

## prayer



### *In-Depth Bible Seminar*

Praise for providing Toddhall Retreat Center as the venue for In-Depth. May God bless the staff who serve there.

For God to guide students and scholars to register for the 2022 In-Depth Seminar.

For God to provide a team to serve, teach, and care for the children who attend.

For guidance for JJ Voelker and Sue as they prepare the In-Depth Seminar sessions.

For additional staff for the In-Depth Seminar.

### *From Sue Hasselbring Ministry Catalyst*

That participants from across the US who attended the Best Practices in Ministry (BPM) Conference in Phoenix would begin intentionally reaching out to international students and scholars, encouraging others to join them.

For wisdom in prioritizing which conferences and conventions to attend.

For appropriate follow-up with various contacts: potential new sites, BPM, those registered for In-Depth, and those who have requested help.

### *From Bob Dickhudt, Detroit, MI*

The ISM site at Wayne State University, Detroit, has been “pandemic-caused inactive,” but HOPE ABOUND for potential re-start in the weeks ahead. Pray for us: for wisdom and strength and good ideas and the Lord’s leading.

### *From Marcia Mittweded, Austin, Texas*

For M, E, J (S. Korea); H (Turkey); N, Y (Japan); G (Hungary); who have all responded to our offer to send them a free Bible (thanks to a Grant from ISM, Inc.). Ask the Lord to continue to draw them and family members to Himself as they read and study these new Bibles.

Please continue to pray for N (Japan) and her kids. (Not Christians yet.) Jesus is at work!! Here’s an excerpt from a recent message: “...my second daughter asked a question about Jesus, so I gave her a children’s Bible. She sat next to me for about an hour and read the Bible.”

More good news! K&T (Belarus) have asked Pr. Richard to baptize their baby girl on Feb. 26. The baptism will be “zoomed” to the family in Belarus so they can also join the event. Thank the Lord and ask that other internationals who attend will also be touched by God’s Spirit.

### *From Eric Andrae, Pittsburgh, PA*

“Corito” and her family came to the divine service this past Sunday; the first time ever they have been to Christian worship. Afterward, they also joined about fifty people from our parish, campus ministry, deaf mission, and blind center at our annual Thanksgiving Dinner (see attached pictures).

Prayer request for Zoë Huelsman, our Deaconess intern who is teaching ESL class, and for me as I continue to teach ESL Bible study. Prayers for one of our new students, “Cortito” from Japan, who has never heard of Jesus or opened a Bible before, as well as for “Jamesi” joins us online from Asia, a Muslim who really desires to learn more about Christianity and to come to the United States. †