

Nation of the Week

Nation of the World
Needing Our Prayers
Peru



"For mine house shall be called an house of prayer for all people." Isaiah 56:7b

Peru, officially the Republic of Peru, is a nation in western South America. It became independent of Spain in 1824 and since has had a long history of dictatorships and repressive military rule. The capture of terrorist leaders in 1992 and 1993 has led to more stability, but Peru still needs an effective government with the courage and strength to deal with issues of poverty, corruption, ecology and instability in neighboring lands. The Peruvian population of over 32 million is multiethnic, including Amerindians, Europeans, Africans and Asians. The main spoken language is Spanish, although a significant number of Peruvians speak Quechua or another native language. The economy is fairly well developed, but with some inequality with about 19% of people living in poverty. Religious freedom is guaranteed in the constitution, but the Catholic Church, as the officially recognized state church, has received some preferential treatment. Peru is nominally about 94.5% Christian (76% Catholic) that is oftentimes mixed with pagan religious traditions.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Pray for souls to be saved, baptized, and grounded in God's Word.
- Pray for Independent Baptists to establish more churches in Peru.
- Pray for our missionaries Paul Anger and Lois Hutchinson ministering to Peru.
- Pray for Holy Spirit revival and many Catholics to come to the light and liberty of Biblical salvation.

MISSIONARY MINUTE

Sunday

November 1, 2020



OUR MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK
Bro. and Mrs. Clint Shipman
to Germany

Bro. Clint and Jennifer Shipman went to Germany in 2003 and spent 2.5 years learning the language. They started a church in 2006 and a Bible institute about two years ago. They have both German and English services on Sunday. They have soul winning and Gospel literature distribution on Saturday. They have been able to spread the Gospel in their area through tracts, one of which they wrote themselves, and have a website up and running. They have one young couple in the church who have grown much in the Lord and may be able to take over the church someday. Also their second oldest son and his family are on deputation and have most of their support raised in order to go to Germany and help their parents and someday start another church. At present, they need a larger place for the church to meet in order to have more room for visitors and people who come for special events. Bro. Shipman says, "God is using us to see folks saved and baptized to grow in Christ. We would like to see God send us help ... and raise up a national pastor to take this work. Thank you for your faithfulness to us."

Requests

- Pray for God to open the hearts of many so that they will be saved.
- Pray for their son to complete deputation, and for the Lord to raise up a national pastor who can take over this work.
- Pray for a larger meeting place for the church.
- Pray for the church as sin and the Devil are trying to divide it.

PRAYER REQUESTS

NEW PRAYER LETTERS

BRAZIL

Rom Ribeiro

COSTA RICA

Ed Bordell

EQUATORIAL GUINEA

Manual Diaz

HONDURAS

Jason Tate

MEXICO

Mike Patterson

Kevin Wynne

PHILIPPINES

Carl Sparks

USA

John Gibson

VANUATU

Jim Hirtzel

WORLDWIDE

Bill Eubanks

Jim Kennard

Bill Patterson

Tom Williams

Other

Angers– Health.

P. Anger– Health.

Prayer Letter Requests

E. Bordell– Needs met for building codes. Norma's continued healing.

M. Diaz– God's provision in economic hardships.

B. Eubanks– A reasonably priced motor home/trailer.

J. Gibson– Fruit from Tuesday outreaches.

J. Hirtzel– Smooth transition back to Vanuatu.

J. Kennard– Candidate school to go according to schedule.

B. Patterson– Safety.

M. Patterson– Jesse and Vicki Morton for recovery from COVID.

R. Ribeiro– Protection. Funds for new property for 6th church.

C. Sparks– Safety from typhoons this year. New copier. Funds for a Vehicle.

J. Tate– States phase of twins adoption.

T. Williams– Safety.

K. Wynne– Safety.

Fruit Abounding to Our Account

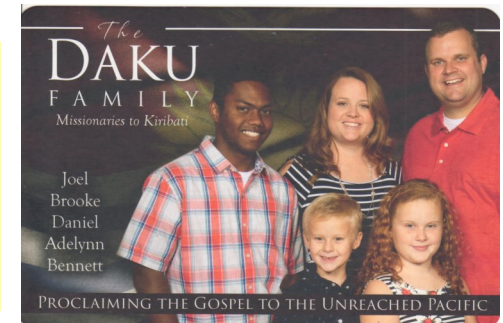
Philippians 4:17

(Excerpt from letter of Missionary Tom Williams Worldwide Missionary)



One evening arriving back at our hotel in Adrian, Michigan, the Holy Spirit led me to go and give a tract to several men, each of whom had a bottle of alcohol of some sort in their hands, and tell them there is life and hope in Jesus Christ. I encountered one of these men later inside the hotel and he received Christ as his Savior.

Keep our missionaries and their people in prayer during this time. Pray for protection, finances, and people to remain faithful.



Dear Dr. Paisley and Church Family,
Thank you so much for inviting us to be with you during our time in the Northwest. Your kindness and generosity was such a blessing to our family. Thank you for the nice accommodations, meals, and thoughtful gifts. Your heart for missions and reaching all with the Gospel was a tremendous blessing to our hearts. We also thoroughly enjoyed getting to know your youth at camp. We are praying for your ministry. In Christ,
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