



Prayerline of Elim International Missions for the week Sunday 9th January to Saturday 15th January 2011 inclusive.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

IRAN

We have been informed by one of our partner organisations that in the early hours of Boxing Day 25 Christians known to them were arrested in Tehran and other locations. Special security officers forcefully entered homes and handcuffed the 25 before taking them away for interrogation. Among those arrested were five married couples and a number of single women. One couple was separated from their two-year old, and one mother was forced to leave the baby she was breastfeeding. After many hours of interrogation 11 of the detained were released, the other 14 are still in prison. None of them has been granted any legal representation and so far no charges have been made.

Please intercede for our brothers and sisters in prison in Iran. Pray they will experience the presence and power of the Holy Spirit and have supernatural endurance and courage through this trial. Pray for peace and wisdom during interrogations. Pray for their health. Pray for their families. Pray they will soon be released without charge. Pray for protection for other Christians in Iran.

SUDAN

On Sunday 9th January Southern Sudan will vote on whether to split from the north and thereby form its own country. Pray for this will be a peaceful process and for political wisdom on both sides that will bring stability.

SPAIN/UK

Thank you for your prayers for Tim and Helen Cobham who are back in the UK and settling in well. They would be grateful for your continued prayers as Tim's father passed away on Thursday 6th January. Pray that the God of all comfort will be with them at this time.

TURKEY

Our missionary couple leave the UK to return to Turkey on 9th January. Pray for safe travelling.

SOUTH EAST ASIA FOCUS GROUP

This takes place at Elim International Centre, West Malvern on Wednesday 12th January. Pray for safe travelling for all who are attending. Pray God will guide in all the discussions that take place. If you are interested or involved in this area and haven't yet indicated you will be attending, it's not too late, just reply to this email. Countries included in South East Asia are Cambodia, China, Japan, Philippines, Malaysia, South Korea, Thailand

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MALAWI

Thank you for your prayers for Sonya Lester who is now fully recovered from the acute sinus infection. Pray that God will guide and use Sonya in the days ahead.

BRAZIL

Martin Davison and family travel to Northern Ireland on 15th January to attend his brother's wedding. Pray for safe travelling and for a good time catching up with family and friends.

NEPAL

Thank you for your prayers for Jane who had surgery on 22nd December. She is recovering well. Pray for the family as they return to Nepal on 14th January.

ZIMBABWE

Farai Katiro has been studying at Regents Theological College and has just returned to Zimbabwe to work with street children through Africa Street Youth Ministries, an Elim Missions recognised ministry. Pray for Farai as he returns and that this ministry will be blessed, making a difference in the lives of needy children.

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