

# **CMS** Weekly Prayer Diary

**MAY 17, 2012**

## **EUROPE**

**Andrew and Dom Gifford – On Home Assignment from Spain (Day 1).** Give thanks with Andrew and Dom that God has kept the family safe in the all their travelling, and for the generosity of their link churches and how they have been showing practical care for the family.

**Andrew and Claire Livingstone - Preparing to leave for Switzerland (Day 2).** Pray that God will sustain Andrew and Claire as they begin their farewells and anticipate the grief in leaving.

## **AFRICA**

**Tim and Catherine Walker - Rwanda (Day 6).** Tim and Catherine give thanks for everyone's prayers for William who is now thriving at school, enjoying learning French, and confidently walking into his classroom.

**John and Jill Morshead – Tanzania (Day 8).** The Reproductive Health and Sex Education lectures which Jill gives at Muhimbili Hospital and St Mark's College probably present to her students for the first time, accurate and informed knowledge in these areas. Jill is grateful for the Reproductive Kit teaching resource which was a generous gift from a group of supporters from a link church.

**Lynne Clarke (Affiliate, Vic) – Tanzania (Day 9).** It is the last term of the academic year at Msalato TC, with students working very hard to complete their studies. Then exams must be set and checked, amidst the ongoing daily work of encouragement and teaching.

**Katherine Presley (Affiliate) – Tanzania (Day 9).** Katherine is thanking God for supportive and helpful colleagues and for the progress students in her class have made this year.

**Ian and Fiona Oates – Tanzania (Day 10).** Pray for Sarah as she continues with O level exams until 13 June. Give thanks for the publication of Ian's book in Swahili on the Reformation, and pray for a way of getting at least some of the books from Australia to Iringa.

**Liz Hawthorne (Affiliate) – South Africa (Day 12).** Pray with Liz that her accommodation in Katete will be suitable, comfortable and affordable.

## **CENTRAL ASIA**

**Steve and Jenny Sonneman – Pakistan (Day 14).** Pray that the new Minister of St Thomas', the Revd Emmanuel, will lead the church well and that God will use him to grow the church.

## **ASIA**

**Brad and Michelle Jackson – Japan (Day 18).** Brad and Michelle ask us to pray that they might continually be dependent on God in everything they do, and that they will be pray-ers before do-ers. Pray also for them in their marriage, that they might love and support each other with patience and kindness.

**Ken and Ally Thompson – Cambodia (Day 20).** Praise God with Ken and Ally for Raam's much better quality of life and his improved speech, and for opportunities to share about Jesus with people who have been so bound up in fear and servitude to the spirits.

## **AUSTRALIA**

**Liz Clarkson (Affiliate) – Northern Territory (Day 22).** Pray for a good community spirit at Woolaning College, and for new students to continue to adjust to College life.

## **LATIN AMERICA**

**Bruce and Bron Hallyburton – On Final Home Assignment from Chile (Day 26).** Pray that God will give Bruce and Bron grace to share both what He has done in the lives of many, and the needs of the church in Antofagasta and Chile.

**CMS Victoria – Day 27.** Give thanks for those people and parishes who support our missionaries financially. Pray that people will respond generously to our Pentecost Appeal, and that they will support our missionaries in prayer as well as in giving.