

Friday 24

Remember Viktor and Aliona Shushkevich in Moldova, who are caring for children in their own home. Two of the boys have behavioural difficulties which can put strain on the family group. They also run a youth club which has up to 80 young people attending. Pray that this vital work with children will bear much fruit.

Saturday 25 & Sunday 26

We pray for all those involved in Camp Ministry work in C. Asia and E Europe. It may not be possible to hold camps this year due to the coronavirus, but we trust that contact with the children from previous camps can be maintained, and that the message of the Gospel will still reach them albeit through other means. Pray that those who are normally involved in follow-up work will be able to establish good relationships with the young people and their families.

Monday 27

Pray for the "Bread of Life" ministries in Serbia as the team reaches out to the poor and vulnerable with much needed practical help. Pray for the staff's health and protection, and that every opportunity will be taken to reach those in need with the Gospel of hope.

Tuesday 28

Possible new mission schools in Romania are being considered. Pray that wise decisions will be made and that suitable candidates will be found.

Wednesday 29

Pray for the safe keeping of all our staff. Pray that they will be refreshed both physically and spiritually as they have holiday with family.

Thursday 30

Pray for Chris Menzfeld and wife Karen living in Devon. May they know the Lord's help and blessing as they serve Him, and that Chris will be greatly used in deputation work.

Friday 31

During this year SGA UK has been celebrating seventy years of God's faithful provision. Pray that our anniversary projects will be the cause of real Gospel advancement in Slavic nations.

WE GIVE THANKS FOR ANSWERED PRAYER

We praise God that through our 70th anniversary project, 'Supporting the 70', many missionary families have been identified for support. God is working and sponsorship is developing.

We give thanks for churches and individuals who have joined SGA's support base already this year. Praise God for all those who faithfully pray for the work of SGA and support our staff in this way.



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Much Prayer • Much Power

Wednesday 1

The evangelical churches in Uzbekistan must carry out their ministries very discreetly due to pressures from the government. Pray that the church leaders will be kept safe and free to shepherd the many 'house churches' and that they will have wisdom as they seek to evangelize.

Thursday 2

Thank the Lord for faithful servants like Pastor Franz Theissen who has served as president of the Kazakh UECB since 1992. Pray that he will know God's wisdom as he guides the church in a 'faith restricted' region.

Friday 3

Almaty Bible Institute, which is supported by SGA, has opened a teaching centre in the capital of another Central Asian country with ten students enrolled in a two-year programme. Praise God for this new development. Pray that staff and teachers will be kept safe and that students will become effective communicators of God's Word.

Saturday 4 & Sunday 5

We praise God for the large number of students attending Almaty Bible Institute. Twenty-five of these are SGA sponsored students. This centre is vitally important for Biblical and theological training in Central Asia. Pray for God's provision and protection on all who participate.

Monday 6

Pray for Clive Langston and wife Margaret living in Worthing, W. Sussex. They value your prayerful support as they seek to serve the Lord, promoting the work in the south east.

Tuesday 7

Pray for the SGA's International Offices in New Zealand, Australia, Canada and USA. Pray that during these challenging times God will enable each one to achieve their commitments as they fulfil a vital part in serving the churches of CIS and Eastern Europe.

Wednesday 8

Pray for the work of Emanuel University in Oradea, ROMANIA. Pray that more people will sense the call of God on their lives for Gospel ministry. Pray too for Paul Negrut as he leads the work.

Thursday 9

Pray for John Birnie, and his wife Dorothy in NI. May they know daily help and strength as they serve the Lord and as John travels abroad to teach in SGA Mission Schools.

Friday 10

Pray for the many widows in E. Europe and C. Asia who are cared for through the financial support of SGA. May many be encouraged through the care and love offered by western believers.

Saturday 11 & Sunday 12

Remember the work among drug addicts in Christian Rehab centres in SERBIA. Also, the valuable work of Preventis in ROMANIA, providing help and support for those caught in the cycle of drug addiction and alcohol abuse. May many of these needy souls find the help they need but most of all turn to the One who can break the power of addiction forever.

Monday 13

Pray for Andrew Coleclough, who with his wife Jan, serves the Lord in the north of England, and North Wales. Pray that Andrew's deputation ministry will bring encouragement to those who gather.

Tuesday 14

Continue to pray for Emma Cioban, wife of Pastor Daniel Cioban of Betel Church, Medias, Romania, who is ill with cancer, and has commenced chemotherapy. Pray that this young family will be sustained by God's grace.

Wednesday 15

Pray for the distribution of the Kazakh Bible - that many families will be converted as they read the children's Bible and the adult version. Pray for the team who are editing the text for the 2nd print addition.

Thursday 16

Continue to pray for the ongoing need for a full-time staff member in Ireland. May the Lord place this burden on someone's heart, so that this "gap" can be filled with God's man.

Friday 17

Remember Wayne O'Leary, staff member and representative in the Midlands and Mid Wales. He with wife Iris and family, live in Tewkesbury. Pray that Wayne will know sustaining help and strength each day.

Saturday 18 & Sunday 19

Good Christian literature is a powerful tool, and also a much-needed resource for believers in EE and C. Asia. Pray for those involved in both writing and translating work, as they seek to strengthen believers and spread the Good News of the Gospel. Pray for Ivan Grozdanov in Macedonia, as he seeks to produce the "12 Pillars of the Faith" series of booklets.

Monday 20

Pray for SGA Finance Co-Ordinator and p/t Regional Rep. Martyn Pearson along with wife Amanda, living in Rowley Regis, W. Midlands. Martyn is responsible for producing the SGA accounts as well as promoting the work of SGA in the W. Mids. area.

Tuesday 21

We are thankful for the many prayer supporters of SGA and all those who regularly meet in SGA Prayer Groups. May they be encouraged by answers to prayer, and may God keep them faithful in remembering the work of the Mission.

Wednesday 22

Pray for Jon Patras and David Chidesa as they serve the Lord in Poroshkovo, Ukraine. Over 700 people continue to attend the church, and the needs are many. Pray that these brothers will know the daily strength needed as they spread the Gospel in that area.

Thursday 23

Pray for SGA General Director Derek Maxwell, his wife Carole living in Moira, Co Armagh. They value your prayerful support as Derek oversees the work of the Mission and represents SGA in Ireland, as well as teaching abroad in mission schools.