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## August 2018 Prayer Points

### Please pray for...

#### ECMI-USA

George Brown, US Executive Director

- Praise God for our many ministry partners who pray and send!
- Praise also for Lynn & Lucy Leitzel's many years of service and pray for their new season of retirement

#### ECM INTERNATIONAL

Johan & Lili Lukasse, Retired Board Member

- Praise God for full health after cancer treatments, and pray for Lili's back pain to improve

#### ECM Australia & New Zealand

Arianne Tassios, Mobilization Support

- Praise God for this chance to serve the church, and pray God will lead me and I will bear fruit in this role

Adi & Jennifer Grocott, Candidates for Romania

- Fruitful partnerships in the ministry to Romania, and wisdom and courage as we raise support for the ministry

#### ECM NETHERLANDS/GREECE

Manuela Ter Maat, Short Term Coordinator

- We hope to start a new mission in Greece to support the local church with short-term teams; pray for logistics to come together and for open doors for ministry

#### ROMANIA

Gary and Ioana Stoll in Piatra Neamt

- That many experience God's love and generosity through the American Medical Mission team that comes Aug 6-10
- The 70 youth expected at our annual camp at the end of August; pray they would choose to follow Jesus and continue following him

#### REPUBLIC OF IRELAND

Jonathan & Nicola McCracken, Claremorris

- Praise for 20 years of life and ministry in Ireland with ECM!
- Outreach at Aug 5 Agricultural Show, with children's crafts and Bible distribution
- For good attendance and good contacts at the kids' clubs, Aug 8-10

#### BULGARIA

Dimitrie Todorov in Burgas

- The 180 teenagers attending our summer camps, Jul 30-Aug 4, and Aug 6-11
- Outreach to refugees in South Bulgaria with a team from the US during August

#### CROATIA

Mario and Carla Šestak in Ivanec

- Praise for our first year of marriage and for the 3 families attending services here
- Pray for Tea and Melani, in theological school and mentoring with Carla

Stephen and Tabita Bell in Zagreb

- Our children, Sheona and Joshua, as they register for university in Germany and seek housing there; praise God for nearby family and church

#### ALBANIA

Miranda Glasbergen in Tirana

- For God's clear guidance as I start working in Tirana

Murray and Féy Cotter in Tirana

- The ECM Tirana team as we teach and lead during the church camp, Aug 13-17
- For the Cotters as they leave Albania on Aug 18 to return to New Zealand; pray for safe travels and the right job for Féy in NZ

#### AUSTRIA

David and Linda James in Villach

- That the mission trip to Umag, Croatia, Aug 21-29, would help the local church there reach many with the gospel

## KOSOVA

Gani and Adile Smolica in Peja

- Praise for faithful attendance at church during the month of Ramadan
- Pray for the many people we spoke to during the month about fasting and salvation, and for the youth who are pressured by family to stay away from us
- Our daughter and her family will be traveling to visit in August

## ITALY

Richard & Pinuccia Wilson, Home Assignment

- Our time of deputation in Australia to be an encouragement and help to our churches and for our family

Susanne Stoehr in Macherio

- Praise for Emanuela's spiritual growth
- My art teacher, Gianni, who has upcoming surgery of the spine
- My time with Marzia who lost her husband very suddenly
- Veit, to regain his health after an accident and to encounter Jesus

## GERMANY

Christian and Kseniya Kooiman in Schwerin

- The elections in our city; for God to give us good relationships with the new leader

Jorine and Gerrit van Dijk in Rostock-Evershagen

- Openness among those we reach through the street café
- The birth of our second child in Sept

Klaus and Fränzi Libuda in Rostock

- Praise for the Kurdish refugees who have recently started coming to our church, and for the translation apps that help us communicate the gospel!

Martin and Anya Teubert in Ribnitz-Damgarten

- An outreach concert on Aug 16 and the start of our regular children's ministry
- Wisdom for our daughters as they consider further education

## SERBIA

- Praise for the start on building the Dormitory and Chapel at the camp

## SPAIN

BJ and Rachel Whitaker in Alcora

- Outreach during the Aug 27 town festival; pray for the preparations and for good connections and conversations

Chloe Wolfson in Peñarroya

- The two Bible study groups in the church, and for an understanding of how more members can participate in leadership

Dan and Anna Julian in Valencia

- The MOCLAM Spain students starting and continuing their Biblical theology courses
- Dan as he writes a course on the doctrine of God for the Evang. School of Theology
- Preparations for our Home Assignment later this year

Hans and Jennifer Anderson in Málaga

- Praise for the 100 families fed through the Diez42 food bank and for the many immigrant families being reached!
- Safety and logistics during our Home Assignment; pray for opportunities to share what God is doing and for new ministry partners

Mauricio and Karina Aldana in Northern Spain

- For wisdom as we seek to reach an unreached area through hostel ministry and evangelism; pray for God to provide a location to serve as a shelter

## FRANCE

Steve and Rosemary Cox, Veneux-les Sablons

- Sylvain and Nadia Felden's family join us in August to prepare for replacing us upon our retirement in 2019; pray for this whole process and for Sylvain's studies

## PORTUGAL

Peter and Anna Crawford in Lisbon

- Praise for the positive results of the Alpha Course! One woman is pursuing baptism, another pursuing further Biblical studies, and a third exploring ministry options!
- The Portuguese team as we meet for our annual Prayer Days, Aug 22-25
- The deputation and preparation process for the Barido family, coming to Portugal