

Quarterly Prayer News January – March 2017

Dear Praying Friends

Welcome to 2017 – the year we celebrate the 150th anniversary of the beginnings of Scripture Union ministry. It is going to be an exciting year with many movements marking the occasion with celebrations. Do keep an eye out for news on celebration events in your country that you might be able to be a part of. Later in the year we will also be holding the first Global Assembly, marking the final transition to the new structure we have been working towards over the last 3 years.

As regular prayer supporters of Scripture Union, you will be aware SU is active in many places around the world which make the news – too often the bad news. These news bulletins can prompt us to pray. Members of the SU family – and the wider family of God – are impacted by the events being reported. There are also underlying issues in many countries – corruption, greed, violence, persecution and oppression of various kinds – to pray about.

For Scripture Union in the southern hemisphere, this prayer guide edition includes the peak summer period for outreach through missions and camps. Please pray that in years to come, thousands will look back on this summer as the one when they met Christ in a real and life-changing way!

A key lesson about prayer is that we are absolutely dependent on God if we are to do his work. Jesus tells us, *Apart from me, you can do nothing.* (John 15:4) We are completely dependent on God if our work is to bear lasting and eternal fruit. This means that those faithfully serving through SU around the world are completely dependent on Jesus for their effectiveness.

Jesus says to us, *Keep on asking, and you will receive what you ask for. Keep on seeking, and you will find. Keep on knocking, and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives. Everyone who seeks, finds. And to everyone who knocks, the door will be opened.* (Matthew 7:7-8 NLT).

Keep asking, seeking, knocking...your prayers will be answered. They are powerful and effective!

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1 - 7 JANUARY

- **Japan (26 Dec – 1 Jan):** Please pray for the Lord to bless all attending the 7th International Students' Camp hosted by Indonesia, including about 50 people from Japan.
- **France (Editions):** From 1 January 2017, in partnership with the High School of Theology (HET-PRO), we will be broadcasting. We thank God for the new manager / logistician appointed. 2017 will be a great challenge for publishing, please pray as this ministry is completely reorganised.
- **Davi Krukliis (Global Team):** pray for Davi who starts as the Field Development Director for Latin America on 1 January. Pray he is able to quickly get to know the Movements, assess their needs and seek to help strengthen them. Thank God for the provision of Davi.
- **Moscow (2-6):** Please pray for all the children and their parents who will attend the Children's Camp. Please also pray for the volunteers - Roma, Mischa, Yana, Fedya, Matfey, Polina, Varya, Andrey and Mischa as they conduct the camp activities.
- **Korea (2-6):** A Winter LTC (Leadership Training Course) will be held. Pray that the Holy Spirit will work through the Bible and that all the participants humble themselves before God so they can effectively serve their communities.
- **Northern Ireland (3):** The Volunteer application website will be launched today. Please pray that the Christian community will be inspired to join in mission this summer, to reach out to thousands of young people through more than 40 camps and missions.

- **Nigeria:** Please pray for the launch of a new Daily Guide App with additional features that will enrich the devotional life of users – that God will provide good opportunities for publicity and that it will be well received.
- **NSW, Australia:** Please pray for God’s guidance in the appointment and introduction of a State Director (CEO) to support the ongoing ministries and the implementation of the Strategic Plan.
- **International Director Appointment:** the future vacancy for the position of International Director (following Janet Morgan’s retirement later in the year) will be advertised publically this week. Pray for those considering applying for the role and the interview Group who will eventually be making a recommendation to the International Council regarding the appointment.
- **Victoria, Australia:** Please pray for 27 SUFM (Scripture Union Family Missions) and Theos (Youth/ Young Adult) Programs, and 6 Age Group and Family Camps being held this Summer. Please pray for teams as they share God’s love and Good News, that God will work through the 800 volunteers to impact the lives of hundreds of children, young people and families.

8 – 14 JANUARY

- **Macau (8):** An award-giving ceremony in relation to the 2016 Bible reading campaign will be held. This is an opportunity for participants to commit themselves again to reading the Bible every day. Please pray for Lily, our part-time staff person, who coordinates and leads the program.
- **NSW, Australia:** Pray for the Tamworth Country Music mission team who plan to impact festival goers for Jesus. Pray that they will be led by the Spirit into God-given strategies. Pray for strong partnerships with many local churches.
- **Latvia:** Please pray for the campsite rebuilding project which aims to make the camp accessible to people with special needs. Initial funding is in hand but a further project is planned. Please pray for someone who can help write an application for a project competition.
- **Zimbabwe (11-14):** Praise God that the ministry continues in the face of great political and financial difficulties. Please pray that staff will be encouraged at their staff retreat. Also pray for the provision of much needed finances to turn the situation around.
- **Sri Lanka (12&13)** Give thanks to the Lord for all the volunteers participating in the Volunteer Training - that the new comers and existing workers will be well equipped for ministry and trained in the Child protection policy.
- **Portugal (14):** Please pray for the New Year’s Meeting and Lunch, and for Annual Meetings in several places of the country. Please pray for the New National Director and those responsible for publishing.
- **Taiwan:** Please pray for the SU Teaching Team as they prepare materials for seminars in January, February and March. Pray that the hearts of attendees will be open with a new desire for the transforming Word of God.
- **Romania:** As a new year begins, please pray that God will bless the ministry this year. Please pray for His wisdom to plan and prepare summer activities; and volunteers who have a heart for serving God and others.
- **Peninsula Malaysia (14):** The Bible Engagement team is conducting a Training of Trainers for volunteers in leading the Bible Engagement Seminar for Youth. Please pray for increased capacity to instil the practice of daily Bible reading among young people.
- **Rachel Farmer (Global Team):** pray for Rachel who recently started on the Global Team as the Communications Manager. Pray that Rachel is able to quickly pick up all the necessary parts of the job and develop these to help us improve our global communications. Pray as she works to develop the new extranet in conjunction with James Burden – a resource to help Movements share resources and work together in collaboration.



Thank God

For His faithfulness to us as a movement - in having led us and sustained us for 150 years.

Pray for ...

The various celebrations and events that have been planned by the different movements to commemorate SU’s 150 years.

15 – 21 JANUARY

- **Singapore:** Pray for SU Staff and Council – that they begin the New Year with His grace and anointing to fulfil His purpose for 2017.
- **WA, Australia (15–21):** Praise God for the two Glen Echo camps being held. Please pray for those who will have life-changing encounters with Jesus. Pray for a first-time third camp this year for 12 & 13 year olds.
- **Japan:** We thank God for blessing the three CSK Camps held in August 2016.
- **Scotland:** Please pray for the staff and volunteers who are taking up opportunities in schools and churches to promote SU Holidays over the winter months, when weather can often be harsh! Pray for safety in travel and a warm reception from school staff which will translate into many bookings.
- **Queensland, Australia (16-18):** Please pray that the School Chaplain Prayer Retreats are full of blessing and revelation for our school chaplains. Pray that the Lord speaks to them and directs them for their ministry throughout 2017.
- **Hong Kong (21):** A Bible talk for teenagers on Ezra will be held on 21 Jan. Please pray that God will use the speaker, Dr Fook-Kong Wong, to transform the lives of those who attend with the power and impact of His Word.
- **Tonga:** The theme and vision for 2017 is the *Year of Soaring High, Diving Deeper and Moving Forward*. Please pray for the plans to have SU School Counsellors in all Schools and Education Institutes across the Island Kingdom.
- **England & Wales:** Praise God as we celebrate our year long 150th Birthday! Please pray we will be faithful to our calling to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with the next generation. Thank Him for the new office, still in Milton Keynes - may it make us more effective in sharing the good news of Jesus Christ.
- **Armenia:** Praise God for the many children and young people who hear the Good News at SU Camps and the after-camp Bible Studies led by a faithful team of staff and volunteers. Please thank God for new opportunities with people from Iran and Georgia who attend the camps.

22 – 28 JANUARY

- **Sri Lanka (21&22):** Give thanks for the funds that were raised for the Annual Children's Camp 2017. Please pray for the 100 participants and 20 volunteers who will hear of the Gospel through the various activities and the camp theme: **Jesus is our Super Hero**.
- **Indonesia:** Please pray for Bible Ministry Training for pastors and elders of Batak Karo Protestant Church from Java and Bali. A Staff and Council Retreat will also be held.
- **Hungary:** Praise God and thank you for your prayers for our Pastors' Conference in October 2016 on using *Discipleship Explored*. Your prayers were certainly answered! There was much positive feedback. Please pray for the planning and organising of similar training days and conferences.
- **Laos:** Please pray for the printing of a Lao version of 'E100'.
- **Wendy Strachan, Global Team:** The Leadership Experience for 2018 will be re-framed in the light of feedback from 2016. Applications will open in April 2017. Please pray for clear goals, wisdom and team diversity - and for Wendy as she facilitates this process.
- **Slovakia:** Thank God for the opportunity to teach Sunday School teachers around Slovakia. The new publication, Bible Timeline, has been very well received. Please pray for its wide distribution.
- **Canada (English):** Canada and Scripture Union share a birthday milestone - both are 150 years! Sadly, this generation of Canadian children and youth are more disconnected from Christian faith than any previous generation. Please ask God to incline the hearts of the children to Jesus and to send a breath of heaven across the nation.
- **Armenia:** Please pray for the much needed provision of finances, so that the budget can allow for growth and development of the ministry.
- **Egypt:** Please pray for the effective distribution of 100,000 Illustrated Scriptures (NT, Gospel or Bible) to nominally Christian Grade 7 students across the nation. In the past, children have received these Scriptures happily and gratefully. Please pray that these Scriptures will be a real blessing.

29 JANUARY – 4 FEBRUARY

- **Mauritius: (31-4):** Please pray for the writers' workshop for children, youth and adult Bible notes being held 31 January to 4 February.
- **Bulgaria:** Please pray for visits to churches in smaller towns to teach how to plan and organise children's holiday clubs. Please pray for wisdom and the participation of more church volunteers.
- **Slovakia (3):** Please pray for the annual one-day holiday club for kids who attended camp - Bible stories are shared and they are encouraged to live their faith. Please pray for God's presence, and a great learning experience for volunteers who are involved for the first time.
- **Victoria:** Please pray for chaplains and volunteer school teams as they: commence programs; build relationships with young people; support school communities; and represent Jesus' love in schools. Please pray for SU Victoria and Camp Coolamatong Interns as they commence their year of training and service, engaging with school students in camps and programs each week – that God will be equip them to serve and work through them to impact young lives.
- **Latvia:** Please pray for God's protection, joy and encouragement for Godly Play teachers whose service is not always understood in Latvian society.
- **Republic of Ireland:** Please pray for Eric Hughes, the newly appointed Youth and Community Ministry Leader – that he will know the Lord's wisdom and provision as he sets out in faith. Eric will focus on: the existing retreat ministry in secondary schools; mentoring and discipleship in Camps and Missions; and developing Ember Leadership and Faith program.
- **Bulgaria:** Please pray for the Winter Ski Camp, attended by many non-believers. Please pray for safety, and God's love and grace to be evident.
- **Ukraine:** Please pray for this year's camps being planned for children and teenagers. Please pray for the provision of volunteers and in particular financial supporters, as many campers are unable to pay. Also pray for preparations for the International Youth Camp where young people from different countries mature and grow spiritually as they are involved in ministry.
- **Global Assembly Planning:** pray for the Global Assembly Planning as they meet in Brisbane this week to bring together the various elements of the program for November. Pray that God will clearly direct their discussions.
- **Africa:** pray for David Gichung'wa and Peter Milimo as they draw the affairs of the Africa Regional office to a close following the sale of the buildings the region owned. Pray that God will lead them into new avenues of Ministry.

5 – 11 FEBRUARY

- **Lithuania:** Please ask God to strengthen volunteers during the winter and spring. Please pray that team building meetings will be effective.
- **Czech Republic (4-11 Feb & 11-18 Mar):** Please pray for two ski camps in the Czech Republic and for a third ski camp proposed for the Austrian Alps. To enable non-skiers to attend, English teaching is also being offered. Please pray that God will draw more youth group leaders to bring young people and friends, and that He will prepare their hearts to receive the Gospel.
- **Laos:** Pray for Kounkeo and Kongmong as they carry out youth training in the province.
- **Hungary:** Please pray for vision and inspiration working on implementing the Marketing Strategy, and for the time and capacity to put it into practice!
- **ACT, Australia:** Praise God for the school groups and programs that are established and growing in number. Please pray for the start of school groups in 2017, that there would be facilities for the groups, and approval and favour from schools to grow new groups.
- **FCS Nigeria:** Internally displaced people (IDP) camps have become centres of rape and other social vices. Most Christian IDP camps are given less attention by both government and other charitable organisations. Please pray for intervention to end insurgency enabling people to go back to their homes.
- **Poland:** Please pray that God's love and His message about Jesus Christ will be shared in all our planned events.
- **Pacific Islands:** the directors of the Pacific Island movements meet this week with a number of members of the Global team joining them. Pray that helpful discussions on strategic issues will take place this week that will equip these leaders to build capacity in their Movements.

12 – 18 FEBRUARY

- **Tchad:** Thank the Lord for the Youth Bible Camp held last year, attended by more than 103 young people. To God be the glory!
- **Pakistan (17-24):** Please pray for Wendy Strachan's visit as she leads a Sunday School teachers' seminar (18), preaches in a church (19), and leads sessions at SU Pakistan's Annual Staff conference (20-24 Feb). Pray that the staff and volunteers will be inspired and equipped for their ministry.
- **Portugal (18):** Please pray for the events being planned to celebrate the 68th Anniversary of SU Portugal and the 150th Anniversary of SU.
- **England & Wales:** Please pray for the impact of Diary of a Disciple, a fresh retelling of Luke's Gospel in a highly contemporary style www.scriptureunion.org.uk/diaryofadisciple
- **Taiwan:** Since the Small Churches Sponsor Program commenced, regular supplies of daily Bible notes have been well received by many churches. Please pray for spiritual growth as people feed on the Word of God.
- **Chile:** Please pray for the provision of support to the churches, to encourage the promotion of Bible reading.
- **Malaysia - Sarawak:** Pray for new SU Sarawak staff who joined SU in 2016 (Pastor Julia Ating, Pastor Iggü Alin, Pastor Sudin Batok, Pastor Lucius Bangau). Please pray that the Lord will give them wisdom as they continue to serve Him.
- **Canada (Français):** Please pray for the further development of the children and young people's ministry. We are thankful for the temporary help for specific events that we receive, but please pray that the Lord will provide permanent staff to help grow this ministry.
- **Canada (English):** Please pray for the development of a robust discipleship strategy to connect un-churched children/families/communities with the local church. This 3-4 year process involves extensive research, multiple partnerships and collaborations, and new products/tools/training being designed and distributed.
- **Tonga:** Please continue to pray for the plans for a campsite for SU Tonga.

19 – 25 FEBRUARY

- **FCS Nigeria:** Please pray for God's intervention in Nigeria, currently in recession. There is untold hardship and many security issues to overcome - burglary, house to house robbery and kidnapping is increasing.
- **Greece:** Please pray for the work with underage refugees in the centre of Athens. A full-time social worker is needed after February 2017, when the German volunteer leaves.
- **Hong Kong:** SU Hong Kong is launching the 'Light Up My Heart' fundraising project, aiming to raise over US\$1m for the new office. May God move the hearts of the church to support this project.
- **New South Wales, Australia (25):** Please pray for the SU NSW Camp Ministry Directors Day to plan 2017 camps and, along with other previous camp leaders, celebrate all that God has done through SU camps in SU's 150th year.
- **Taiwan:** Praise God for ongoing missional partnership with churches and other Christian organisations. Please pray that this will be an effective and strategic platform to share Bible engagement with leaders.
- **Indonesia:** Please pray that funds will be raised for the 2017 program.
- **Hungary:** Please pray about the future of *Lélekfrissítő*, the Bible reading notes for women. After 7 years, the future of this quarterly publication has become uncertain. Please pray for God's wisdom to discern how to carry on or if it is time focus energies elsewhere.
- **Mauritius: (23-25)** Praise God for the renewed vision and commitment of SU members, new volunteers and field workers. Please also pray for the Lifeskills training being held this month.
- **Queensland, Australia:** Please pray for the 'Friends of SU QLD' campaign and for closer relationships with churches throughout Queensland. SUQ's desire is to grow and strengthen their connection with the Church, whilst being a blessing and a service to them.
- **Chile:** Please pray for SU Chile's strategic planning for the next four years. Pray they can respond to the new stage of challenges in serving children, youth and families, to bring them closer to the Gospel

26 FEBRUARY – 4 MARCH

- **Poland:** Please pray for good communication and cooperation as new young people join.
- **Philippines:** Praise God for the success of the annual general meeting, bringing new faces and new churches to be connected. Praise God the printing of 'Light to my Path' was on schedule.
- **Czech Republic:** Please pray for movie and discussion clubs with churches, youth groups and Christian organisations; for several outreach events; and regular prayer meetings with youth group leaders. Also pray for another version of the project of Bible e-learning for children and young people. Please pray for program activities: crafts, sports, music, cooperation with schools, English teaching and Bible study for non-Christian families (Prague-West).
- **Ukraine:** Please thank God for the opportunity to minister in schools. Please pray for enough well-equipped people to be involved and visit schools.
- **Japan:** Please pray for SU Japan's financial needs. In Japan the financial year ends in March.
- **Bulgaria:** Please pray for two Bible competitions: for teens and university students – for those planning and participating. These events are among the biggest for Christian communities in Bulgaria.
- **Singapore:** Please pray for the SU Singapore fundraising initiatives.
- **Scotland:** Please pray for John Nonhebel, Urban Ministries Leader, and other staff and volunteers who are building relationships with young people in areas of urban deprivation. Pray that many will come to trust Jesus, be transformed in their thinking and lifestyle, and go on to become fruitful disciples.
- **Greece:** A new Strategic Plan is nearly complete. We thank God for the invaluable help of John and Jan Simmons.
- **Glenn Coombs, Global Team:** Praise God for those serving God through SUSTAIN. We thank God for:
 - SU Nepal moving into their new building;
 - the SU Vanuatu campsite being reborn after Cyclone Pam. Three shipping containers of building equipment from Australia and countless hours of work by dedicated volunteers saw the SU Vanuatu campsite 'rise from the storm'.

5 – 11 MARCH

- **Terry Williams, Global Team (7):** Please pray for Terry as he facilitates the fledgling Guatemala Family Alliance as they explore collaborative initiatives to serve the challenges facing their families. **(8-12)**. Please also pray as Terry co-facilitates a five day Writers' Workshop aimed to produce resources to serve families in Latin America contexts.
- **Slovakia (11):** Please pray for Natalia as she speaks in a Christian school, at a parents' workshop about using visuals in teaching and encouraging kids to learn through visual language.
- **Vietnam - Hanoi:** Please pray as SU Vietnam (North), with newly joined volunteers, gathers to discuss strategies and plans to develop SU ministries.
- **Northern Ireland (11):** Please pray for the 'Unite' event which will bring together all the Post Primary School SU groups from across the country for one big night - to celebrate the unity in the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the diversity shared. www.ThisIsUnite.com
- **Nigeria:** Please pray for the SU Nigeria Council as they elect a new National Chairman and National Prayer Secretary at a meeting in March. Pray that God will raise up people after His heart, who will provide great leadership as the movement goes forward.
- **Lithuania:** Please pray as decisions are made about much-needed Bible study materials for churches and Sunday Schools – that God will give wisdom about material which people will appreciate.
- **Korea:** Please pray for writers and staff working on a variety of Daily Bibles and books. Ask that God will give them wisdom and good health as devote much effort to produce books and magazines.
- **Philippines:** Thank God for Reverend Aurelio Tan who gave his time to conduct theological classes for SU Philippine writers.
- **Latvia:** Please pray for guidance, clarity and blessing for the team and Board members as they make serious decisions about future activities. SU Latvia want to serve others as Jesus did - with a heart for children and youth in Latvia.
- **Africa Transition Leadership Team (TLT):** pray for the TLT as they look to ensure all Movements in Africa are being served well and supported in the best way to develop ministry.

- **England and Wales:** pray for all those attending the National Conference this weekend. Pray that they will be freshly inspired and further equipped to carry out their ministry.

Global Assembly



Thank God ...

For the initial planning and decisions that have taken place for the Global Assembly

Pray for ...

The preparations for the Global Assembly

- the decisions being made on the venue
- the speakers
- the communications
- the various logistics
- the funding needs for the Assembly

12 – 18 MARCH

- **Portugal (18):** Please pray for the General Assembly Meeting.
- **Mali:** Please pray for wisdom and guidance for all the members of the SU Mali Committee.
- **Tchad:** Please pray that God will provide much needed finances to support the ministry and fund staff salaries.
- **Canada (Français):** Some members of our staff will be retiring in the next few years. Please pray for the provision of new personnel to take over their responsibilities, and maintain continuity of our ministry.

- **Indonesia:** Please pray for Bible Ministry Training for pastors and elders on Toraja Sulawesi Island.
- **Lithuania:** Thank the Lord for the volunteers, the SU family and for the children and teenager camps, which were difficult, but great. In 2017 two camps for children and one for teenagers have been planned. Please pray for everyone who have attended the camps, that they will attend again next summer.
- **Malaysia - Sarawak:** Please pray for Mr Chen Ho Chwen, the new SU Sarawak Treasurer - that the Lord will bless him and his family as he serves SU.
- **Greece:** Thank God for state permission for 74 beds at 'Lois' (the home for elderly). Please pray for exemption from the 24% VAT - which would mean a quarter of the income will not be withheld.
- **France (11 & 25):** SU, in cooperation with Wycliffe, is organising training using a simple and proven teaching method to help refugees communicate in French. Practical workshops will share the experiences of participants. Teaching French to refugees is a concrete opportunity to meet a growing need and witness to the love of God.
- **Sri Lanka:** Give thanks to the Lord for two new schools that have been added to the Schools Ministry. Please pray for all the special programs in 27 schools that will be conducted in schools for Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

19 – 25 MARCH

- **Laos:** Please pray for Afeuy and team as they train Sunday School teachers in 5 provinces.
- **Romania:** In winter a project was started at a school in a very poor village near Timisoara. Please pray for the provision of volunteers and resources so that more visits can be planned to run activities with the kids, tell them about Jesus and help with their needs.
- **Global Team (20-23):** The Global team meet this week in Thailand. This will be the first meeting for a number of people. Pray for everyone attending that they will bond as a team quickly and learn how work and support each other in their particular specialities.
- **Peninsula Malaysia (22):** School Christian Fellowship Leaders' Training for leaders will be held in Penang. This brings together student leaders from various schools in the state for training, fellowship and mutual encouragement as they live out their witness for Jesus among their school friends.
- **International Executive (23-26):** Pray for the Executive as they meet in Bangkok. They have much to discuss as they take forward the transition to the new global framework including changes to the Constitution and the appointment of a Global Board. Pray for Colin Sinclair as he chairs the meeting and for the other members – David McCracken, Jon Ong, Remo Paul, Niyi Daramola, Christian Hellwig, Monika Kuszmierz, Janet Morgan and Jenny Stewart. Pray that God will make his desires clearly known to those meeting.

- **Canada (English):** Praise the Lord for the 800,000+ people worldwide who are reading theStory™, a free adult online Bible reading guide. Praise Him for the world-class writers and the many testimonies of how readers are meeting with God as they read, reflect and respond to His Word.
- **WA, Australia:** Please pray that new income development strategies would result in a solid financial footing for the movement so that ministry can be sustained and developed.
- **FCS Nigeria:** The Aid4Life activities in North West and North East of Nigeria are barely happening now because of lack of funds - the only donor, Tear Fund, exited the partnership on 31 December 2016. Please pray that others will take up the challenge to own and sustain this program.
- **Philippines:** Please pray for God's provisions of finances for SUP operations. Also pray for the publishing of youth material encouraging reflection which will be used at youth seminars.

26 MARCH – 1 APRIL

- **International Director Interview Group (28-30):** this group meets this week to interview those on the short list of candidates to take on the position of international Director after Janet Morgan retires later in the year. Pray that God's choice of person to take on this important role will be apparent to the Interview Group.
- **Singapore:** Please pray for a new Executive staff member to join the team.
- **Mali:** Please pray for the provision of a full-time worker and for Bible reading ministry across all 10 regions.
- **Taiwan:** Please pray for the recruitment of new volunteers to assist in the ministry.
- **Czech Republic:** Please pray for: a new editor to work with Pavel Tuma on the 'Manna for This Day' Bible notes; work on changes and refreshing the design of this publication. Please also pray for the extension of the Bible reading project into several digital resources - for wisdom at every step and for finances.
- **Korea:** A new leader of SUK is to be appointed to lead them into the future. Pray that the staff will pray for and be ready to work with the new leader. Please pray that the Bible reading ministry will reach churches and Christians who have lost true faith and mission under the influence of materialism - may they be inspired and awakened this year.
- **Vietnam - Hanoi:** Please pray for the development of youth and children ministries with the introduction of personal Bible reading and prayer.
- **Latvia:** Please pray that camps ministry volunteers will hear from God and be inspired for their ministry. May God guide them and the new volunteers as they serve together.
- **Moscow:** (30/3 – 2/4) Please pray for the planning and preparations for the teenage camp. Give thanks for the team, and pray they will have opportunities to share with those attending.
- **Portugal:** Please pray for the Sports Ministry activities, including Easter Camps in both Carrascal and Quintas do Norte. Please pray for the planning of the 2017 Camps season.
- **Australia:** Pray for the directors from around Australia as they meet this week and discuss ministry issues in common and work through how they can collaborate further in ministry.