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- 19** PRAY for **Dale, Nick**, volunteer **Gary**, and **other volunteers** who fill small orders involving many titles and languages, often facing urgent deadlines. Pray for focus, accuracy, and peace. *The LORD gives wisdom; from His mouth come knowledge and understanding. (Proverbs 2:6)*
PRAY for the people who speak Gawigl.
- 20** PRAY the **World Prayer Center** and the **Fireside Chapel** will be sanctuaries of worship, praise, and prayer for WMP, for our local community, for our country, and for the world.
Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints. (Ephesians 6:18)
PRAY for the people who speak Georgian.
- 21** PRAY that all supplies needed — paper, ink, etc. — will be available without undue delays. PRAISE God for recent deliveries of sheet-fed paper for printing covers. PRAY for continued on time deliveries.
Now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that works in us. (Ephesians 3:20)
PRAY for the people who speak German.
- 22** Pray for **daily provision, safety, stamina, wisdom, peace, and grace for WMP staff and volunteers**. Pray for protection from accidents, illness, against all attacks from the enemy and healing where necessary. Pray for **family members who need to be saved or to be healed**. *Neither he who plants is anything, nor he who waters, but God who gives the increase. For we are God's fellow workers. (1 Corinthians 3:7, 9a)*
PRAY for the people who speak Getsogo.
- 23** PRAY for **protection over WMP's facility** and for safety for employees and volunteers. Pray for the **Safety Committee**, which considers precautions and compliance with legal requirements. *You alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety. (Psalm 4:8b)*
PRAY for the people who speak Giriama.
- 24** PRAY for wisdom, grace, health, strength, and favor for **Harold Mack, president of WMP**, as he depends on God to lead the work.
My soul follows close behind You; Your right hand upholds me. (Psalm 63:8)
PRAY for the people who speak Goan Konkani (Roman and Script).

- 25** PRAISE the Lord if you know the Savior of the world. PRAY for those who merely celebrate a holiday, and for those cultures and places that do not recognize God's greatest gift.
For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. (John 3:16) *PRAY for the people who speak Gourma.*
- 26** PRAY that **more believers will CATCH the VISION** to provide God's Word for the world through volunteering, praying, giving, and going in obedience to God's call.
Your people shall be volunteers in the day of Your power. (Psalm 110:3a)
PRAY for the people who speak Greek.
- 27** PRAY for guidance, peace, and grace for **Harold, Helen, Immanuel, Jerry, Twila, and Trent** in planning freight shipments.
Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths. (Proverbs 3:5-6)
PRAY for the people who speak Guarani.
- 28** PRAY that the Lord would provide a lead bindery operator. PRAISE God for the way He has provided mature and faithful new employees.
Not lagging in diligence, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord. (Romans 12:11)
PRAY for the people who speak Gujarati.
- 29** PRAY that God will raise up more **WMP Ambassadors** who pray and share what God is doing through **WMP**. Pray that God will use the podcasts, blog posts, and other material available at www.wmpambassadors.org.
Serving the Lord; rejoicing in hope, ... continuing steadfastly in prayer. (Romans 12:11b-12)
PRAY for the people who speak Gun.
- 30** PRAY for **Prepress supervisor Twila** and her team as they supply plates for both presses. Pray for **Twila** as she prepares complex production schedules.
And whatever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus. (Colossians 3:17a)
PRAY for the people who speak Halbi.
- 31** PRAY for wisdom, strength, protection, and good health for **88 volunteer WMP coordinators in 83 nations**. **Pray for strong faith, overflowing joy, courage for the task, grace, and peace.**
Wait on the LORD; be of good courage, and He shall strengthen your heart. (Psalm 27:14a)
PRAY for the people who speak Hamtai.

December, 2022

Dear Friends and Prayer Partners,

God miraculously planned, implemented, and announced Jesus' birth, however, the people involved were similar to other saintly people.

Zacharias had reached the zenith of his priestly career, but his parent-heart remained empty. Then he heard the words: **"Do not be afraid, Zacharias, for your prayer is heard."**

A hurting Joseph thinking about Mary's condition, was formulating a response that was as kind as possible, when **behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, "... do not be afraid to take to you Mary your wife."**

When the perplexed wise men were leaving Jerusalem **behold, the star which they had seen in the East went before them, and they rejoiced with exceedingly great joy and fell down and worshiped Him.**

Although advanced in age, Simeon and Anna never lost faith in God. By the Spirit, they witnessed about an 8-day old baby. Simeon **took Him up in his arms and blessed God and said: "My eyes have seen Your salvation which You have prepared before the face of all peoples, a light to bring revelation to the Gentiles, and the glory of Your people Israel."** Anna gave thanks to the Lord, and spoke of Him to all those who looked for redemption in Jerusalem.

Mary, Elizabeth, Zacharias, and shepherds gave praise to God as angel announcements became reality. A pregnant Mary says: **"My soul magnifies the Lord, And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior."** Zacharias (when able to hold his son) added: **"Blessed is the Lord God of Israel, for He has visited and redeemed His people, and has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of His servant David."** Saintly people are still constant in prayer and vocal in praise.

MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE!

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(References from
Matthew 1 & 2,
& Luke 1 & 2)

Prayer and Praise

DECEMBER, 2022

(We have begun listing the languages we print here at WMP. Please look up the language to find out where it is spoken and better understand the people.)

- 1 **DAILY FOCUS FOR DECEMBER:** PRAISE that the new-to-us bindery has finally arrived. PRAY for those moving the booklet binderies. PRAY for **Roger** and other electricians bringing power to new or moved equipment.

Commit your works to the LORD, and your thoughts will be established. (Proverbs 16:3)

PRAY for people who speak Ebara.

- 2 PRAY for our web press, which is essential to meeting production quotas, and for the operators who operate and maintain it.

Our soul waits for the LORD; He is our help and our shield. (Psalm 33:20)

PRAY for the people who speak Edo.

- 3 PRAY for **Helen** as she communicates with national coordinators and translators; and for **Immanuel** as he interacts with shipping agents, freight forwarders, and the truckers who pick up shipments.

May He who supplies seed to the sower, multiply the seed you have sown. (2 Corinthians 9:10a)

PRAY for the people who speak Efik.

- 4 PRAISE that all the promises of God are fulfilled in Jesus Christ. He is our hope, today, tomorrow, and forever!

Now He who establishes us with you in Christ and has anointed us is God, who also has sealed us and given us the Spirit in our hearts as a guarantee. (2 Corinthians 1:21, 22)

PRAY for the people who speak Ekegusii.

- 5 PRAY for our IT Department, that **Landon** and **Mike** have wisdom to keep our computers operating well, and free from cyber attacks.

Pray for us, that the Word of the Lord may have free course and be glorified. (2 Thessalonians 3:1b)

PRAY for the people who speak Elimbari.

- 6 PRAY that God will **use WMP's mobile app** with more than **700 Scripture booklets**, **39 audio booklets** in 14 languages, and **push notifications** that can receive daily prayer requests, shipment updates, and new podcasts.

[Many] who heard the Word believed. (Acts 4:4a)

PRAY for the people who speak English.

- 7 PRAY for continued fruitfulness for trained pastors planting churches in 25 states in a South Asian Country. PRAY that God will provide every resource needed to fulfill their mission.

For the LORD gives wisdom. (Proverbs 2:6a)

PRAY for the people who speak Estonian.

- 8 PRAY for **revival to grow** and that the various prayer movements actively seeking God's mercy and grace on behalf of our nation will flourish.

Seek the LORD while He may be found, call upon Him while He is near. Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, and He will have mercy on him; and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon. (Isaiah 55:6-7)

PRAY for the people who speak Etsako.

- 9 PRAY for all who are incarcerated, whether justly or unjustly. Pray that **WMP's Scripture-text Datebook** will be a blessing wherever it is used in prisons throughout the U.S.A. Pray that those enslaved to addictions **will find true freedom in Christ**.

Remember the prisoners as if chained with them—those who are mistreated—since you yourselves are in the body also. (Hebrews 13:3)

PRAY for the people who speak Ewe.

- 10 PRAY that **many in Israel** will develop interest in reading God's Word and recognize Jesus as the Messiah. 97% are considered unreached by the gospel.

Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: may they prosper who love you. (Psalm 122:6)

PRAY for the people who speak Fakai.

- 11 PRAY for hurting Christians who count it a joy to suffer for their Lord — Who came to bring peace, joy, and good will to men. PRAY for nations where freedoms are restricted.

Now may the Lord of peace Himself give you peace always in every way. The Lord be with you all. (2 Thessalonians 3:16)

PRAY for the people who speak Fante.

- 12 PRAY for wisdom, patience, health, strength, and grace for **Jerry W., Vice-president, Plant Operations**, and those he works with, as he oversees overall production and maintenance of facilities.

Whatever your hand finds to do, do it with your might. (Ecclesiastes 9:10a)

PRAY for the people who speak Fijian.

- 13 PRAISE God for safe arrival of shipments to **Cape Verde, Chad, Puerto Rico, South Africa, South Asia, South Sudan, and Hong Kong**.

PRAY for shipments in customs in **Chile, Argentina, Ethiopia, Guatemala, Jamaica, and Liberia**. Pray for fruit which lasts for eternity!

He who continually goes forth weeping, bearing seed for sowing, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him. (Psalm 126:6)

PRAY for the people who speak Fijian Hindi.

- 14 PRAY for the safety of shipments on their way to **Kenya, Paraguay, Tanzania, Cameroon, Peru, Uganda, Ghana, and Côte d'Ivoire**.

The LORD shall preserve your going out and your coming in from this time forth, and even forevermore. (Psalm 121:8)

PRAY for the people who speak Finnish.

- 15 PRAY that shipments soon to leave for **Democratic Republic of the Congo (2), Angola, Namibia, Brazil, and the Philippines** will arrive safely. PRAY that empty ship containers will be available when needed.

The crooked places shall be made straight and the rough places smooth. The Word of our God stands forever. (Isaiah 40:4b, 8b)

PRAY for the people who speak Fon.

- 16 PRAY against the increased Internet censorship around the world so that Scriptures can be available to those who are hungry for them.

And the LORD, He is the One who goes before you. He will be with you....Do not fear nor be dismayed. (Deuteronomy 31:8)

PRAY for the people who speak French.

- 17 PRAY for the **donors to WMP**. Pray they are blessed in their finances, enabling them to give what the Lord puts on their hearts.

That you, always having all sufficiency in all things, may have an abundance for every good work. (2 Corinthians 9:8b)

PRAY for the people who speak Fulfulde.

- 18 REJOICE with us! We can live every day in the joy of the Lord because Christ has come. We praise God for the privilege of printing and shipping the Word of God around the world.

So shall My Word be that goes forth from My mouth; it shall not return to Me void, but it shall accomplish what I please, and it shall prosper in the thing for which I sent it. (Isaiah 55:11)

PRAY for the people who speak Ga.