

WORLD MISSIONS COMMITTEE
First Congregational Church
Merrimack, New Hampshire

PRAYER AGENDA
JUNE 2011

MISSIONARY	PRAYER REQUESTS	PRAISES TO THE LORD
<p>BANKER, JOHN & BETTY</p> <p>Wycliffe Bible Translators</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For the Lord's wisdom to be able to understand the truths of His Word in order to share those truths with others around the world through translation consulting and in preparing materials to assist fellow Bible translators to translate God's Word accurately • For continued healing for Bok Young (main translator who had a very serious stroke last November) to enable him to help finish the last two books of the Old Testament (Job and Ezekiel) in his language • That their lives will be channels of blessing to family, neighbors, fellow workers, and everyone whose lives they touch • For Betty, who is halfway through the book of Job (a very difficult book to translate) in preparation for their consultant trip this fall • For John, chief editor, who, during any given day, must wear many different hats involving Bible translation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For the sacrificial support month after month, and for the prayers, gifts, and encouragement from FCC • For adequate health to continue their ministry • For Bok Young's continued recovery from a serious stroke • For the strength and wisdom the Lord gives daily • For God's good work in the lives of their children and grandchildren
<p>HOLMLUND, REV. DAVID & ELIZABETH</p> <p>Pilgrim Presbyterian Church Dover, NH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For two adults and one family currently considering their church • For Peter, Ed, and Matt, who are in officer training, which will take about a year • For the Holmlund family, as they are confronted with new challenges almost every week; for Elizabeth and the pressures of being a stay-at-home mom; for grace for David to fulfill his callings as a husband, father, and minister, that he would have fruitful preparation for sermons and wise counsel for the people he speaks with during the week 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For new families: Family of nine has recently made public reaffirmations of faith; another family of three is meeting with the session to join; also, meeting with the session is a young Bible college student. This is a great boost for the congregation. • For the good spirit of unity in the congregation • For the enthusiasm of the three men who are taking officer training

<p>KOOY, MIKE & SUSAN</p> <p>Faith Presbyterian Church Lancaster, NH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For continued church growth and for opportunities for FPC to witness to their community with the gospel • For ongoing financial needs of the church • For strength for Pastor Mike as he leads the congregation • For Shiloh retreat weekends to be filled, and for summer camp registrations to come in • For the financial needs of Shiloh • For increased better health for Bruce and Brenda • For clarity and insight for Kent and Sandy as they work on their respective projects • For a good place for Nate, Sheri, and Cameron (Kent and Sandy's daughter) to rent in Jefferson August to December 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Praise for everyone's prayers and support
<p>FRANTZ, CHET & MARGE</p> <p>Wycliffe Bible Translators</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For travel safety and for continued good health for all, including Stu, their son-in-law, who has Lewys Body Disease • To be able to continue on with the New Testament revision via e-mail while they are traveling 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For FCC's love and care for them in support and prayers

<p>DONNAN, REV. GEOFF & NANCY</p> <p>REFORMATION CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES (RCM)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Near completion of the new on-line version of the Good News Bible Study that will enable them to add additional language versions • Have need of personnel Reformed and fluent in Italian, Russian, Chinese, French, Spanish, Dutch, Urdu and Pakistani Punjabi to be able to offer the Good News Bible Study in these languages • For the growing need for churches in the U.S. who are willing to take on electronic students and also printed course students • For Rev. Rudy Poettcker and the need of additional financial support. (Very difficult times lay ahead for the Poettckers if the current financial trend continues.) • They are being taxed to keep up with getting websites and systems working smoothly, with a number of new students in their seminary and college programs. • For the need of a few people to assist in maintaining and troubleshooting their present website and also building several other websites for their overseas fields • For the many indigenous pastors they minister to via DVDs of their course materials, to get them into actual studies. Countries receiving DVD courses: Senegal, Nepal, Liberia, Senegal, Swaziland, Kenya, Uzbekistan and Russia • Numerous other inquiries desiring educational help from: Kenya, Uganda, Ghana, Nigeria, Pakistan, S. Africa, Tanzania and more • For the theological/doctrinal books published or in process 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • That God has worked through them to bring Reformation through the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ, specifically the school in Suriname, the college and seminary, and the growth of their colleagues and churches in many countries
<p>NATHAN TOMLINSON</p> <p>MID-AMERICA REFORMED THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, DYER, IN</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For strength as he begins his summer internship with Jaffrey Presbyterian Church and First Congregational Church 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For his marriage to Holly Bradford on June 9th
<p>FCC RADIO BROADCAST</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For those preparing the programs and for the persons who are listening 	