**Prayer Partners**

The Apostle Paul, a man of deep prayer, begged believers to pray for him. He pleaded with the church, “I urge you, brethren, by our Lord Jesus Christ and by the love of the Spirit, to strive together with me in your prayers to God for me” (Rom. 15:30). Like Paul, every worker needs prayer for their personal needs, for spiritual wisdom and power, for their family, and for the ministry to which they are called. One of the most valuable resources is that of a prayer team. Here is a list of things you and others can pray for on your behalf:

**Praying for your self**

Joy – 2 Corinthians 4:7-18, James 1:24, 1 Peter 1:6-9

Disciplined – 2 Timothy 2:3-9, 15

Prayer and Financial Support – 1 Thessalonians 5:25; Romans 15:30

Servant Ministry and Encouragement – 1 Thessalonians 5:11; Hebrews 3:13

**Praying for your team**

Unity – Romans 14:19, Ephesians 4:3

Humility – Proverbs 15:33, Colossians 3:12, 1 Peter 5:5, Ephesians 3:17, 6:14

Health and Safety – 2 Timothy 4:16-18

**Praying for missionaries**

Biblical Marriage, Singleness – Ephesians 5:22-30

Children (by name) - Ephesians 6:1-3; Colossians 3:21; Proverbs 22:6

Pressures - 2 Timothy 2:3-4; 1 Timothy 5:17-18

Spiritual Freshness and Maturity – Ephesians 4:15; II Corinthians 9:10-15

Ability to Walk in Love and in the Light – Ephesians 5:2; 2 Peter 1:7,10

Divine Power and Knowledge of Him – 2 Peter 1:3, 8

Prayer Life – 1 Thessalonians 1:2-5

Integrity and Accountability – Ephesians 4:25, 31-32; 2 Timothy 4:8-10

Spiritual Warfare – Acts 20:28-31; Ephesians 6:10-18

Compassion, Mercy and Love Toward Those Who are Lost – Luke 19:41; Matthews 5:3-16

Perseverance in the Midst of Crisis – Philippians 1:6, 23-24

**Pray for the country**

Fruitful Relationships – Romans 14:19

Believers will pray for their people – 2 Chronicles 7:14