



Dec 2018 Prayer Points

Please pray for...

ECMI-USA

George Brown, US Executive Director

- Our ministry partners as they consider year-end giving commitments; pray they would be wise and generous
- Our efforts at Urbana 12/27-31 to raise up new workers among the 16,000 students attending the conference; pray also for the logistics and travel involved

ECM INTERNATIONAL

ECM Leadership

- ECM Leaders' Meetings, 11/30-12/2, with 40 people meeting to discuss key initiatives in fulfilling our strategic priorities, especially in developing younger leaders

Chris Wigram, International Director

- This year's Global Connections meeting among several International Directors

International Director Search Team

- The development of an International Director recruitment pack and job description; pray for good quality applicants

ECM AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND

Murry & Féy Cotter, retired

- Financial provision, and wisdom as Féy begins to work part-time for Bishopdale Theological College and continue part-time work for ECM
- Praise God for a good return to our home in Nelson, New Zealand and for direction for Féy's next year of ministry!

KOSOVO

Gani & Adile Smolica, Peja

- Our December/Christmas outreach efforts
- The joint Christmas service for all Kosova churches on 12/25; pray for bold evangelism and for the gospel to take root in hearts

BULGARIA

Andrew & Kate Blackwell, Sofia

- God to prevent the passage of a new religion law in Bulgaria that would hinder much ministry and missionaries from working there

AUSTRIA

Georg & Sandra Haemmerle, Wolfort

- Praise God for Mrs. Kennerknecht who is teaching Scripture in the Austrian schools!

GERMANY

Martin & Anja Teubert, Ribnitz-Damgarten

- The December school activities to bring natural opportunities to share the gospel
- The families of our daughter's friends; both mothers have cancer and we do not know if they are believers

ITALY

Susanne Stoehr, Macherio

- Inspiration for my next painting
- Praise that my art teacher is walking again! Pray he meets Jesus.
- Praise for Emanuela's baptism, and for God's help with an evangelistic arts message in our church in November

SERBIA

Zajecar Church

- The Gospel to reach those in Zajecar
- Praise God for a good opening service in our new building!

REPUBLIC OF IRELAND

Colin & Alison Holmes, Waterford

- The Family Christmas Carols outreach on 12/9
- Alison as she shares the gospel at this event

Jonathan & Nicola McCracken, Claremorris

- The transition of field leadership
- The Christmas Kids club on 12/15 and family service on 12/23

FRANCE

Steve & Rosemary Cox, Veneux-les Sablons

- Sylvain and his family as they continue to fit well into the life of the church and prepare to take our place next autumn
- The appointment of elders in early 2019
- Our Christmas celebration on 12/16

Peter & Silje Lilly, Montpellier

- The birth of our boy, due 12/22; for a safe delivery and good health for mom and child

ROMANIA

Adi & Jennifer Grocott, Timisoara

- Our time of resettlement in Timisoara—for patience and a positive attitude
- Our involvement in the local church's Sunday School and Youth Group
- Anna's integration into preschool and her language development

Gary & Ioana Stoll, Piatra Neamt

- A well-attended teenagers group to grow, for leaders for the group, and for the older youth group that follows this younger group
- The Alpha Youth Course
- The children's Christmas plays on 12/14, 15, and 23; pray the gospel will be clear
- Our two month trip to the UK to pray about the future; pray for guidance and wisdom

Charlie Anderson, South East Europe Network Coordinator

- A 12/10-17 visit to the ECM Romania team members; pray for safe travel, wisdom, and mutual encouragement

BOSNIA HERZEGOVINA

Charlie Anderson, South East Europe Network Coordinator

- God to shine a light into the spiritual darkness in this land
- For the new planting effort in Bugojno

UKRAINE

Roman & Iryna Matviyiv, Lviv

- Public school ministry, 12/14-15
- The December & January Christmas evangelism events

SLOVENIA

Sebastian & Gloria Forjan, Radovljica

- The town of Radovljica
- The training of four candidates for leadership; pray for maturity, for gifting, for wisdom, and especially for love for God and His church
- Praise God for the kids coming to our Wednesday good news club

Sarah Deacon, Ljubljana

- Wisdom and guidance as I lead a small group of teenage girls in the church

SPAIN

David & Samantha Gilkinson, Castellón

- Our support raising efforts and final preparations for the move to Castellón
- Our commissioning service on 1/6
- The search for an apartment for our first year

Arjonas, Weinmanns, Lety Calderón, & Delyth Sutton, Pozoblanco

- The Ladies' Breakfast, 12/19
- The Christmas service at a local home for those with disabilities; pray God would move in their hearts

Dan & Anna Julian, Valencia

- For safety and good health during the final month of home assignment
- Dan's work on a new doctrine of God course

Andy & Andrea Warner, Castellón

- The 2 Spanish ladies we recently met who are looking for a church; pray they join us at the Bridge!

Terry & Christine Miller, Córdoba

- Three potential new church members
- Our efforts to lay a solid foundation of biblical truth for those who join our church

Abel Nuño & Rafi Peinado, Alcalá la Real

- Abel's work to finish his thesis, due January
- Opportunities to share the gospel and for the Holy Spirit to move in people's hearts
- Encouragement after 6 years of sowing without "visible results"
- The Lord's direction for our lives and ministry, and for our children and grandchildren