

Prayers for February 21 - 27, 2021

West Siders :: Kyle Bailey and Kim Miller (Peter, Alice)

West Side Ministry :: West Side Preschool

Mali Children :: Djeneba and Moussa

Local Church :: Calvary Assembly of God Church - West Richland

Additional Concerns :: Lil Leggett, Margaret Storms, Grace Jackson, Gerry Wyatt, Dan & Sue Batchelder, Hideki Long, Debbie Mellinger, Janice Wellington, Karen Curtis, Sheridan DeLeon, Wendy Thomson, Rod Haines, Melanie Saint James, Dean Thompson, George Jacobson, Donna Jackson, Tamara Brown, Trent Hamilton, Joe Reynolds, Sandie Meigs, John & Martha Zimmerman, Bud Dodson, Glenda Schmidt, Steve Erhart, Derek Deniston, Mary Manson, Will & Bev Huisingh, Danny Dawson, Scott Johnson and Family (death of mother Carol on Feb. 16), Debbie Mushen (death of mother and aunt at the end of December)

In Military Service :: South Carolina-Adam Hardy; Illinois-Noah Ellis; Nevada-Jared Hoey; California-Charina Erhart, Devin Glade; Washington-Mike Parkman; Washington/Oregon-Jacob Ellis

This week we are praying for Terry and Nancy Sullivan with Wycliffe Bible Translators in Benin (West Africa) - currently in Richland, WA. They had the following praises and prayers:

Praises: • Ability to address medical needs and spend time with family. • Fellowship with the West Side community. • Translation work in Benin and Togo continues with our translation team members. We are working in translating Old Testament books and testing the texts (currently working on the book of Isaiah) in the Aja community.

Prayers: • The team is doing a second complete read-through of the Aja New Testament, proof-reading, checking for any changes which might be needed, etc - prayers for their work and for stamina and God's grace and cooperation in this important task. • For God's direction of when to return to Benin - there is new information regarding policies concerning Wycliffe members and conditions regarding COVID so no one at the age of 70 or older can travel. They are in the process of evaluating the risks, the ages of Wycliffe members, international travel, local conditions in countries, etc.

For private prayers, contact the Prayer Chain:

- Online at westsidechurchrichland.org and click on Prayer,
- Email at ws1prayerchain@gmail.com, or
- Call Carolina Bullard at 509.582.8882.



Feb. 21, 2021 • 9:00 am

THIS WEEK'S MESSAGE:

Justice

John 3:16-21; 5:22-27; 12:44-50 (NIV)

¹⁶ For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷ For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. ¹⁸ Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because they have not believed in the name of God's one and only Son. ¹⁹ This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but people loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil. ²⁰ Everyone who does evil hates the light, and will not come into the light for fear that their deeds will be exposed. ²¹ But whoever lives by the truth comes into the light, so that it may be seen plainly that what they have done has been done in the sight of God.

²² Moreover, the Father judges no one, but has entrusted all judgment to the Son, ²³ that all may honor the Son just as they honor the Father. Whoever does not honor the Son does not honor the Father, who sent him. ²⁴ "Very truly I tell you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life and will not be judged but has crossed over from death to life. ²⁵ Very truly I tell you, a time is coming and has now come when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God and those who hear will live. ²⁶ For as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself. ²⁷ And he has given him authority to judge because he is the Son of Man.

⁴⁴ Then Jesus cried out, "Whoever believes in me does not believe in me only, but in the one who sent me. ⁴⁵ The one who looks at me is seeing the one who sent me. ⁴⁶ I have come into the world as a light, so that no one who believes in me should stay in darkness. ⁴⁷ "If anyone hears my words but does not keep them, I do not judge that person. For I did not come to judge the world, but to save the world. ⁴⁸ There is a judge for the one who rejects me and does not accept my words; the very words I have spoken will condemn them at the last day. ⁴⁹ For I did not speak on my own, but the Father who sent me commanded me to say all that I have spoken. ⁵⁰ I know that his command leads to eternal life. So whatever I say is just what the Father has told me to say."