

# Free Methodist World Missions *Hotline*

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## ASIA

**Philippines:** Roger Stone reports both the Ayta Mag-Indi and Ayta Abellen books of 2 Corinthians have been sent to the consultant for checking. These are the 27th and last books of the New Testament for both translation teams. Praise God His Word is changing lives.

**Persecuted Church Observance:** The International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church (IDOP) will be observed Sun., Nov. 6. Make the FMC-Asia a special focus of prayer in your church. Pray believers will experience God's comfort when persecuted; pray they will be rooted in God's Word. [Learn more](#) about the IDOP.

## EUROPE

**Bulgaria:** Pray as Chad and Hollie Wells, along with their three daughters, Olivia, Abigail and Ruthie, leave for their two-year VISA Voyager assignment in Bulgaria, Mon., Nov. 7. Chad will serve as administrator of the International Fellowship of the St. John Foundation and St. John Homes. Hollie will supervise the staff for the St. John Homes, providing training, counseling and oversight. Pray for smooth transitions as the family adjusts to the culture and ministry responsibilities.

**Hungary:** Pray for the Budapest church fellowship as they continue a study, "Discipleship Explored," through the month of November. May each person participate fully and grow in their understanding of their identity as a member of God's family and their part in the body of Christ. Pray they will then seek to find ways to share their faith and serve each other.

## LATIN AMERICA

**Shoreline Mission District (Costa Rica):** Pray for God's presence to surround each one attending the first annual conference of the new Shoreline Mission District this weekend, Fri., Nov. 4, to Sat., Nov. 5. Pray for God's continued help as the mission district plans for future ministries. While beginning in Costa Rica, this mission district extends to beach communities in other parts of the world.

**Brazil:** Join in prayer for preparations being made for the FMC women's retreat, a first for this area of Brazil, planned for Fri., Nov. 25, to Sun., Nov. 27. Pray for the Lord to bring the women He wants to be present. Pray for the planning team including Claudia

and Lara, along with Hope Owsley. Lift the speaker, França, as she prepares to lead four Bible studies on prayer. Pray for the Lord to use His Word mightily through her as participants learn and apply new truths to their prayer lives.

## MIDDLE EAST/NORTH AFRICA

### IMPACT MIDDLE EAST

Praise the Lord one church has begun to tutor 6th graders in their school work. Praise the Lord that in another location there are so many visitors, Sunday school workers have opened a second classroom to accommodate all who are attending.

Pray as Pastor Dale begins a series of connections and teaching this week, intentionally investing in key leaders across the Middle East. Pray for an outpouring of God's blessing and grace.

## INTERNATIONAL CHILD CARE MINISTRIES

**Haiti:** Although some ICCM schools were destroyed or damaged, so far, there has been no loss of life reported among the ICCM children. Praise the Lord! Pray as former missionary Jack Munos travels to Haiti to support the Haitian team in the distribution of 1,000 water filters. [Click here](#) to donate.

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## SEED LIVELIHOOD

Rose Brewer, SEED director, and Rachel Peter, product developer, travel to Asia Sat., Nov. 5, to Fri., Nov. 18, for SEED. Pray for open doors for meetings with, and encouragement of, current and potential livelihood groups.

[Learn more about SEED](#)

## VISA MINISTRIES

Pray for those ministering on VISA assignments this week:

- A team from Island FMC, Sumner, IL, travels to Haiti for construction ministry. Mike Richardville is the team leader. (Wed., Nov. 2, to Sat., Nov. 12)

[Learn more about VISA Ministries](#)

## FYI - RESOURCES

**Children's curriculum - *Missions Alive! Central, East and Southern Africa*:** The 2016-2017 *Missions Alive!* study focuses on Free Methodist ministries in 16 countries. This reproducible leader's guide - full of fun facts, mission stories, missionary information, games, recipes, crafts and other activities - can be used for children's missions month, Christian Life Club (CLC), mid-week programs, children's church, vacation Bible school or adapted for other children's gatherings. PowerPoint slides have been designed to add visual interest to six sections. Another feature helps students learn about problems children around the world face. As a part of the study, students are encouraged to take action to address a need in the community or around the globe. [Click here](#) to download (free) or order (\$15) *Missions Alive!*

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