

PRAYER FOCUS

November 22, 2009

... the Holy Spirit helps us in our weakness. For example, we don't know what God wants us to pray for. But the Holy Spirit prays for us with groanings that cannot be expressed in words. And the Father who knows all hearts knows what the Spirit is saying, for the Spirit pleads for us believers in harmony with God's own will. And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them.

Romans 8:26-28 NLT

Church Family... please pray for:

Our Advent preparations both individually and corporately.

Family Altar

Jake & Hedio Goosen

Claire Halpenny

Bruce, Josie, Brydan & Jarrett Hamm

WCC Ministry

Decorating Team

Shut-ins

Doug Funk (home), Marian Smith (Oakview Place), Jake Peters (Bethania)

Missionaries

Dave, Louise, Kyla, Micah, Sierra & Grace Sinclair-Peters

Mennonite Brethren Mission Service International (MBMSI)

Kevin & Wendy are preparing for full-time international ministry to the restricted access world. Please pray for them as they participate in the Missionary Training Institute: that they will be able to apply their learning to ministry, share their passion for mission, and balance the demands of family life. Pray for health and strength during this season of travel and flues.

Canadian Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches

Pray for David Wiebe (Executive Director) and Jascha Boge (Moderator) of the Canadian conference as well as Ike Bergen (MBMSI Chair) and Jack Falk (MBBS Chair) attending the CanAm meeting, a joint meeting between the leadership of the Canadian and U.S. conference leadership, on December 2-3 in Denver, Colorado. Continue to pray as preparations are made for Celebration 2010: the 150th Anniversary of the Mennonite Brethren on July 12-18, 2010.

Family Life Network

The team at the youth Shelter-Plus in Ukraine asks, "Please pray for 3 girls aged 6, 13 & 15 in our program. They are without a father and their mother just died. Now they were sent to an orphanage."