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BLF Day of Prayer & Fasting - June 1st, 2011

Dear Friends,

This month's BLF Day of Prayer & Fasting is quite long - God is doing a lot of things with the BLF family on the field. We apologize for the length of this month's e-newsletter, we would ask you to pray through all these items as these needs are real and important to the work. **THANK YOU** for your persistence and participation to bring these items before God's throne in prayer!

Prayer & Praises from our partners: BLF Canada



Ron Plett,
BLF Canada

From Ron Plett, with BLF Canada...

This day, we lift up Praise and Thanks for ...

- a great country
- freedom and peace, many have given their lives sacrificially so we can enjoy freedom and peace
- good Government
- our loving wives and families
- health and strength to work and enjoy life
- wonderful church family and friends
- a great community to live in
- God's great salvation

Prayer & Praises from our partners: BLF Europe



Nathan Phillips:

- **Praise God for the great 5 weeks back in the States**, which included a visit to the doctor for my MS. The doctor is still amazed at how well I am doing. I was able to see family and friends whom I haven't seen for three years. I also spoke at 4 churches, 3 which are supporting churches.
- **Please pray for my health** as I have come down with bronchitis and shingles. The doctor gave me medication and told me not to work for a week (May 24-28).



Stéphane Kapitaniuk:

- **I'll shortly be handing over my job to Ruben Nussbaumer**. We have a week together (June 6-10) to transfer competencies. Please pray that it would be an efficient week.
- As I try to bring closure to my time at BLF, **please pray that I would be able to finish the many projects** I'm still working on.

**Bruno Payen:**

- **Praise for the last US team who was a great help** by installing shelving in the garage and insulation in the walls at the Valenciennes church.
- **Pray for the good integration of Ruben Nussbaumer, Stéphane's replacement**, at the job of marketing and communication, beginning September 2011.

**Olivier Drogue:**

- **Pray for the page layout** in process for the 4th volume of the Manga Bible: Manga - Les Magistrats (Old Testament kings).
- **Pray for the formation of the future special "La Bible manga" web site** to promote this beautiful French collection, and that it will cause young people to discover the Gospel.

**Mary Cayot:**

- **My term with BLF ends this month.** Pray that I will finish strong.
- **Praise for the progress** made on the shop kitchen remodeling.

To view more information on Mary's news, click [HERE](#).



Nicolas Devins
and family

Nicolas Devins :

- **Praise God for the great cleanup** by the last American team and for the construction of new shelving that's more adapted to our needs.
- **Pray for my health** and the restoration of my back (lumbago).



Alain Stamp
President, BLF Europe

Alain Stamp :

- **At the beginning of May**, I participated in the first Forum of Evangelists (FDE) of Africa in Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso. I gave two seminars, including one on leadership training by mentoring. Nearly 25 people attended the workshop. The Mentoring Pack, a project supported by BLF International, will be distributed to servants of God like these. (As soon as the book by Martin Sanders and myself is printed – pray for the writing, editing, and printing of this book – the Mentoring Pack can be assembled.) The workshop participants committed themselves to identifying young evangelists and working alongside them, mentoring them throughout year. Together, they will return to the next FDE in Ouagadougou in 2012. From this, other opportunities could open up in Africa to multiply mentors and distribute the Mentoring Pack.



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- **An encouragement for BLF to keep publishing:** The Prime Minister of Burkino Faso, a Christian, inaugurated the Forum of Evangelists. He stressed that one day God will ask us what we have done to reach the lost francophone souls. He encouraged the FDE participants to realize the weight and influence of the francophone world.



Philip Kapitaniuk
Director - Responsible for
publishing, marketing and
communication

Philip Kapitaniuk:

- **We are very thankful to the Lord for Olivia**, a young Christian lady from Clermont-Ferrand. This summer, she is finishing a Master in Translation (French-English) and came to BLF Europe to spend one month as part of her training program. She helped us with various translation projects: Manga Melech, Feminine Appeal, and The Supremacy of God in Preaching ... A tremendous help!
- **2011 is turning out to be a great year in sales!** So far, more than 40,000 books have been sold, including 16,000 of the various Manga Bible volumes and 3,200 copies of Crazy Love!
- **Please keep praying that through these books God would be proclaimed clearly** so that many people throughout the French-speaking world would follow Him gladly and faithfully.



John Looney

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Praise God - it looks like we are beginning to get under way at long last for go

- **Pray for Sue** (BLF US office), Philip (BLF Europe office) & Kevin as we work on visa
- **Pray for God's wisdom** as things progress
- **Pray for God's hand** in putting together all details to get visa approved.
- **Pray** for visa and departure dates to come together.
- **Pray** that I my get to France yet this summer.
- **Pray that additional funding** would be coming hence forth as I am still short funded for the full term.



Annalyse Baziuk

Please pray for Annalyse Baziuk as she is still working on funding for her missions term in France.

If you would like to support Annalyse in her work, please contact Sue at the office in Wheaton at teams@blfusa.org or call Sue at 630-221-1980 for details.

Thank you to all who prayed for the May 2011 team. We are back safely and praise the Lord for giving each member good health, strength and safety every day of the trip. All of us were dead tired every night, but we were able to accomplish more than anyone thought we'd do. Also, the Lord worked in the hearts of the team members. We praise the Lord for all His answers to your prayers.



Russ & Mary Ann Miller
East Coast Reps
for BLF USA

We've returned with the following prayer requests:

- **Pray for the youth camp to be held June 11-13**, that the theme of "Going Deep in relationship with the Lord" will be fulfilled in the lives of the youth (18-25) who come.
- **Pray for the church in Valenciennes** in which the team men put up drywall and insulation for the enlargement of their worship area.
- **Pray that the construction will be completed** and ready for worship services by June 12 (their goal), and that the Lord will reach into the hearts of many families during the children's evangelistic campaign they are having in July.
- **Pray also for safe delivery of our grandson** within the next week or two, Jon and Heather's first child.
- **Pray as we visit friends and churches** this summer with the interests of BLF.



Walter and Nancy Zurfliuh
West Coast Reps for
BLF USA

- **Praise that Nancy is getting stronger** each day and has been able to do quite a bit work at the computer, some house work, cooking and some help in the yard. She enjoys tending to her flowers out of doors. God has certainly been good to us. She will be having a PET scan the latter part of June to see if all is well. Pray for a good report.
- **Pray for our giving out of new BLF French literature catalogs** to various French teachers and speakers in Southern California that they will be used for the distribution of more of our Scriptures and literature.
- **Pray for a professor at Fuller Theological Seminary** in Pasadena who is compiling African Christian songs and hymns in English. She has asked to discuss with us relating to the publishing of these songs for distribution in Francophone Africa.
- **Pray for two close friends** who have recently been diagnosed with advanced cancer. Our hearts go out to them especially with our experience the past two years with this disease.



Please continue to pray for the U.S. board as we continue to seek God for His person as the executive director of BLF USA. We would ask you to engage with us to pray about this opportunity.

As we seek His will, as we humbly seek His guidance, as we so ask for you to keep us on your daily list of prayer as you come before His throne of prayer.

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