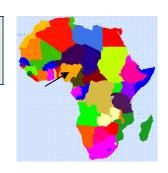


# WORLD WIDE PRAYER MEETING December 15, 2016—Nigeria Territory

#### Isaiah 9:6 reminds us,

For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given,
and the government will be on his shoulders.
And he will be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.



Today we are praying for the Nigeria Territory, where the gospel is preached in ten languages: Edo, Efik/Ibibio, English, Hausa, Ibo, Ijaw, Calabari, Tiv, Urhobo, Yoruba

# The Nigerian Territory has sent the following Prayer Requests for us to remember in prayer:

- Please pray for alleviation of the continuing biting effects of Economic Recession
- Please pray for the Eastern Zonal Congress
- Please pray for revival of Youth Centres around the Territory, and the creation of job opportunities
- Please join us in thanking God for continuing development of Music Programs, such as Brass Band
- Please pray for the strategy of increasing our Junior /Senior Soldiers roll (there are 18,000+ senior soldiers and 7,500+ Junior Soldiers)
- Please pray that God by His Spirit will continue to bless our Training Program, including the Officers Training College, the Staff and Cadets. In 2017, cadets from the Joyful Intercessors session will be commissioned as officers, the largest session ever.

### Leaders in the Nigeria Territory need our prayers:

- Territorial Leaders Cols. Victor & Rose-Marie Leslie
- Chief Secretary Lt.-Col. Friday Ayanam
- Youth & Candidates Secretary Capt. Robert Robert
- Training Principal Major Godspower Sampson

### Canada & Bermuda Territorial Prayer Focus:

- Pray that the WORK and PRESENCE of The Salvation Army in the Canada and Bermuda Territory would bring comfort and hope as we seek to point people to Jesus, Immanuel, God with us.
- Pray for all OFFICERS and CADETS as they work to be messengers of Hope, Love, Joy and Peace. Ask the LORD, God Almighty to anoint and empower every proclamation of Good News so that all people would respond, "Come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the LORD our Maker" (Psalm 95:6).

### **Advent Prayer**

How silently, how silently the wondrous gift is given.

I would be silent now,

Lord,

and expectant...

that I may receive

the gift I need,

so I may become

the gifts others need.

Amen

Emmanuel Emmanuel

His name is called Emmanuel

God is with us

Revealed in us

His name is called

Emmanuel.

## **Benediction Prayer**

Be Near us Lord Jesus

We ask thee to stay

Close by us forever and love us we pray

Bless all the dear children in thy tender care

And fit us for heaven to live with thee there.