

April 18, 2013

Dear Praying Friends,

The month of April is blowing by with new challenges and opportunities to expand the reach of the gospel. Our latest project has been to seek volunteers who will pray for specific individuals who are either in training for missionary service or individuals who are seriously seeking God's direction for their lives.

We are brought back to some simple scriptural facts that God has put into his word to both challenge and encourage us in his work. He has said this "I will build my church" Matt. 16:18. He will be successful in building his church. That is a fact that we can rest in regardless of the discouragement and setbacks that we may endure. But on the other hand, He allows us the opportunity "to pray for laborers" Luke 10:1-3. He could have given the responsibility to his obedient angels but He entrusts us with this task. That is the one thing we as believers can all be doing, praying for laborers.

Last month while speaking at the NTM Homes in Sanford (retirement center for NTM missionaries) I encouraged the retired missionaries to be involved in praying for laborers as we are commanded to do in Luke 10. They asked for a list of potential missionaries either in training or planning to go into training that they could pray for by name. They now have that list. If you would like that list, contact us and we will be more than happy for you to join with them to follow the command to pray for Laborers.

The two weeks that we will be involved in Wayumi, June 16-21 and June 23-27, are basically full with room for only a few more. This is another time to pray for laborers because some of these young people will be challenged into missions.

Our schedule for the next few weeks follows:

- April 21 Yankee Springs Bible Church
- April 28 Port Sanilac Baptist Church June 2 South Boston Bible Church
- May 5 Ithaca Baptist Church June 9 Open
- May 12 Twining Baptist Church June 16 Wayumi
- May 19 Head to Wayumi for a week of building June 23 Wayumi
- May 26 Open June 30 Beahms Chapel A.M.
- Forward for Christ P.M.

We thank each of you for praying and supporting this ministry.

Seeking Laborers for the Unreached,

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