



40 Days Prayer & Praise December 2018



FAR EAST BROADCASTING COMPANY: Christ to the world by media

Week 1: Saturday 1 - Sunday 2 December

1st - 2nd **Ukraine** - Those living in the Eastern conflict areas of Ukraine are more open and seeking help to address life's deeper issues. This is unusual for the Ukrainian culture but the ongoing war brings existential questions to the fore. Please pray for our small team walking besides many families, for God's wisdom and leading. Jn 5:19

Week 2: Monday 3 - Sunday 9 December

3rd **Thailand** - Caring for listeners through broadcasts, visits, phone calls, etc so that every soul knows the deep love of God for them. Pray for our busy team.
4th **Cambodia** - Voice of Love recently upgraded their office technology (IT). Ministry documents require correct storage. Pray for the implementation.
5th **First Response Radio** - FRR Indonesia has responded to two major disaster in quick succession. Please pray for healthy debriefing for staff families.
6th **Vietnam** - A rapidly growing population, 95 million, with changes across all of society. There are many opportunities and challenges. May God lead.
7-9th **Liangyou Theological Seminary** - Established in 1982 to meet the need for contextualised Bible training. Previously a believer, if literate, could become a pastor within a short period. The courses address core theology, moral character and the learning needs of each student. Pray for the students to "love from a pure heart, have a good conscience and a sincere faith." 1Tim 1

Week 3: Monday 10 - Sunday 16 December

10th **Indonesia** - Two significant disasters have impacted this archipelago recently. Thousands died, rebuilding will take years. Pray God's restoration.
11th **Speaker Boxes** - Distributing these in remote areas, beyond our broadcasts, in the local dialect. Many travel long distances to enthusiastically received them. Deep calls to deep Ps 42:7
12th **Kyrgyzstan** - In addition to popular FM networks our Kyrg team will develop social media networks for the 30 and under age group. Pray into this venture.
13th **Russia** - "Aunt" Ludmila, our children's producer, talks to children using Chipchik the piglet and others. Many tune in to her easy to understand stories and prayers. God be glorified!
14-16th **Yemen** - Yemeni's are increasingly open to new ideas in their search for hope as conflict continues in their country. Please pray for listeners as they explore beliefs different from their established ones. With death and destruction around them may God's light shine into Yemeni hearts by media and every means. Pray for godly insight for our staff.

Week 4: Monday 17- Sunday 23 December

17th **International Service Team** - One of the goals of the IST is to build working relationships between fields to maximise expertise and efficiency. Ps 90:17
18th **Hmong** - "I hear every broadcast. In this area we are poor, uneducated. Many don't know how to love and fear evil spirits. Through your radio we hear good things and you help us be better!" - listener, SE Asia
19th **Mongolia** - "While at school my father brought home a radio. It became very dear, we listened to your broadcasts. My faith began with these seeds." - Sun
20th **Japan** - Most identify as both Shinto and Buddhist with a view that each religion is beneficial in different ways at different times. Salvation in Christ alone is radical. Pray for the 126 million, mostly unreached, Japanese.
21st-23rd **First Response Radio** - As the year closes many people in Indonesia, India, and the Philippines will be thankful they survived 2018. Please pray for the Holy Spirit's enlivenment as people reflect on the past and look ahead. FRR and FEBC have broadcast many hopeful words into hurting hearts. May those promises and hopes come to fruition in 2019. Rom. 5:5

Week 5: Monday 24 - Sunday 30 December

24th **Ukraine** - Our station in Odessa needs a qualified staff position filled. Please intercede for God's appointed person. *Dyakuyu* - thanks!
25th **Christmas Day** - Merry Christmas! Today many people will tune in out of curiosity and in hope of hearing something amazing about God. Some will listen in secret, but all will hear that on *this day* God became flesh! May this truth transform listeners' lives.
26th **Cambodia** - The indigenous church is growing. The written resources are scarce but there is a wealth of worship music. Pray for spiritual depth and for FEBC's role in nurturing the Church.
27th **Indonesia - J**** was raised by his older brother after his parents died. He got involved in drugs, was jailed and knew his heart was empty. He tuned into Heartline. His name is now written in the Lamb's book of life!
28-30th **Vietnam** - Developing mobile technologies in restrictive environments like Vietnam is crucial in the spread of the Gospel. The Church is monitored closely and required to report it's activities. In comparison personal phone use is not. Audio visual content also reaches the deaf community as well as millions of souls. Pray for these developments, our team and listeners.

Week 6: Monday 31 December

31st **Oral Communities** - Jesus could read and write yet he lived in a largely oral society and communicated through stories and parables. FEBC takes God's story to listeners. Pray for greater creativity and reach.

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