

# Pray *Every Day* for EVERYDAY

*Daily prayer requests for  
the overseas literature outreach of*

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## March 2012

**Thurs. 1** *"I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine making request for you all with joy, for your fellowship in the gospel from the first day until now,"* Philippians 1:3-5 NKJV.

**Fri. 2** From Alma Turnbull: *"I have received Never Thirst Again – Studies in John's Gospel from our proofreader (Eunice) and am making the corrections. The Test Booklet for Jeremiah and Lamentations has been returned for corrections also. I appreciate the careful attention Eunice gives to each project. These 'steps' are very important in the production of our books."* Pray that the Lord will give Alma continued strength for each day.

**Sat. 3** Praise the Lord for the positive response to the samples sent to the Emmaus Correspondence School International Regional Directors and Coordinators. Pray that this would result in more extensive use of EPI courses (PED *(Pray Every Day)* Nov. 14).

**Sun. 4** From Mark Beach: *"We enjoyed a visit from Joseph Frimpong who stopped by (in February) to do a little shopping for books to be included in a shipment that he will be sending to Ghana in April. He left with 9 boxes of more than 1,300 books! He called back two days later to thank us again very profusely!"* Pray that the Lord will prepare the way for the Frimpongs' return to the field.

**Mon. 5** Pray for missionaries in Zambia who order EPI books to be given wisdom in selection and distribution. Pray that the orders may be received at EPI in time to be able to have them ready for the ACCTS container going in April.

**Tues. 6** Praise the Lord for the continued use of the Everyday English books going out from EPI – over 5,500 distributed in four months! These books are still a vital part of "feeding the sheep" in many countries around the world.

**Wed. 7** Pray that the Lord may prosper Sara Townsend in the final stages, D.V., of preparing the reformatted Spanish translation of *God's Timetable* (by David Boyd Long) for reprinting.

**Thurs. 8** Pray for continued wisdom for Mark as he responds to almost daily requests for free literature. Pray for discernment of the need and for what is appropriate to send.

**Fri. 9** Continue to pray that the Lord would move the Congo container of Swahili Bibles and hymnbooks on its way from Mombasa, Kenya through Uganda and into Congo. His timing is perfect so pray on.

**Sat. 10** Praise the Lord for the vision and legacy of Dr. Harlow, already a resident of heaven for nine years. "May all who come behind us find us faithful."

**Sun. 11** From Margery Lipsi, Brazil: *"I pray for you every night and ask the Lord to bless you all in His great work there. Thank you so very much for the great package you sent...the assembly here have a lending library that really works, people devour the books. It was so good of you to send them."*

**Mon. 12** Pray that EPI President Don MacMullen would have wisdom and discernment as he oversees the ministry of EPI and that he would regain full use of his arm and shoulder (PED Jan. 4).

**Tues. 13** From Gertrud Harlow: *"Good News: The translation of the first volume of Wm. MacDonald's New Testament commentary (Matthew to Acts) into Congo Swahili has been completed, 560 pages. Pray for final preparations of the files before sending them to press in Michigan."*

**Wed. 14** Pray for Eunice Free as she prepares a manuscript designed for women. Pray that the Holy Spirit would guide her and give clarity and insight as she works (PED Nov. 21).

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**Thurs. 15** Praise the Lord for Gail Beach and all the gifts and talents He has given her to equip her for the work at EPI. Pray that she would know much of His leading and guiding in her walk with the Savior. Pray also for her physical health and that she would be as pain-free as possible (PED May 13).

**Fri. 16** Pray that the many thousands of books sent to almost 90 different countries in past years may continue to be used of the Lord for building up His people and for reaching the lost.

**Sat. 17** Pray for a good response to the EPI book table at the CMML “Focus on China” Missions Conference being held in New Jersey today.

**Sun. 18** From a New Life Prison Ministry student: *“The course **Kingdom Divided** was a challenge. The first 4 chapters took me a lot of time as I read the Bible for the answers then read the study guide to better understand. I can’t thank you enough for these studies, most of all I’ve learned is through your ministry.”*

**Mon. 19** Pray for the young people in the families of EPI staff and volunteers, asking that they be firm and faithful in their commitment to the Lord and that they may seek and follow His direction in making life-impacting decisions.

**Tues. 20** Thank the Lord for the work of Dr. Ross Woodward with Chinese students in Mississauga, ON. He makes good use of the book ***Basic Beliefs of the Christian Faith*** which is ***Food for New Believers*** in Chinese /English. Pray that many would come to the Savior for salvation and return to their country an eager witness for Him.

**Wed. 21** Pray for ongoing strength for Noel Bondt as he continues the daily tasks of computer programming and network maintenance. Pray that he would not grow weary in the work.

**Thurs. 22** Praise the Lord that the print shop was off to a busy start for 2012 with 7,284 EPI books and 2,500 test booklets printed. Also 5,281 items were produced for other ministries in the area.

**Fri. 23** Praise the Lord for the functional premises that He has provided. Pray for continued protection from fire, theft, flood, or vandalism.

**Sat. 24** Pray for a good response to the EPI book table at the Detroit Area Missions Conference being held in Detroit, Michigan today.

**Sun. 25** Praise the Lord for an encouraging visit from Andrew and Hilary Rennie. They were happy to see all that the Lord has been doing at EPI since their last visit to the office.

**Mon. 26** Pray for Harold MacDougall as he oversees the running of the print shop, manages the volunteers, and keeps on top of the inventory. Pray for ability to keep focused in the face of many distractions.

**Tues. 27** Praise the Lord for our good neighbors at Gospel Folio Press, who also distribute all of our English EPI titles. Pray that the Lord would bless them as they seek to serve God and His people.

**Wed. 28** Pray for Caleb Beach as he makes decisions concerning schooling for this coming year. Also pray for Joshua and Alyssa Beach, still in need of a home. Pray that the Lord would direct them to the right place at the right time (PED Jan. 28).

**Thurs. 29** Praise the Lord for the individual Christians and assemblies who the Lord burdens to encourage and support the work of EPI. Pray that the Lord would bless them abundantly as only He can!

**Fri. 30** Pray for the Lord’s encouragement for Grace Spence as she studies a course in music at Brock University on Friday mornings. This is to better equip her in teaching her piano students and to receive accreditation.

**Sat. 31** Pray for the Lord’s provision of someone with Spanish competency, called of Him, to come and take some responsibility in the Spanish work at EPI.

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**April 2012**

**Sun. 1** *“And this I pray, that your love may abound still more and more in knowledge and all discernment, that you may approve the things that are excellent, that you may be sincere and without offense till the day of Christ, being filled with the fruits of righteousness which are by Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God,”* Philippians 1:9-11 NKJV.

**Mon. 2** Pray for Peter Kerr who has the responsibility for Emmaus Correspondence School Canada. Pray that the EPI courses he uses would be effective and that many would be challenged and encouraged as they study.

**Tues. 3** Thank the Lord for Margarida Cerqueira and Cidinha Moss (translators) and Marjorie Beckwith (translation checker/proofreader) who help with our Portuguese program. Pray for encouragement and blessing for them in their current projects.

**Wed. 4** Praise the Lord for the correction of an “enduring problem” with the black and white printer (PED May 27). Harold is relieved and pleased with the results.

**Thurs. 5** Pray that we at EPI may *“walk worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing Him, being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God,”* Colossians 1:10 NKJV.

**Fri. 6** *“Hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a Man attested by God to you by miracles, wonders, and signs which God did through Him in your midst, as you yourselves also know: Him, being delivered by the determined purpose and foreknowledge of God, you have taken by lawless hands, have crucified, and put to death,”* Acts 2:22,23 NKJV.

**Sat. 7** Pray for the Lord to use the EPI book table set up at the Toronto Easter Conference yesterday and today. Pray that the ministry heard, books sold, contacts made, and fellowship enjoyed would be all to His glory.

**Sun. 8** *“But when they looked up...they saw a young man clothed in a long white robe sitting on the right side...But he said to them, ‘Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. **He is risen! He is not here.** See the place where they laid Him’,”* Mark 16:4-6 NKJV.

**Mon. 9** Pray for timely submission of needed information to Della Letkeman so that she can prepare the agenda for the upcoming Editorial Committee meeting on May 5th.

**Tues. 10** Join Sara in thanking the Lord for His help and leading in apportioning time and strength to her various EPI, assembly, and personal responsibilities (PED Jan. 23). Pray for His continued leading daily.

**Wed. 11** Praise the Lord for the happy arrangement of the shared office responsibilities at EPI for Gail Beach and Barb MacDougall, freeing them both for time at home as well as in the assembly.

**Thurs. 12** *“Continue earnestly in prayer, being vigilant in it with thanksgiving; meanwhile praying also for us, that God would open to us a door for the word,”* Colossians 4:2,3 NKJV. We thank the Lord for the faithful ones who continue earnestly in prayer for EPI – it is our lifeline!

**Fri. 13** Gertrud writes: *“I have resumed translating the second volume of Wm. MacDonald’s New Testament commentary (Romans to Colossians). Sometimes I wonder ...but the Lord has not withdrawn the command ‘No Time to Quit’ (R.E. Harlow), so I continue to depend on Him to enable, and value the continued prayers of His people.”*

## April 2012

**Sat. 14** Overseas shipping of literature is becoming more and more difficult. Pray for the safe arrival of all shipments of EPI books currently on their way to their destinations.

**Sun. 15** From a New Life Prison Ministry student: *"I am studying the book called **The Way Out and The Way In**. It's awesome again how God loved His people, going to look after them when they entered the land of Canaan and once again they failed God. I guess in many ways that I also have and yet God still loves me."*

**Mon. 16** Give God thanks for each commended worker and for their willingness to follow the Lord's leading to EPI. Pray that they would continue to be sensitive to His Spirit and to follow Him completely.

**Tues. 17** We praise the Lord for our faithful volunteers Desmond and Gayle McCurry, Tom and Hilda Parkinson, Jimmy Rollo, John Storm, and Don and Jan DeBaeremaeker. They are invaluable to the work of EPI and a real source of encouragement as they come through the doors to work and also gather round the table at break time for fellowship.

**Wed. 18** Alma reports: *"Try as I might, it's hard to get 'quiet time' to work on my other project – writing about what the Lord has done, and is continuing to do, at Chitokoloki, Zambia. Prayer for me as I put thoughts and pictures together is vital, and I'm grateful for the interest shown by many. To God be the glory!"*

**Thurs. 19** Praise the Lord for the ongoing prison work of Life's Key, Set Free, and New Life Prison Ministry. Pray for lives to be changed and workers to be encouraged as they use EPI books and test booklets.

**Fri. 20** Pray for Executive Director Mark Beach as he prepares for the EPI Semi-Annual Meeting on May 5th. Pray for both Mark and Gail as they work on gathering information for reports and financial statements.

**Sat. 21** Pray for wisdom and fresh ideas in making our books known to current as well as potential "customers", whether they be assembly-commended missionaries who receive our books "no charge" or others in North America or overseas.

**Sun. 22** Praise the Lord for the 1,392 books sent to Venezuela and Ecuador in December. Pray for missionaries in these Spanish-speaking countries and that the lost would be won to Christ and the believers encouraged.

**Mon. 23** Pray for EPI Directors Steve Adams, Bill Allison, Ron Gee, Hanniel Ghezzi, Gertrud Harlow, Bill Letkeman, and Don MacMullen as they review reports in preparation for the Semi-Annual Meeting May 5th.

**Tues. 24** Pray for Noel and Dwana as they raise their children and prepare them for life. Pray for wisdom and daily leaning on the Lord for His strength.

**Wed. 25** Praise the Lord for the continued blessing of protection from accident and injury in the operation of the equipment in the print shop.

**Thurs. 26** Praise the Lord for the valuable ministry of MSC Canada and especially the ACCTS (Answering Christ's Call To Serve) containers that allows EPI to send so many books into Zambia and surrounding countries safely and relatively inexpensively.

**Fri. 27** Noel writes: *"Pray for missionaries as they use the EPI website in choosing the books best suited to their work. As all EPI titles are now on-line this can be a great asset for missionaries ordering for the ACCTS container to Zambia."*

**Sat. 28** Praise the Lord for His continued provision for EPI. Pray that we would be faithful stewards of all the resources the Lord blesses us with.

**Sun. 29** Thank the Lord that "His Word is Truth" and that we have the privilege of sending out books that explain His Word to so many.

**Mon. 30** Pray for safety in transit for books on their way to Zambia via ACCTS container. Pray for quick release from Customs and for safe and expeditious delivery of the books to their final destination once the container arrives.