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SONRISE MISSIONS

Monthly Missions Prayer Newsletter

SonRise Missionary Highlight

THE FLOYD FAMILY- PANAMA CITY, PANAMA

In recent months, since their return from Home Assignment in January of this year, Ross and Angela Floyd, their ministry team, and their church in Panama City, have undergone significant challenges and changes in their roles and responsibilities.

Angela has accepted a role as regional coordinator for Mission to the World's (MTW's) Global Women's Development Team. This involves connecting better with her fellow missionary ladies and listening with the desire to connect them to resources, training and support given their specific context and roles.

Additionally, Ross has accepted a role as Team Liaison for MTW Panama. This will include oversight of on-field logistics for new team arrivals and adaptation, maintaining ministry partnerships, and assisting the Team Leader in guiding MTW Panama to meet ministry goals.

Pray for them and for our supporting-church relationship with them as we seek to grow our partnership with them and their church, Iglesia Comunidad de Cristo, through a vision trip next spring.



- Pray for the ministry of the church amid recent conflict and changes in leadership.
- Pray for the youth and young adult ministries of the church.
- Pray for their missionary team; that they pursue unity and seek reconciliation as needed. Pray also for new families and singles being added to their ministry team.
- Pray for Angela and Ross as they both have new leadership positions. These roles add new responsibilities and financial needs.

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Save the Date: Nov 8th End of Year Missions Luncheon

Our final Missions Luncheon of the year will be a BBQ feast generously provided by Breaking Bread BBQ!

We will also have the joy of having Tim Edwards with us who will be participating in a missionary Q&A at the luncheon.

The focus of our fundraising efforts this time will be on End-of-Year gifts to our missionaries.

[Register and purchase your meal ticket\(s\) here by November 6th!](#)



From our Missionaries & Partners

PRAISES & PRAYER REQUESTS

Bill & Debby Abitz

LIBERIA, WEST AFRICA



- Pray for the gospel to be seen in their words and actions.
- Pray for all the needed school sponsorships to be filled.
- Pray for the church in Po River.
- Pray for protection, safety, and care while working
- Pray for the remaining 13% of their monthly support need, as well as the people and programs at Pillar Missions.
- Pray for a humble attitude while learning the culture and meeting people.

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Tory Tanner

TOGO, WEST AFRICA



- Praise- for the progress in unity between the missionary teams from the hospital and radio station.
- Praise God for the two villages who are now equipped with trained indigenous leaders to continue ministry and have made evangelistic efforts toward other villages.
- Pray for the outreach happening through the radio. They will start going to a new village next month to begin a women's Bible study, and they will seek out someone we can train to lead the group in the future.
- Pray for discipleship opportunities with a few ladies who work at the radio and for the new discipleship group that will be meeting in Tory and Mallorie's home weekly for Bible study. Tory also meets one-on-one with Cherifa every Friday and with a small group every Tuesday morning.
- Pray for opportunities to evangelize when visiting friends in the market.

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Tim & Jamie Edwards

SOUTHEAST ASIA*



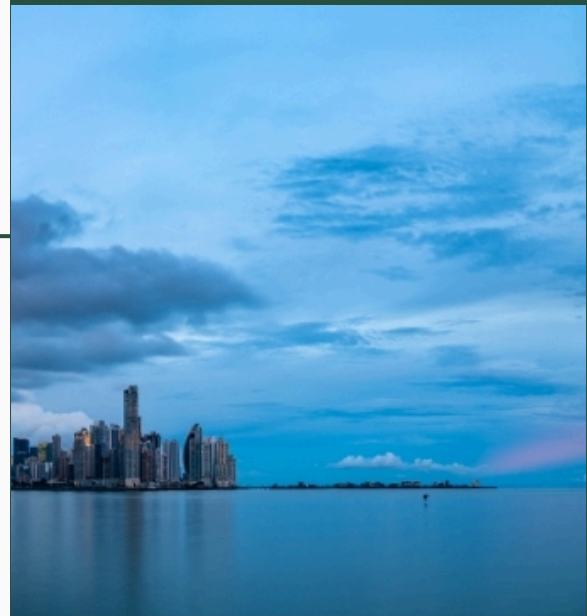
- **Praise the Lord we (SonRise) were able to raise \$591 toward their home assignment costs through our last Missions Potluck!**
- Praise the Lord for opportunities to give updates and share stories with prayer partners and supporters.
- Pray for God to raise up others to partner with them in prayer and financial support throughout their home assignment.
- Pray for their trainings both for the mission teams and the trainings those teams conduct for the local believers in Vietnam, Laos, China, Thailand and Myanmar to multiply disciple-makers.
- Pray for the [Tai Lue](#) believers to be proactive in praying for villages without any believers and intentionally sharing their faith with others.
- Pray for their kids to adjust well and for good friendships to form for all of them.
- Pray [Daniel 12:3](#) for their family, their teams and the people groups they're serving.

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Missions Moment Preview

This Sunday (10/11), we are highlighting the Floyd family in Panama City, Panama, as we anticipate a vision trip to grow our partnership with them in Spring 2027!



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From our Missionaries & Partners, Cont.

PRAISES & PRAYER REQUESTS

Richard & Larkin Jones

MISSION EQUIP- PERU



- The Lord has opened a new door for Mission Equip to help sponsor and support the girls at an orphanage in Peru. Pray for provision to help sustain the home through their [100 for \\$100 initiative](#): 100 people giving \$100 a month. That steady support helps keep House of Grace open and ready for the next young woman.
- Praise God for the long-term fruit and follow-up after short-term teams.
- Pray for a full-time pastor at the church plant in the mountain community of Accha.
- Pray for a full-time missionary to come on staff with Mission Equip and for the logistics of this venture.

[FOLLOW MISSION EQUIP ON FACEBOOK](#)

Gabriel Lauter- SEMBEQ

QUEBEC, CANADA



- That the Holy Spirit would continue to guide SEMBEQ in every decision.
- That God would provide for the financial needs of our future building project and raise up new ministry partners, both in Quebec and beyond.
- For our upcoming visits with partner churches and ministry partners over the coming months.
- For Dr. Gregg Allison's intensive course and for all the students beginning a new year of theological training.
- That the Lord would continue to call men and women to serve Him faithfully in His church.
- For Dagmar's health, that God would grant her a full recovery.
- For our family, as we look forward to welcoming my parents this fall.

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David & Marion Varney

BELFAST, IRELAND



- Praise God for new people who have joined FCB over the summer months- it is a great encouragement to their small church!
- Praise- for their new worship music leader who started at the beginning of September. They have been praying for months for someone!
- Pray for spiritual growth and evangelistic strength as they launch their Life Group system in October- meeting in homes across the city for discipleship, prayer, and outreach to neighbors.
- Pray for new additions to eldership and wider leadership teams. May God prepare them and affirm his will.

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Give to Missions

There are a couple ways to make sure you are giving to missions at SonRise. One way is to designate your gift (whether in person or online) to "missions."

In addition, a percentage of all gifts given in the General Fund also go towards our SonRise Missions Efforts!

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"Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples!"

PSALM 96:3