



PRAYER FOCUS

MAY 2018

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US IN PRAYING FOR THE NATIONS!

Daisy had no idea how a simple “yes” would change her life.

A few years ago, her son asked if he could go to vacation Bible school. Daisy’s decision to let him go still impacts her family today.

That VBS is where Daisy met TEAM missionaries Art and Vicki — who then introduced her whole family to Christ. Now, Daisy and her husband serve as teachers in the Emmanuel Evangelical Church in Mexico.

All because of one decision. All because of one vacation Bible school.

THIS MAY, WILL YOU PRAY WITH US FOR VBS AND SUMMER CAMP MINISTRIES?

Sun: **ASK GOD** to keep bringing new children to VBS ministries, year after year.

Mon: **PRAY** that children and parents will have hearts that are open to hearing the Word of God.

Tue: **ASK GOD** to give missionaries wisdom and insight as they plan VBS and summer camps.

Wed: **PRAY** for effective follow-up efforts that lead families to give their lives to Jesus.

Thu: **PRAY** that VBS workers will be able to plan camps and Bible schools during times that will accommodate the most children.

Fri: **ASK GOD** to reveal Truth to anyone in the community or government who would dissuade children from learning about Christ.

Sat: **PRAY** that long-term missionaries will know how to best use the short-term teams that come to help with VBS and summer camp activities.

TURN OVER FOR MORE REQUESTS!



PRAYER REQUESTS FROM AROUND THE WORLD:

- 1. THE PHILIPPINES** | The Philippine Congress is voting this month on whether to strengthen Sharia Law in autonomous regions of the Philippines. This could have major consequences on ministry teams living in those areas as they try to share the Gospel. Please pray that this law will not be passed.
- 2. THAILAND** | Kennedy Paizs asks for prayers for his friend Bamboo. She's an elderly woman who runs a snack bar at the local mall. He has witnessed to her in the past, and recently, she has expressed interest in becoming a Christian. Pray that she will continue to seek the Truth.
- 3. SOUTH ASIA** | Nancy Sturrock and a group of other TEAM missionaries took a trip to Bangladesh in November. They identified two partners through whom TEAM can begin sending workers to this needy country. One is a hospital that is very much in need of maternal/child health professionals, rehab specialists and teachers. Pray as mobilizers begin to share these opportunities with interested individuals. Nancy hopes TEAM can join projects that address issues with holistic approaches that can bring about real and lasting transformation.

PRAISE REPORTS FROM AROUND THE WORLD:

- 1. PAPUA** | Walter Kennedy is thankful that his friend and colleague is no longer in the hospital. He is the chairman of Papua's national mission board and recently fell from a 12-foot-tall tree. He was admitted to the hospital with internal injuries, but his X-rays showed no broken bones so the doctor released him with some medications. Praise the Lord that he was not more hurt!
- 2. MEXICO** | Several large and many small donations to the Rancho El Camino have brought the Ranch Ministry Training Center very close to being fully funded! They now have enough funds to finish the house and will only lack the funds to complete the solar systems for the center. They thank God for all the prayer, support and volunteers who have made this project possible.