## News from the Prayer Path

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You've helped spread the gospel around the world through your investments in prayer and outreach.



After months of pre-MOT preparation and a week-long, in-person Missionary Orientation and Training (MOT) at our office, the missionaries (at right) are headed to share the love of Jesus and minister in His name in Ethiopia, Mexico, and Uganda.

Our entire staff is involved in the life-cycle of a missionary, from calling to training, to serving, to transitioning home. Your support and prayers made it possible for me to present a one-hour session on prayer, spend time in one-on-one sessions with each of the missionaries, and hand-write personalized blessings for each of our new missionaries to be read during their appointment service.

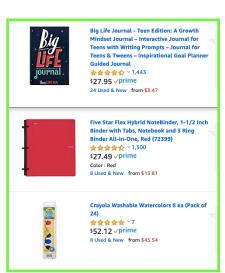




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Missionaries do more than tell people about Jesus. They need to know about digital design, paper cutters, and laminating machines, too. What do you do when you need a specific set of tools for your MOT presentation about prayer? You make your own. (at left) When a grieving friend needs encouragement? You make a set of easy-to-carry Scripture cards. The pack of Scripture cards (below left) will be available as a free download soon.

School starts back in less than a month and we need your help again. The annual school supply drive is now in progress. Although TPSD provides the "usual" supplies, Tupelo Alternative School needs a few un-budgeted items. Participate in the supply drive on amazon.com at https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/genericItemsPage/





## Shortly after schools open, in-person activities at Tupelo Alternative School/Structured Day Program will resume as well.

Your generosity makes in-person Fellowship of Christian Student meetings (resuming September 7th) and essential supplemental weekend food for hunger-at-risk students possible.

In addition, you made it possible to add an art program this year. The monthly art sessions are designed to help students look inward, build relationships, and have fun—all while we share Jesus in a small group setting.

Please pray the programs will be exactly what these students need to open their eyes and hearts to the love, forgiveness, and redemption of Christ.

Pray, too, for the talented artists who have committed to helping in this much-needed project.

Need a quick receipt for your by-check donation? Add an email address to your check and a receipt will be emailed by our finance team automatically.

Interested in serving Jesus? Need community service hours? We can help. Our Whisper Connection group does more than study Scripture. They put what they learn into action. These ladies (at right) spent a recent morning sorting, counting, and organizing all the contents of our missionary housing—including every fork, knife, and spoon! One lady brought her granddaughter along to show her how to put faith into action and live out the Great Commission in our own communities every day. Contact me at <a href="mailto:lhollis@globaloutreach.org">lhollis@globaloutreach.org</a> for information on service projects.



We shared a meal (and lots of laughter) after their hard work.

**Prayer needs:** 1. Wisdom as we plan student programs. 2. Students' hearts to be open to the gospel. 3. Sufficient funds to cover the increased cost of in-person student programs. 4. Balance with all the other responsibilities of ministry (missionary prayer support, missionary care, digital outreach, church partnerships) 5. Wisdom as we plan and budget for the new year.

Leanna joined Global Outreach as a peer-to-peer funded missionary in 2016. She's raising her own support and needs your help to make ministry projects like the Transforming Tupelo/Feeding students program, homeless outreach, missionary prayer support, and women's outreach possible. Contact her at: lhollis@globaloutreach.org

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