



## South Africa

Mission in action: we are a blessing and are blessed in return.

This is the second mission trip for the PECCC youth fellowship to Durban, South Africa during their Easter break (April 6-10). We thank God for the opportunity and that the youth are willing to participate. Through their experience they realized that they have been blessed each time they are willing to serve. Indeed God gives strength and blesses those who obey his



command. They stayed with Pastor Eugene in Durban again and working alongside the church leaders in serving three locations, namely the Mother of Peace orphanage, the Illovo



church in Amanzimtoti and the township community of Kwamakuthu. The theme of the program was 'my family in Christ' and through worship, storytelling, skits, games, and prayer, the youth testified about the love of God. A total of 108

children from age 13-18 attended the five day cross cultural mission. Through this encounter the youth have developed a deeper understanding of the great commission God has commanded, which they shared with their home church afterward. Also, we pray that through their messages during this five-day encounter, the children that were ministered to will know Christ and be an impact on their communities.



## Brazil

We will be going to four different cities working among local churches to train church leaders and youth and also to conduct a teachers' retreat. In two cities we will be working alongside the Sao Paulo medical team to spread the gospel to new immigrants through free clinics. Members from three churches from northern and southern California will be participating in this year's adventure. Please pray for smooth training and learning sessions before we leave for Brazil. We will have three sessions in May and two in June. The first team will serve from July 7 – 21 while the second group is from 17-31.

Please pray for our teams as we are preparing for the trip. There have been 'attacks', such as health issues, opposition from family members and from work. As we embark on our mission journey this year we are sure that the Lord is with us and that he is the one who goes before us and will prepare the way so we shall not be afraid.

It is a general phenomenon that most of the newly converted Chinese Christians, like other Chinese in Brazil, are intent on making as much money as they can and often lack the desire to pursue spiritual growth. We hope that church coworkers will be able to guide these young Christians and to help them mature. This is also one of our goals, that through short term missions we can partner with the local churches to help believers in the eagerness to study the Bible and to learn more about God.

We will be conducting a youth retreat at the Belo Horizonte church; there are already 12 believers enrolled. We hope and pray that more youth, in particular non-believers, can join us in this special program that is catered to them. Please pray that parents of these youth will allow them to participate in the three day event and be willing to free the youth from manning the shops. We pray that through spiritual growth and maturity these believers will develop a new worldview where the Lord is the most important aspect of their lives. It is our hope that through the two-week encounter they have with the team this summer will lead to transformed lives as they grow in the knowledge of the love that God has showered upon them and the riches he blesses them with.

Dear partners even though we are unworthy and have limited abilities, we are convinced that nothing is impossible with God. We are greatly in need of your intercession now, before we leave for the short-term mission trip to Brazil. Pray for a successful training and learning time. Do not wait until we are there in July - now is the time for prayer. Please earnestly pray for the short term mission teams and the people who we are going to serve there as well.



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## West Africa

## Prayer Requests

The media has created a tremendous deal out of the Ebola epidemic situation in West Africa and people fear to go. This threat has led to fewer people who are interested to join the short term mission team this year. Rev. Leung, executive director of Canada, was leading a team in January this year and confirmed that both Ghana and Togo are not infected with Ebola, and as a matter of fact, that the two countries where we are serving are 500 miles away from those affected countries.

Reverend Leung reminds brothers and sisters to consider sharing the gospel with those who have not heard it for even one time and to share the blessings we have - God's blessing spiritually (gospel), socially (friendship and fellowship), technically (professional training), and financially (funding).

Let us take a leap of faith to pray in what way God wants you to participate in missions this year.

### FINANCIAL REPORT : ( As of March 2015 )

	Income	Expense	Balance
General	\$ 7,021	\$ 4,282	\$ 2,739
Missions	\$ 9,905	\$ 3,112	\$ 6,793
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 16,926</b>	<b>\$ 7,394</b>	<b>\$ 9,532</b>

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**Brazil (All full)**                      **South Africa**  
**July 7 – Jul 21, 2015**            **July 10 - Jul 17, 2015**  
**July 17 – July 31, 2015**        **Dec 30, 2015 – Jan 11, 2016**

### Ghana and Togo

Anyone interested in going on short-term missions trips an contact any of the CIM Board of Directors

1. Pray for God's guidance for a new venue for the Middelburg Fu Qing Fellowship, due to Brother Chen's migration having to close his shop for good.
2. South Africa Rustenburg Church baptismal class will be held soon: pray for more people come to the Lord, there are already two people signed up.
3. Continue to pray for Rev. Douglas Wu as he is still recuperating and feeling fatigued. Ask that God will strengthen him physically and spiritually.
4. Ask the Lord to raise up more coworkers to serve the Chinese in South Africa.
5. Please pray for Pastor Wu's three children, may God open doors.
6. Pray that the government can quickly solve the problems of energy shortage which affects South Africa's economy and law and order.
7. The July Brazil short term mission team has implemented to Porto Alegre, Belo Horizonte, Manaus and Sao Paulo: pray for more Chinese in Brazil will hear the Gospel.
8. Pray for our short-term mission teams: for all the arrangements, training, and travel safety.
9. Pray for Brazil the drought and the denque fever.
10. Continue to pray for the spiritual awareness of the youth at Belo Horizonte Church: that they could understand and adhere to God's will.
11. Pray for brothers and sisters at the Curitiba church: their dedication to study the Bible and put it into practice.
12. Pray for the church in Brasilia and their ministry: that there might be more enthusiastic brothers and sisters who are willing to commit to serve God.
13. Ask the Holy Spirit to continue to keep strengthening the faith of the brothers and sisters at Salvador church that they actively pursue God and commit to reading the Bible.
14. Pray that the brothers and sisters are willing to go for short term mission in Ghana and Togo, trust that God will protect them from the epidemic of Ebola.

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