

Pray *Every Day* for EVERYDAY

Daily prayer requests for the overseas literature outreach of

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Sun. 1 “Then He said to them, ‘The harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few; therefore pray the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest,’” Luke 10:2 NKJV.

Mon. 2 Pray that the Lord would send more of His laborers to help in His work at EPI.

Tues. 3 Pray for much blessing from a book table that EPI hosted at an annual conference of Portuguese-speaking assemblies held in Framingham, MA on September 1.

Wed. 4 From Alma Turnbull: “I was able to help with our Day Camp at Markham Bible Chapel (July 22-26). The Lord blessed with salvation, and also good weather. It is such a blessing to see the young ones enjoying the songs, and eagerly learning their Scripture verses. Thank God for freedom to ‘spread the Word’.”

Thurs. 5 We are sorry to say goodbye to long time volunteers Desmond and Gayle McCurry. They are relocating to the London area and have informed us that the weekly commute will not be likely!!! Thank the Lord for their 11 years of faithful service as the “Perfect Binders”!

Fri. 6 Praise the Lord for the amazing response to EPI’s Facebook page. Check out the informative video by Brian Cretney. Pray that it will be used of the Lord for His glory.

Sat. 7 Praise the Lord for the large orders received from missionaries for the October ACCTS container to Zambia. Pray that other missionaries would take advantage of this unique method of getting books to the field.

Sun. 8 From Mark Beach: “The brethren at the Angolan Literature Fund were excited to hear about the request for EPI books from the saints in Angola. They have asked missionary Ruth Hadley, who returned to Angola in June from medical leave, to verify the titles and quantities requested.” Praise the Lord and pray for this project!

Mon. 9 In the third quarter of our fiscal year 10,462 EPI books and test booklets were printed as well as 16,541 items for eight local ministries. Praise the Lord for the funds to print and the equipment and manpower to bind and finish each item.

Tues. 10 Pray that the Lord may prosper Margarida Cerqueira, Marjorie Beckwith, and Sara Townsend as they proofread the typeset Portuguese translation of *God’s Timetable* (PED (*Pray Every Day*) May 25 – typesetting not completed until August). Pray that all that is needed for this book to go into print may be completed in time to send it in the planned container of our books to Angola.

Wed. 11 Praise the Lord for the new insulated garage doors for the EPI shop, making the area more secure and easier to heat and cool. The Lord supplies in His way and His time.

Thurs. 12 Pray for much wisdom for Sara in managing the effects of her scleroderma (diagnosed in 2009) which seems to have become more active in recent months, resulting in visits to a gastroenterologist during the summer. Pray for the Lord’s leading in apportioning time and available strength to her various responsibilities and everyday living needs.

Fri. 13 Praise the Lord for the godly teaching and counsel Thirza Beach received at the **Missionary Orientation Program** in Pennsylvania (PED June 6). Pray for Thirza that she would know the Lord’s mind regarding her future.

Sat. 14 Praise the Lord for Paul Howland, refocused missionary to France, who has agreed to help revive the EPI French department.

Sun. 15 Ruby Campbell, Colombia: “The Lord wonderfully brought a young ex-prisoner to accompany me (on prison visits). He’s an ideal helper and was warmly received by all who remember him. He spent 11 years for something he never committed but I never heard him complain. He got saved in prison, studied about 80 courses and was a living testimony for the glory of God.” Pray for this work.

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Mon. 16 Pray that Noel Bondt might be encouraged in the Lord as he takes one day at a time dealing with personal health issues. Pray that Noel and Dwana would be fully dependent on the Lord Jesus Christ for their future.

Tues. 17 From time to time we hear of loved ones far away who are passing through deep waters. Pray that they, and we, might rest in the abundance of His comfort!

Wed. 18 From Noel: *“Pray that missionaries would use the EPI web site to review and request EPI books to be shipped in the October ACCTS container.”*

Thurs. 19 Praise the Lord with Harold and Barb MacDougall for the wonderful trip to British Columbia in July to visit Robert and A.J. & Jen. It was a blessing to see where they live and have precious time with each one.

Fri. 20 In August we had three junior volunteers report for duty: Ben, Rob, and Ian Cretney were on hand to help prepare the mailing for *Impressions* and the Quarterly Report—they even stepped in to help on the perfect binder! Praise the Lord for their servant hearts.

Sat. 21 Remember Grace Spence as she faithfully serves in the warehouse – thankfully it was a cooler summer! Pray for God’s provision for her daily needs and in the lives of her loved ones.

Sun. 22 From Gertrud Harlow: *“Then Samuel took a stone...called its name Ebenezer, saying, ‘Thus far the LORD has helped us,’” 1 Sam. 7:12 NKJV. And we can say the same, with thanksgiving, and the assurance that He will continue to do so, according to His all-wise plan. How wonderful is the God we adore!”*

Mon. 23 From Mark: *“Pray for speed and accuracy as we conduct our annual physical count of all the books in the warehouse.”*

Tues. 24 Pray for wisdom and help in all the arrangements being made to ship 3,600 copies of Vol. 1 of the Swahili edition of the *Believers Bible Commentary* to D.R. Congo. Pray that they might reach their destination safely and be a great encouragement to the believers.

Wed. 25 Pray that customs fees and taxes would be minimal (or waived altogether!) for the Congo Swahili commentaries when they arrive in the D.R. Congo.

Thurs. 26 Pray for the Lord’s mind to be known at the annual meeting of the EPI Editorial Committee today in London.

Fri. 27 From Mark: *“Pray for the Lord’s wisdom and enablement as we close the financial books for the fiscal year on September 30th.”*

Sat. 28 Pray for the Lord’s blessing for our proofreaders as they painstakingly review typeset copy. Ask the Lord to give them alertness.

Sun. 29 The Lord provides for the work of EPI in wonderful ways. Recently an error was discovered with the “click charges” on our black and white printer resulting in a credit of \$7,568.85 towards future click charges. Praise the Lord for bringing this to light!

Mon. 30 In the third quarter of this fiscal year we distributed 7,601 books, with almost half being in French (3,514) followed by Everyday English (2,456). Praise the Lord for the interest in French titles, and pray for God’s power to work in each soul that handles these books.

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Tues. 1 “*The harvest is past, the summer is ended, and we are not saved,*” Jeremiah 8:20 NKJV. Pray for the lost that are perishing without the Savior of sinners.

Wed. 2 Pray for a young brother who is exercised about being commended to the work of the Lord at EPI. Pray that the Lord would go before and make things abundantly clear to all.

Thurs. 3 From Alma: “*I have completed the reformatting of 1st Corinthians and have sent it for proofreading. I encountered a few surprises with the new upgrade for our typesetting program and will probably make a visit to Port Colborne to get a bit of coaching from Harold. Prayer is the key!*”

Fri. 4 Pray for wisdom for Harold as he maintains and fixes the equipment from time to time. Pray for wisdom to know when to call on outside help.

Sat. 5 Pray for Mark as he struggles with bouts of vertigo. Pray that the medical staff would be able to discover the cause and alleviate the symptoms.

Sun. 6 From Rose Brooks, Philippines: “*Bible School of the Air (Emmaus) continues to be used of the Lord in many lives. Whatever course is being used on the broadcast is offered free and we continue to get many requests. Thank you for all your help in our work. We really appreciate your books and courses which we use in Bible School of the Air.*” Pray for encouragement for Rose as she deals with severe osteoporosis.

Mon. 7 Pray for Executive Director Mark Beach as he deals with the day to day responsibilities at EPI. Pray for continued strength and wisdom in decisions.

Tues. 8 Praise the Lord for our valuable and faithful volunteers: Don DeBaeremaeker, Hilda Parkinson, Jimmy Rollo, John Storm, and Brian Cretney. Pray that the Lord will nudge others to come alongside and assist in the work of EPI.

Wed. 9 Pray for Gertrud as she presses on with day to day life and the work that the Lord has given her to do. Pray that the joy of the Lord will be her strength.

Thurs. 10 Praise the Lord for the efficient way that our books are regularly reaching their destinations – prayer is being answered! Continue to uphold the shipping of EPI books.

Fri. 11 Praise the Lord for the reliable way the equipment has been operating, keeping things moving along at a steady pace.

Sat. 12 Pray that the Lord may lead Sara in assigning priority day by day to the various Portuguese and Spanish projects-in-hand along with other EPI-related responsibilities.

Sun. 13 We were encouraged to receive word from a British charitable trust that they are sending a gift of £7,500 (approximately \$11,500 CDN). Praise the Lord for His faithful provision for His work in His time.

Mon. 14 “*As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, rooted and built up in Him and established in the faith, as you have been taught, abounding in it with **thanksgiving**.*” Colossians 2:6,7 NKJV.

Tues. 15 Pray for a rich time of blessing and ministry as EPI once again hosts a book table at the US Workers’ and Elders’ Conference, October 15-17 in Colorado Springs (held at the Beach’s commending assembly!).

Wed. 16 Pray for Dwana as she continues to enjoy her days mothering Estella and Mildred. Mildred is speaking more and loves saying “Ka-Boom” for the thunder in the Bible story “Jesus Stops the Storm”.

Thurs. 17 Please continue to pray that the Lord may call someone with Spanish competency to join the work of EPI and to begin taking over responsibility for this part of our work.

Fri. 18 Praise the Lord for **Gospel Folio Press** located next door to us. We value their business and are grateful for the use of their forklift and shrink-wrapper.

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Sat. 19 Harold's feet "hit the floor running" after returning to the print shop at the end of July. He printed 2,056 books in three days! Praise the Lord for work to do for the Best of Masters.

Sun. 20 Praise the Lord for the 4,594 books that have been sent out free of charge to missionaries this fiscal year. Pray that the power of God would come down, souls would be saved, saints encouraged, and all glory return to Him alone.

Mon. 21 As a result of a merger of two printer manufacturers, our service provider is now a local dealership instead of the manufacturer. Pray that this transition would be smooth and for our benefit.

Tues. 22 *"And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people,"* Ephesians 3:17a,18b NIV. Pray that all that is said and done through EPI would be "rooted and established in love" so that the power of God would be at work.

Wed. 23 Praise the Lord for the 2,434 books/courses sent to **New Life Prison Ministry** in June and July. Pray for needed help in this vital work in the souls of men and women.

Thurs. 24 Becky Hulshizer, missionary to Peru, recently ordered 30 Spanish books to be used in her work there. Pray for blessing and her encouragement.

Fri. 25 From Gertrud: *"Praise the Lord for steady progress in the translation of Vol. 2 of the Swahili edition of the Believers Bible Commentary."*

Sat. 26 Pray for EPI authors Kathie Renaud, Alma Turnbull, and Randy Amos as they look to the Lord for guidance in their writing.

Sun. 27 We are so grateful for each one who receives *Pray Every Day* and uses it faithfully to bring the concerns of EPI to the Lord in prayer, remembering that "Any concern too small to be turned into a prayer is too small to be made into a burden" (Corrie ten Boom). Thank you praying with us and for us!

Mon. 28 Challenges? Yes. Problems? Absolutely! All who are involved in any way with the ministry of Everyday Publications have some, personal and otherwise. Praise the Lord with us that we know where to turn for wisdom and strength and peace in our hearts.

Tues. 29 Pray for the ongoing work of EPI directors Steve Adams, Ron Gee, Gertrud Harlow, Bill Letkeman, and Don MacMullen. Pray that they would be *"strengthened with might through His Spirit in the inner man."*

Wed. 30 From Mark: *"We were encouraged to receive large orders...from assembly brethren in Malaysia and India. We also received word from Emmaus-Kenya that they will be placing a large order soon!"* Pray for this work.

Thurs. 31 *"I have given them Your word; and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. I do not pray that You should take them out of the world, but that You should keep them from the evil one,"* John 17:14,15 NKJV.