

PRAYER DIARY DECEMBER 2024

And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Colossians 3 v17

1st/2nd Give thanks for the 4 weeks of Holiday Club we provided in November. Between 150 –200 children were ministered to each day. Thank God for the time they had playing, eating and learning together. Pray that God will fill them with his peace and blessing, that they may come to know his love and be confident of their hope. Give thanks for those who helped run the club, the staff and volunteers, and those who donated money or food.

3rd /4th Pray for the Solemn Charge 3 day conference being held by Crosspoint Bible Church. The staff will be attending. Pray they would be encouraged and refreshed by the Word. Pray the gospel would change the hearts and lives of those attending that don't yet know Christ personally. Pray God would provide for the practical needs of running the conference and for safety for everyone travelling to and fro. Pray also for the church's building project. Progress has been held up at the documentation stage.

5th /**6**th Accomplish Children's Trust have kindly committed to part funding the APT Kenya project next year. Give thanks to God for this partnership and pray that it will grow and develop into a long term relationship that is mutually beneficial and glorifying to God.

7th / **8**th Over the last few months we have had several new families referred to us that have children with disabilities. All of these families need emotional support to help them accept and love their children as God created them. Pray that the disability support meetings would be helpful to them and through the meetings, they would come to know more about Jesus, and God's plan and purpose for their lives.

9th/10th Give thanks for the opportunities we have had to mentor, train and share the gospel with boys at the Saturday Club. Pray that they would continue to think about the things they have learnt and God would reveal Himself to them.

11th/12th We desire to see parents become financially stable. Give thanks for a Dad who has started his own business and is doing well. We thank God that he has been regularly attending support meetings and the weekly bible study. We have seen him become much more reliable and responsible as a dad and he now earns regular money and is saving towards school fees.

13th/14th Pray for families that have been referred recently. Pray that we would have the love, wisdom and patience needed to serve them holistically and that we would reflect the character of Jesus in all we do and say.

15th/16th We have been encouraged by the regular attendance of parents at the weekly bible study. Pray that God would soften their hearts and give them understanding of His Word that would cause them to repent and accept Jesus as their Lord and Saviour.

17th/18th Give thanks for the physical progress of a young girl. Her mum attended the play training for special needs and has embraced the learning, making toys for her at home and spending time playing with her. As a result the girl is now able to hold objects for a few minutes which she could not do before. We thank God for these small steps and ask God to continue blessing this family and help the girl continue to develop.



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And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.

John 1 v14

19th/20th Give thanks for the opportunities we have to reach the men in Njoro with the gospel. Ask God to put into their hearts the peace they seek so desperately, which He alone can give to them.

21st/22nd Next year we pray that it would please God for us to provide menstrual health education in 7 schools and give the girls packs of reusable sanitary pads. Pray for funding for this project and that it will continue to have a positive impact on the lives of these girls and prevent them from engaging in sexual activities in exchange for pads.

23rd/24th Sadly, it is common for a disabled child to be left alone at home when the parent goes out to work for the day. The child is unable to change position, call for help or care for themselves. Pray for one young girl who is being left alone at home. Pray that staff would have wisdom as they work with the authorities and family to help this child. Pray that God would protect the child from dangers and help her to know He is always with her.

25th/26th We give thanks for this joyful holiday when we celebrate the gifts of hope, peace, joy and love, that God sent to us on that first Christmas. Pray that there would be peace around the world, in our homes and in our hearts.

27th/28th Due to the lack of information and support for parents of disabled children, many do not think sending their child to school is possible. When we encourage them to register their child in a school, the thought of it can make them understandably very nervous and fearful of how their child will cope and how they will be treated. Pray for a Mum who has a child with autism who will be starting class 1 in January. Pray that God would give her peace in her heart. Pray that God would help the teachers and pupils to understand and welcome him. Pray that the child would settle well and enjoy his time at school.

29th/30th Pray for parents who are starting polytechnic courses in January. Pray they would be keen to learn. Pray we would be able to support them throughout the course.

31st Give thanks for the staff and their faithfulness serving God in Njoro. Pray God will direct their ways and they may walk in His law and abound in good works.

Pray for the work of The Potter's House CBO, that God will continue to bless it next year and keep us in His will.



Give thanks to God for this parent who now has his own business selling shoes.