

# HOTLINE

## Prayer Requests

### Argentina

**Argentina Partnership** - Pray for the church's leadership as they address disciplinary challenges. Pray also for wisdom.

### Bulgaria

**Tim & Lydia Awtrey** - Praise God for a wonderful ETEAM project! Two non-Christian students showed up at church yesterday for the first time, thanks to their hard work. Please pray for safe travels for the ETEAM and that God will continue to work in the hearts of those Bulgarians who have heard and seen the Gospel through the work of the ETEAM students.

### Cuba

**Cuba Partnership** - The shortage of fuel and other essentials has created challenges for organizing special activities. For the Ladies' Retreat this year, they had to limit it to 250 women who are serving in different ministries in their local churches. Praise the Lord that it went well, and that the ladies were encouraged and challenged by the two speakers.

### France

**David & Myriam Reeves** - This week, we finally received the keys to our new house! There is work to be done in the house, like painting and things, but sadly, it's just super hot here (104 with no AC) to get right into it. Please pray that the heat will stop so we can paint! Pray for guidance as we prepare for our move on July 11. Merci!

**Shane & Joy (THP)** - We are traveling in Arkansas and Oklahoma this week. Please remember us as we travel, visit churches, and seek new funding to return to France in August.

### India

**India Partnership** - Please pray for one of the churches of our partner in India that was invaded by religious radicals on Sunday, the 14, and six men were beaten and dragged to the police station on trumped-up charges before they were released. On Sunday, the 21, the radicals were blocking the church entrance, and Christians had to meet in a home. Please pray for the congregation as they face persecution for their faith. This is a common occurrence throughout India and elsewhere. Praise the Lord for 25 men who

have just completed a ministry training program and are already involved in several church plants. Our partners also informed us that three men have been ordained to the Gospel ministry.

**Friends of India** - Pray for continued repairs on the boy's home. Pray for Pastor Noah's recovery after knee reconstruction. Pray for wisdom as we deal with opposition coming in many different forms. Pray for the health and safety of our pastors and church planters.

## **International Students**

**Darren & Dana Portell** - The Portells are wrapping up their time leading ETEAM Panama this week. Please pray for them as they travel on Wednesday this week, and pray for them to finish well with their team.

## **Ivory Coast**

**Ivory Coast Partnership** - Pray for Baraca (the non-profit that runs the FWB hospital in Doropo) as they seek to raise funds for buying an X-ray machine, replacing an old backup generator, and meeting new government regulations that will permit them to maintain a license to operate. Pray for the spiritual impact that the hospital has in the area.

## **Pakistan**

**Pakistan Partnership** - Pray for a couple of pastors who are visiting isolated home-churches in an area where there are very few Christians living among religious radicals. Pray for protection as they visit and encourage these Christians and for opportunities to share the Gospel with those who have never heard.

## **Samburu (Kenya)**

**Samburu Partnership** - The church among the Samburu, with the help of the partnership, has been able to get soccer goal posts up for the youth on their soccer field. During this World Cup season, there is an increased interest in playing soccer, and the community is very appreciative. Pray that the goodwill generated will be an encouragement to the youth to consider the claims of the Gospel. Pastor Francis also informs us that two young men made a decision to follow Jesus while he was out doing evangelism. Praise the Lord!

## **Spain**

**Anthony & Lea Edgmon** - The Roca Eterna Gospel Choir participated in an outdoor choral festival this weekend. Even with the unusually high temperatures, we had a good turnout to hear the truths of God's love and salvation proclaimed through song. Pray for the seeds that were planted.

**Sam & Lauren Riggs** - Pray for the Esperanza Church as we have VBS this weekend!