"... the way which thou shalt go..." Ps 32: 8 October 2008

Dear Praying friends,

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ from very warm and sunny Mauritius. Is it not wonderful to know that the Lord is in charge? The world is in a mess, but we can have peace in the conviction that Our Lord is the Alpha and the Omega.

We have been going through some tough times. It has blessed our hearts to be encouraged by the Lord with the words of Psalms 32:8. First, there is the confirmation of this being the way of His choosing for us. Then, there is the conviction that God is in control. He permits trials. He controls trials. He uses trials for His glory. Finally, There is the consolation that He is near them that love Him. Thank you for your prayers.

Our family is doing fine. Tim is getting married on the 27th of December. Pray for him and his wife to be as they seek to honor the Lord in their marriage. Pascal and his fiancée, Becky, are due to be with us on the 21st of December, pray for them as they write different exams before their departure. Lionel is a great help in the ministry. Remember him as he seeks to enroll in Crown College next fall. Hilary will be missed by a lot of people. Pray for her as this will be the first time that she will be away for Christmas. She is adjusting and settling nicely at Bob Jones University.

The Lord has blessed us with good health so far. We are glad that, though the Load of ministerial responsibilities is heavy, He is giving us grace to cope. Pray for the new work that is established in Riambel in the south of the Island. We have a good team of workers that has come out of our church to dedicate themselves to teaching, soul winning, and edifying the saved in that area. Pray for Soundiren and Padmimi, Bruno and Nadine, and Stephen Andrews. The rest of the churches are doing okay, but the need for laborers is more and more pressing.

Let me impress on you the need to pray for the islands of the Mascarenhas. These comprise the island of Mauritius, Rodrigues, Reunion (French territory), Comoros and Madagascar. The latter has a population of 20 million of people. The poverty is striking; the bondage in which Satan is keeping them is depraving; and the hunger for the truth of the word of God is challenging. Our church in Mauritius feels that this is our Samaria. Our mission-orientated policy wants us to be a praying, going, and a sending Church.

Dear praying friends, once again, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks for your faithfulness to the Lord in your faithful support to our ministry. We pray that God will bless you richly as you follow Him in "... the way which thou shalt go..."

Your Missionaries,

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