

Praise and prayer points for CDF and the Nigeria Christian University Project (in Imala, Ogun State)

This month our letter reports on our prayer center in Eastland Texas. As we do in every letter, we include our current project prayer points. This month we are asking for special prayer for our Pakistani Missionary, Sharjeel Shakeel and his family, as Sharjeel recovers from a recent heart attack, and as he travels to Pakistan for further test and possible surgery. We also pray for his wife, who will join him, and will also be undergoing serious medical tests.

Prayer and Mission Center (@Solid Rock, Eastland Tx)



This month our special focus is on CDF's Prayer and Mission Center (PMC) in Eastland Texas. Eastland is the home of our first volunteer and faithful prayer warrior, Betty Hughes (pictured praying with Kabiyesi earlier this year); Betty has been standing with us in prayer since 2001. Eastland is also home to many of our faithful donors.

The Lord used Jerry Rose, who is now home in heaven, to seed the vision of a prayer and mission center at Solid Rock. The vision is to help ensure adequate priority is placed on prayer and to provide

a platform for promoting Missions in the Eastland area. The picture to the right shows Kabiyesi in our prayer room.



Derek and Denise May (photo below, includes first grandchild) agreed to join the CDF board and lead the PMC in 2022. God quickly blessed and construction started in the spring of 2022. The first prayer room opened the next year, using a generator. The prayer room helps us put focus on prayer. Earlier this year we added building utilities and an office. This allowed the Mays to include more focus on Solid Rock Camps (the hundreds of campers that come during the summer and spend a few days, as well as the camp staff that provide spiritual guidance).



The PMC programs include making available the prayer room to campers and working with camp leaders to keep focus on prayer. The Mays have also organized prayer warriors to pray for and with the staff.

We thank our Lord for our generous donors and volunteers. You are a great encouragement!

PMC Prayer Requests

- Direction for the PMC, spiritual protection for the Mays and for the faithful prayer warriors in Eastland.
- Spiritual growth of Solid Rock's staff interns, as they begin their 12-month intensive discipleship program.
- Completion of the prayer center (larger prayer room) and prayer garden.

Nigeria Prayer Requests

- Sharjeel and family; for funding for his medical trip
- Continued progress in obtaining Certificate of Occupancies for the first Imala tracts (6800 acres), at affordable fees.
- God's provision of the remaining seed funding and kickoff of the programs:
 - Additional PIU team members (additional \$3000/month).
 - \$280,000 for our capital campaign – enough to allow us to start construction of our first PIU building
- For our staff, volunteers and board members and their families
 - For unity within the project, that the world sees Christ (John 17:23); for protection (Matt 6:13).

Thank you for joining us in prayer, for standing with us!

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Video: <https://youtu.be/f30iT3LDwXs>.

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