

# <u>June 2023</u>

# Please join us in praying for...

# TWR Canada's Persian Ministry

For more than 40 years, we have been reaching the Persian-speaking world with the hope of the gospel. Through web radio, social media, training conferences and more, we continue to see believers strengthened in their faith and new disciples being made.

- 1. Pray for those across the Persian-speaking world who receive SD cards, Bibles and other resources. Pray that they would grow in faith.
- 2. TWR Canada's Persian web radio station shares the hope and truth of the gospel with the Persian-speaking world. Praise God for the changed lives we have seen and pray for many more to come to faith.
- 3. Because women in the Persian-speaking world need their husbands' permission to travel to conferences, it can be especially difficult for them when their husbands don't believe in Christ. Pray for the Lord to work in the hearts of these men and for women to receive the hope and encouragement they need.

#### **Digital Ministry**

Our digital ministry allows anyone, anywhere, at any time to gain access to a wide range of resources in their heart language.

- 4. In partnership with the team in Europe, we have released an app for Macedonian speakers containing programming such as *Voice of Truth, InTouch* and *Life of Jesus*. Pray for those accessing this content on the app.
- 5. Pray for those accessing content on TWR Canada's Android and iOS apps, including the Speak Hope and Discipleship Essentials apps. Pray that these apps would be a beneficial resource to many around the world as they grow in their faith.
- 6. Many TWR radio stations around the world also stream their broadcasts online. Pray for those listening in this way from all around the globe.
- 7. The vast majority of Bengali-speaking youth in India have regular access to the internet, and 80 per cent of their internet use involves watching videos. Pray that those watching TWR India's videos discover hope in Christ.
- 8. Through our partnership with the Metropolitan Bible Church in Ottawa, we are distributing their weekly audio program, *Encounter the Truth* on TWR360. Pray that many will use this tool to grow in faith.
- 9. Praise God that Discipleship Essentials is now available online in Hausa and Indonesian! Pray for all those who will access these materials.
- 10. With digital technology, we have the opportunity to reach people at any time all around the world. Pray for those who discover these digital resources and that they would come to know God through them.



# TWR Canada's Missionaries

Our missionaries serve in a variety of countries, including here in Canada! Using their God-given skills and passion, they are the on-the-ground workers in the field.

- 11. Pray for the Dunlop family in South Africa. Nathan is working on several audio and video production projects for TWR globally, and Megan continues her role of social and relational facilitator in the office. Praise God their three children are so actively involved in church activities!
- 12. Pray for TWR Canada's missionary to China, who is back in Canada to renew her visa. Pray that process would go smoothly and the visa would be approved quickly.
- 13. Pray for the Clarke family as they serve in Eswatini. Pray for the political situation in the country and that God would continue to use TWR's programming to speak hope.
- 14. Pray for Julia Schindeler as she works with diaspora communities in Toronto and looks at new ways of partnership for TWR Canada with these people groups.
- 15. Pray for Jeremy Mullin as he supports the IT needs of TWR Canada.
- 16. Pray for Stephen and Teresa Murray in South Africa in their second year on the field, as they continue to settle in and build relationships with their coworkers and community.
- 17. Pray that God would stir up new missionaries from Canada to go out and support the work of TWR around the world.

# TWR Canada's Ministry to Children

Our ministry to children includes *Bible Stories Alive*, a series of stories chronicling the lives of people in the Bible, such as Adam and Eve, Abraham, Moses, and Jesus, in a way that brings the stories to life and makes the listener feel like they are there.

- 18. Please pray for the translation and production of the *Bible Stories Alive* programs in Arabic, Spanish, Persian, Swahili, Somali, Hindi, Gujarati and Mandarin.
- 19. TWR Cambodia's children's program *Happy Children's Garden* shares practical daily living advice alongside Bible stories. Pray for the children who listen in groups and grow in faith together.
- 20. Praise God for the infrastructure to share *Bible Stories Alive*, including on four FM stations in Kenya, on TWR360, and on the Speak Hope and Bible Stories Alive Android and iOS apps.
- 21. Pray for the distribution of the Mandarin stories on tablets and online through TWR Canada's Chinese ministry. Pray that the children and families who read and listen to these stories would grow in their faith together.
- 22. Pray for Dr. Griffiths and his team at Bible Stories Alive as they edit the English stories for translation into other languages.
- 23. Pray for those listening to *Bible Stories Alive* broadcast in Spanish across the TWR Latin America FM network.
- 24. Please pray that God would instill in children all over the world a curiosity to know him and develop a strong foundation rooted in his truth and goodness.



# Ministry in Canada

TWR Canada provides resources for the Canadian Church, as well as tools to help share the hope of Jesus in the heart languages of our neighbours.

- 25. Praise God for the increase in responses from younger viewers in Quebec! Pray for the team at Aujourd'hui l'Espoir as they share the gospel with a younger audience.
- 26. Pray for Aujourd'hui l'Espoir's Hope Line. Pray that the team who answers the calls would encourage callers, answer their questions and engage them in spiritually uplifting discussions.
- 27. Please pray for the ongoing production of CultureCross. This resource is designed to help Canadians share the gospel with those of a different culture.
- 28. TWR Canada provides media players for believers to use as an evangelism tool in reaching new Canadians with the gospel. Pray for those who will receive a player in their heart language.
- 29. To supplement the topical episodes of the TV show *La Parole Vivante*, we are creating a series based on the Thru the Bible series of Genesis. Please pray for the production of this series and for all who will view it.
- 30. As we look to expand the reach of the Quebec FM station through repeater stations across the province, please pray for the process of applying for licenses through CRTC and for quick approval to begin broadcasting more broadly.