

WORLD WIDE PRAYER MEETING

Thursday, March 1, 2018

International Prayer Focus:

Indonesia Territory

Territorial Leaders: Commissioners Peter and Jennifer Walker

Chief Secretary: Lieut.-Colonel Jones Kasaedja

Prayer Requests:

- 1. The ongoing implementation of the Children's Home Review. Early this year the Cabinet approved most of the 50 recommendations made by the Review Committee. However the implementation of the changes is proving to be an onerous task. Over the next 5 years we will close a number of our Children's Homes and seek to upgrade others. Also we are updating and introducing many new policies to improve the standard and efficiency of our ministry with children.
- 2. The health of the officers in Indonesia. This is an ongoing concern (e.g. In 2017, 5 Officers have been Promoted to Glory) and we have been considering ways that we can assist our Officers (e.g. Medical check-ups when they have 5 and 15 year reviews.)
- 3. Pray that there is integrity and accountability throughout The Salvation Army. There is much corruption throughout the nation and unfortunately, this sometimes filters into the organization.
- 4. Please pray for the Training College cadets and staff (over 50 cadets) as they work towards passing government accreditation and implementing tertiary qualified training.
- 5. Pray for our education services as we continue to work with IHQ and SAWSO to provide teacher training and other resources and enhance this vital area of ministry for nearly 100 Salvation Army schools in Indonesia.

Praise Points:

- 1. For the safe arrival of our new project officers, Envoys Kevin and Jane Sandford from the United Kingdom and Ireland Territory. Their visas were finally approved in late September, a process that took nearly five months.
- 2. For the employment of a Director for Education. This is a position that has been funded by SAWSO and will assist in the oversight of our 97 schools and training and upskilling of our teacher.
- 3. For the success of activities initiated by the "Whole World Mobilizing" campaign of 2017. This included free medical check-ups by hospitals and clinics, distribution of food and drinks at bus stations during Idul Fitre holidays.
- 4. Child Protection Training throughout the Territory. This project has been sponsored by the Australia Eastern Territory.

Territorial Events Prayer Focus:

- TC's visit to Yellowknife & Whitehorse February 28-March 5
- Territorial Rural Ministries Conference March 3-7
- Visit of International Secretary for Americas March 23-28
- Holy Week Services & Easter Weekend Services
- · Canadian Staff Band/Staff Songsters Ministries
- · Officers' Pre-confirmation Institute, 2nd Year April 15-20
- Divisional Leadership Transition BC Division
- Lieut.-Colonels Brian and Anne Venables as they prepare for International Appointments.

- Ontario Congress and Commissioning/Ordination planning
- Booth University College Spring Convocation April 28-29
- Personnel Department and Annual General Move Planning

Personnel Prayer Focus:

Health Concerns:

Bonnar, Major Kenneth Pike, Major Keith Pike, Major Shona

Lost Loved Ones:

Barrett, Major Max (Rtd) – Mother
Benson, Cadet Andrew – Grandfather
Evenden, Major Miriam (Rtd) – Husband
Evenden, Major Neil (Marrilee) – Father
Hagglund, Major Gwendolyn (James) – Brother
Holden, Lieutenant Randy (Anne) – Father
Hopkins, Major Marcella (William) (Rtd) – Sister-in-law
Jones, Major Larry (Rtd) – Wife
Kerr, Commissioner Joyce (Donald) (Rtd) – Brother-in-law
Perry, Major Eleanor (Rtd) – Brother
Pollard, Major Rick (Drucella) – Sister
Reilly, Major Gerald – Father
Wheeler, Major Valerie - Mother

Cycle of Prayer:

Marshall, Lt.-Colonel June (Retired) Aurora, ON Marshall, Majors Les & Tiffany, Burnaby, BC Marsland, Mrs. Brigadier V. Doris (Retired) London, ON

Knowing You - #565 (TB725)

 All I once held dear, built my life upon, All this world reveres, and wars to own,
 All In once thought gain I have counted loss;
 Spent and worthless now, compared to this:

> Knowing You, Jesus, knowing You. There is no greater thing. You're my joy, my righteousness, And I love You, Lord.

- Now my heart's desire is to know You more,
 To be found in You and known as Yours,
 To possess by faith what I could not earn,
 All surpassing gift of righteousness.
 - O, to know the power of Your risen life, And to know You in Your sufferings,
 To become like You in Your death, my Lord, So with You to live and never die.