

Go and sin no more....John 8:11
August 2019

Dear Praying Friends,

We greet you again in the name of our most gracious Lord and savior Jesus Christ.

The woman of John 8 should never have stood alone in judgment. The text states that she was caught in the very act of adultery (v4). But she stood there alone, ashamed, afraid, and accused. There was no way out for her. The scribes and the Pharisees cast her at the feet of Jesus demanding Him to act according to the just demands of the law; But He, being who He was, met this woman in grace. He gave her a full pardon and summons her to a life of holiness - Go and sin no more. The enemies of our Lord was right about two things: firstly that sinners need to be brought to Jesus. Secondly, the payment for sin is death. Then a third thing happened of which they were ignorant: sinners brought to Jesus are set loose to live a transformed life of holiness. May none of us be ignorant of that and may all of us be found faithful in bringing the lost to Jesus.

In this letter, I wish you to rejoice with me in honoring the memory of David and Elwanda Fields - choice servants of the missionary cause. This past days he was reunited with his wife beyond the pearly gates. If I can say three things about them, it would be: They loved the Lord. They loved the lost. They loved the Land of Africa. Many countless Mauritians, my wife and I have loved them for that and grateful to the Lord for their lives of dedication and total surrender to his will.

Here are some of our prayer concerns:

1. Our good friend Francois Serret is back from Australia for five weeks. His cancer is in partial remission. He is due to go back and hopefully expect to come back to Mauritius cancer free in January 2020. Pray that the lord will give wisdom and strength as I give assistance to the church.
2. We recently lost one of our friend and pastor who went to be with the Lord while he was in the middle of his sermon. I have been called to minister to the church in some capacity till they find a pastor.
3. Pray for our church. We are thankful for the leadership that we have been blessed. Pray for Gilbert and Pascal, the two elders as they carry much of the load of ministry.
4. We had the opportunity to reconnect with the island of Rodrigues a few weeks ago for a few days. Please pray for Jerry Castel (his wife Dianne Dee) a man that the Lord has laid on our hearts to train him for the ministry of the word and another family Charles and his wife Annick and their family. We were able to witness to several other people during our short visit to the island.

Our health is good. I do get tired easily though. We are thankful for daily strength and patience from the Lord. I had some severe back pain and X ray reveals that my vertebrae are getting old and not in good shape. This is another one of the ailments of the body that we need to live with.

We are ever thankful for your faithful prayer and financial support to our ministry. How we wish we could tell you that we have land and the building has started, but so far we are still standing against strong opposition. But our expectation is from the Lord, continue to pray for us

May the Lord continue to bless you as you keep bringing sinners to Christ and may He bless you there and us here in seeing his transforming power at work in sinners in living holy lives to the praise and glory of His name.

Your missionaries,

Guy and Marilyne Grenade.