

WEEK OF July 3, 2022

DISTRICT CHURCH

New Hope Christian Fellowship, Virginia Beach, VA Rev. Peter Daley www.newhopetoday.org

"Every Wednesday we host the Gathering (a) Magic Hollow in the Roma Lodge, a weekly dinner for the community, with an abundance of delicious food, face to face time around the table and an opportunity to share a story from the life of Jesus. We love the ways the Holy Spirit is transforming us as we eat together with new friends every week. But most of all we love how the Holy Spirit is gathering 40 people together in community, with many leaning in toward welcoming Jesus into their lives. Please celebrate these people and ask the Holy Spirit to draw them fully into discipleship with Jesus! Ask for powerful breakthroughs of revelation of all Jesus is and is for them amid shame, blame, guilt and fear. And ask for the full impact of the gospel to make them new!" -PD

INTERNATIONAL WORKER David & Heather

Dave and Heather are returning to the USA this month, for the purpose of tending to some family matters. Pray that they will be re-established quickly. Prayers for a place to live and especially for a vehicle to use temporarily until God provides one, and for direction for their future would be greatly appreciated. Pray that the work and relationships established through their service "across the pond" will yield Kingdom Fruit. <u>CHURCH PLANT</u> <u>C&MA Ethiopian Church</u> <u>Alexandria, VA</u> Rev. Tariku Abebe

"We have a plan to evangelize the people around our location. Most of them speak English, but we are an Ethiopian Church! So, we have a language barrier we need prayer about. We also need finances/money for our evangelism program, so pray about that. Finally, when we evangelize them, they will need to change their heart by the Holy Spirit so you have to pray about the presence of God in us. Thank you so much."

-Tariku





WEEK OF July 10, 2022

<u>DISTRICT CHURCH</u> Great Commission Community Church, Arlington, VA, Rev. Stephen Kim greatcommissioncc.org

"Great Commission Community Church celebrated our 20th anniversary on June 5th. The church was started with just 8 people with vision to reach the young adults in the Washington DC area. We praise God for his faithfulness over those 20 years. Here are our prayers requests for this upcoming ministry year: Pray that our growth will flow out of our health. Pray for more people to experience new life in Christ through our community. Pray for local and global mission work to be aligned with God's call for us." - Pastor Kim

INTERNATIONAL WORKERS Christopher & Faith

"Our team here in "Riverside" has had a lot of transition in the past month and will continue to see people come and go through the summer. We praise God, however, that he has provided through all of them. We recently finished our formal semester in our English program but will still continue having social events to meet and interact with local friends. Please pray for the doors to open in these relationships! There are so many relationships and so little time. We need wisdom knowing who to invest our time with." - C

CHAPLAIN MINISTRIES

<u>Chaplain Ken Linder Clinical</u> <u>Pastoral Education (CPE)</u> <u>Richmond VA Medical</u> <u>Center</u>

"I run a chaplain training program at the Richmond Veterans Affairs Medical Center called Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE), L recently had an educator colleague join me, and we are redesigning the CPE residency program. I need prayer for us to receive God's leading on the best way to redesign the residency program to improve it. We plan to coeducate the residents beginning this coming fall and are asking God's blessing and favor on their growth and learning. Thanks. Ken"





WEEK OF July 17, 2022

DISTRICT CHURCH Gaithersburg International Christian Fellowship Rev. Julio E. Orozco www.gcacmd.org

We celebrate that even in the midst of trails and difficult times, our church is moving forward. The number one priority: Making Healthy Disciples! Please, pray as we implement God's Plans for GCAC/GICF and to execute them properly. There will be two Sundays dedicated to street evangelism with Evangelist Jose Lopez. These dates are July 17, 31 from 2:00pm to 5:00pm. Please, pray that we will meet people who are thirsty to hear a Word from God. Pray that God will use us in a mighty way and may be able to make connections within our community. Montgomery County is considered one of the most diverse cities in the USA. Though we are a community focused church, our desire is to connect, serve, and impact both our local and international community beginning in Montgomery County.

ENVISON WORKERS Ryan and Cortnie Providence, RI

The Rhode Island Envision site closed earlier this year. The Allen's have returned to Kent Island to reestablish and refocus on what God has in store for them. They are grateful for the peace God has given them, and for the relationships that were established. Pray that they will reconnect well; ask God to give them friendship with another couple with whom they can share life.

<u>PRAY FOR</u> OUR DISTRICT LEADERSHIP & STAFF

Doug Conley Ira Towns Tess Ladino Linsie Fish Shirley Maser DEXCOM Church Health Team Church Planting Team LO&CC Missions Team Budget & Finance Team

PRAY FOR OUR NATIONAL LEADERSHIP in Columbus, OH

John Stumbo, President Board of Directors President's Cabinet



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WEEK OF July 24, 2022

<u>DISTRICT CHURCH</u> Faith Alliance Church - Lynchburg, VA Rev. Josef Shalev, Lead Pastor www.faithcma.com

"This congregation continues to welcome new families, some whom they have been reaching out to and others who have come seeking hope amidst the COVID crisis. Pray for healthy assimilation and discipleship of these families. More funding is needed to develop a 1/3-mile walking trail on their property that will be available for "prayer walking." Pray as they navigate some Elder changes. Liberty University is in their backyard; ask God to give them connections and Kingdom influence in that setting. They simply want to introduce more people in their community to Jesus.

INTERNATIONAL WORKERS Todd & Debbie - Papua

Seven years ago, the Korowai people in the village of Yasip (pop. 120), had no gospel witness. Henok, a graduate of the Bible School in Nabire, along with his wife, were selected to reach these peoples. After four years the local funding was depleted. Twentyfour Ibele Churches are now raising support to continue reaching their own people through Henok! Recently, Todd preached a simple salvation message and several people prayed to receive Christ as their Savior. Pray for Henok his wife and children as they serve in a very remote location.Pray for the Ibele District to fully engage their role of being a missions sending church. Pray for new workers to join this effort.

FROM PRESDENT STUMBO

As our nation responds to the recent Supreme Court ruling to overturn Roe v. Wade, The Alliance affirms its long-held position on the sanctity of life. "At this historic moment. I commend those within the Alliance family who have labored faithfully to preserve and protect all lives, including those of the unborn. You have persevered through the decades upholding the sanctity of life," responds **U.S. Alliance President John** Stumbo. "Meanwhile, this must be a moment when we join together with the greater Christian community in committing to new levels of engagement...

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WEEK OF July 31, 2022

<u>DISTRICT CHURCH</u> Addis Kidan Christ's Church Rev. Mulugeta Abate Pastor Silver Spring, MD

This Ethiopian congregation shares space from First Alliance Church in Silver Spring, MD. Pray for a continued sense of inclusiveness and identification with the larger C&MA church family and a shared ownership of global ministry. Pray the youth ministry continues to make an impact as a growing number of teens participate in monthly youth rallies. Pray also for their homeland Ethiopian friends and family who are inundated with civil war.

INTERNATIONAL WORKER Jeff & Betsy

Jeff and Betsy serve a primitive culture. Pray for effectiveness in ministry as they use their skill sets in evangelizing, discipleship, and relational ministry. Pray for healthy relationships with team members and the national church leadership. Pray that the camping ministry continues to develop and that lives will be changed as ministry flows forward. Continue to pray for their extended family here in the USA. Ask God to lavish his favor and love upon this couple.

STUMBO CONTINUED...

<u>...</u>with and ministry to children, mothers, fathers, and families. As Christ's Church, we are called to demonstrate His loving and sacrificial posture toward those impacted by this ruling. Let's bless the lives we've fought for."

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