



## THIS WEEK'S MESSAGE:

### Shining out the Peace of Christ through our Discipleship

2 Corinthians 5:13-21 (NIV)

<sup>13</sup> If we are "out of our mind," as some say, it is for God; if we are in our right mind, it is for you. <sup>14</sup> For Christ's love compels us, because we are convinced that one died for all, and therefore all died. <sup>15</sup> And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again.

<sup>16</sup> So from now on we regard no one from a worldly point of view. Though we once regarded Christ in this way, we do so no longer. <sup>17</sup> Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here! <sup>18</sup> All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: <sup>19</sup> that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting people's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. <sup>20</sup> We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God. <sup>21</sup> God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

## Prayers for Aug. 29 - Sept. 4, 2021

**West Siders ::** Phil and Carolina Bullard

**West Side Ministry ::** The Alpha Course

**Mali Children ::** Fatoumata and Sira

**Local Church ::** Richland Missionary Baptist Church

**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, George Jacobson, Donna Jackson, Trent Hamilton, Joe Reynolds, Sandie Meigs, Edna Sehmel, Jane Frazier, Bob Rozendal, Pauline Carlson, Jill Bruun, Logan Booth

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

**This week we are praying for** Mark Stockeland with Haiti Bible Mission (HBM) in Jeremie (Haiti). Jeremie was devastated by a 7.2 earthquake on Aug. 14. HBM immediately began coordinating with organizations throughout Haiti and their U. S. partners to provide meals to staff and patients at the hospital, hosting some U. S. medical teams and setting up tents for clinics, arranging flights out for some of those injured, receiving and distributing plane loads of supplies, food and water in Jeremie and throughout many of the hillside villages, and helping to assess the future needs of the greater Jeremie area going forward. Mark shared the following prayer requests and praises:

- *Pray for the injured and those who have lost so much.*
- *Pray for HBM's leadership to have wisdom and strength.*
- *Pray for the continued support and donation of much needed food, water, and supplies, such as tents, tarps, hygiene kits and flashlights.*
- *Praise that Tropical Storm Grace passed by without further disaster!*
- *Praise that we were able to purchase a large truck which will expand our reach and bless the people with food, water, and supplies!*

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- Online at [westsidechurchrichland.org](http://westsidechurchrichland.org) and click on Prayer,
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- Call Carolina Bullard at 509.528.8882.