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Global Prayer Alert

A weekly prayer guide for congregations, prayer groups and 24-hour prayer watches.
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Revival in the Body of Christ

Now they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were uneducated and untrained men, they marvelled. And they realized that they had been with Jesus. (**Acts 4:13**). Being with Jesus qualifies you. So many of us blame our background, disadvantages of the past, etc. for not stepping out in faith and living out the purposes of God. Jeremiah 1 verse 5 in The Amplified Bible says, Before I formed you in the womb I knew [and] approved of you [as My chosen instrument], and before you were born I separated and set you apart, consecrating you; [and] I appointed you as a prophet to the nations. Ask the Lord to awaken His gift within the Body of Christ. **Heavenly Father, thank You for choosing us to do Your work. Forgive us for allowing other voices to speak louder than Your voice.**

Testimony: Audio Scriptures could reach 200, 000 with the Gospel

Five more Audio New Testaments have been completed and released to reach tens of thousands of people with the Gospel. These new Audio New Testaments represent 184,000 people throughout Mexico, Guinea, Papua New Guinea and Colombia. The production of these five audio Scriptures will not only make the Gospel available to a host of people, literate as well as illiterate, but it also brings *Faith Comes By Hearing* closer to its goal of recording audio Bibles in 2,000 languages by the year 2016. (Website: <http://www.christiantelegraph.com/issue10402.html>, 27/07/10). **Thank God for making His Word available to thousands of people. Pray that all those who hear the Word of God will be sanctified by it (John.17:17).**

Pray for your community: Adults need to protect children

Greater responsibility is needed at all levels of society to protect children from exposure to pornography. Adults need to take responsibility or face the consequences of a generation forever scarred due to their unwillingness to take proper care of their children. The primitive brain (limbic system) matures in a child long before the thinking brain (neocortex and prefrontal cortex). That means the child can 'feel', 'experience' and 'taste' sexual images/sexual touches from an adult before the child can even express him or herself. These memories are stored sometimes subconsciously and can lead to deviant behaviour later in life. (Website: http://www.iol.co.za/index.php?set_id=1&click_id=125&art_id=nw20100726124732405C233684, 26/07/10). **Ask the Lord to inspire parents to pray for children on a daily basis. Pray that children will not be easily influenced by their peers or even adults and to follow the 'uneasy feeling' they have on the inside. Pray that children who have been exposed to explicit material will find a trustworthy person that can counsel them.**

South Africa: Mortality rate of infants

South Africa is lagging far behind other African countries in curbing infant and maternal mortalities. About two months ago, six premature babies died in a hospital. There has been a series of infant deaths in various health facilities. (Website: http://www.iol.co.za/index.php?set_id=1&click_id=125&art_id=nw20100726222436317C588545, 26/07/10). **Ask the Holy Spirit to comfort the parents who have lost their baby as a result of poor medical care and sometimes even negligence. Pray that nurses in maternal wards will take care of the newborn babies according to the policy that is prescribed to them.**

International: UK Christians challenged to 500 days of Prayer

The organisers of a major day of prayer for the nation are hoping to mobilise churches and networks across the UK in a season of united prayer and outreach. The national day of prayer at West Ham football stadium is expected to draw around 20,000 Christians. It is one of several events being held in preparation for a season of 500 days of prayer starting on August 1 and running until December 31, 2011. The 500 days of prayer are being launched with a view to mobilising churches in prayer ahead of a major prayer gathering at Wembley Stadium planned for 2011 and a year of prayer scheduled for 2012 to coincide with the Olympics in London. Individual Christians are being asked to set their alarms or mobile phones to noon every day and take one minute to pray the Lord's Prayer over the UK. (Website: http://www.openheaven.com/forums/forum_posts.asp?TID=32884&PN=1&TPN=1, 27/07/10). **Pray that the Body of Christ in the UK will take part in this initiative and call upon the name of the Lord. Pray for a mighty harvest of souls in these 500 days. Pray that people will see the power of prayer with their own eyes and start turning to the only true and living God.**

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