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Dear prayer partners:

THANK YOU for your notes of encouragement and your commitment to pray. We appreciate you all. These will be our last prayer points for this year - definitely COVID has made a difference to the way we spent 2021. Paul's letter to the Ephesians is an encouragement to us today ..." He is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power at work within us".

As you know we are both working from our offices in **Brisbane** and **Sydney**. It seems most days we have news from those we continue to encourage from Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Kenya and North East DR of Congo – technology via phone and internet allows frequent communication. Gone are the old days of letter writing and waiting and waiting many months for any communication with workers. We are also grateful to have found a safer way to transfer funds especially to DR of Congo for the Manzali School and Health Clinic plus the Pygmy work in the forest areas.

We continue in our respective offices to sort through much paperwork including scripts in various languages recorded over the years and then of course equipment – machines, microphones, cables, master cassettes, CDs, reel tapes, handwind players and so on. We are making progress little by little!

Thank you all for your friendship, encouragement and loving prayerful interest. We will hopefully update you if possible prior to Christmas but if not we do wish you all a Peaceful and Joyous Christmas Season

Noela & Julie

PRAISE FOR...

Answers to prayer

- **Replacement of Teachers for Ataloholu school** who along with field workers willing to live in Pygmy village
- **Re-opening of Ataloholu school** and the enrolment of Pygmy children also **Manzali schools** and for teachers and children who have safely returned
- **SaaSita** (headmaster of Primary 2 Manzali School) and his wife **Vicky** welcomed their first born (**John**) mid October. In the absence of Acira, SaaSita is checking on the names of sponsored children who have returned for this semester
- **Jacque** (Gedeon's wife) is continuing to feel well and awaiting an MRI
- **Acira and Berocan's** eldest daughter **Furaha** now married has her visa to accompany her husband to South Africa, Nov 15

PRAY FOR...

- **Teachers and field workers** in the Pygmy projects to be "salt and light" as they have opportunities to share the Good News with Pygmies and non-Pygmies
- **A nurse** who would be willing to live in the Pygmy village and to share the same vision of ministry to the community
- **Way Alege (and family)**
 - **safety** in travelling along very insecure roads to and from the Pygmy villages and for his **health** as he is exposed to less than ideal living conditions in the villages where TB, Malaria and other water-borne diseases are rampant
 - **wisdom** for responsibilities at the University, church, family and the oversight of teachers and field workers in the Pygmy villages
- **Acira & Berocan** in Bunia (since late August) - for the reopening of the road which is officially closed due to insecurity so they can return to Oicha
- **SaaSita** as he assists Acira and continues to monitor the sponsored children
- **Radio Outreach** with the pre-recorded programs
- **Manzali Medical workers** who are faithfully serving the community and for the spiritual input into the lives of patients
- **Gedeon** expects to complete his TAFE course in December and continues study for the conversion of **the** Commercial Airline Pilot licence
- **Jacque** (Gedeon's wife) as she continues with diet and treatment and for an MRI to help determine God's will regarding further tests and medical advice
- ❖ **Wisdom and discernment** for us that we might continue to be sensitive to the Lord's leading and be obedient to His directions especially in allocating funds
- ❖ **DISTRIBUTION of audio recordings, outreach through radio and website** www.wordnworks.org that MANY will come to faith in Christ and believers challenged and encouraged in their daily lives



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