

April 2020 Prayer Requests

We invite you to **Intercede . . .**
on behalf of those in our global REACH OUT family
who are impacted by Covid-19 and are requesting our prayer support.

Friends



Africa Country Leaders

Pray for Africa

Our African Country Leaders are facing the challenge of caring for their families, congregations, and communities during the pandemic. Each country is not only dealing with the fear of the virus itself, but also the devastating effects of economic shutdown.

Obadiah: Our interim Africa leader said that people in his village in rural Kenya will soon die of hunger if the circumstances do not change. Many find it challenging to even find water because of the current drought.

Enoch: He and his wife are caring for 15 children who are all currently living under their roof. Supplies are running low, and they have asked for our prayers.

Christopher: He and his wife are physically separated because of the lockdown in Nairobi. His wife and three of their children were out of town visiting relatives when the lock down started. She is now unable to join her husband in their home. The location where she and the kids have been residing is now running out of food.

Pray for Russia

Pasha:

Last month, a strategic ministry partner pulled out of Russia which ended that partner's support of Pasha and his family. Because that ministry's funds are no longer available, Pasha is not being compensated for several projects he helped accomplish throughout Russia. Last fall, without knowing they would encounter this financial loss, Pasha's wife, Tonya, resigned from her job as a schoolteacher to help Pasha full-time with ministry. While their care continues to build our expanding team of Eagle Leaders, their financial situation is in need of prayer.



Pasha and Tonya

Pray for Cuba

Elio:

Cuba struggles with a scarcity of goods. Families wait for hours in line so that they can purchase whatever might be available. The issue is not, "Do we have enough money to purchase food?," but instead, "Will there be food at the store for me to purchase?" Pray for our leaders in Cuba as they struggle to find basic supplies for their families, and as they serve others.



Elio, Leydis, and sons Miguel and Noel



Elio encouraging a neighbor who is looking for provisions

In closing, be encouraged by the words of one of our leaders for whom you are praying today:

"In the midst of chaos and panic caused by Covid-19, we are presented by unprecedented opportunities to shine our gospel lights during this dark time..."

In John 11:25, Jesus said, 'I am the resurrection and the life...'

We preach resurrection hope in a world that has known nothing but defeat in recent weeks. We preach life in a world that is now accustomed to hearing news of death on every news channel to which they turn... Because He lives, we too shall live!"

Charles Juma, Africa ROYS Leader

Jesus is Lord,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Randy & Barry". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. The word "Randy" is on the left, followed by an ampersand "&", and then "Barry" on the right. The letters are connected and have a sense of movement.