going around bringing awareness and teaching the community about covid-19.
- I, Wegayhu, have changed jobs in the middle of all this, please pray for wisdom and knowledge.



