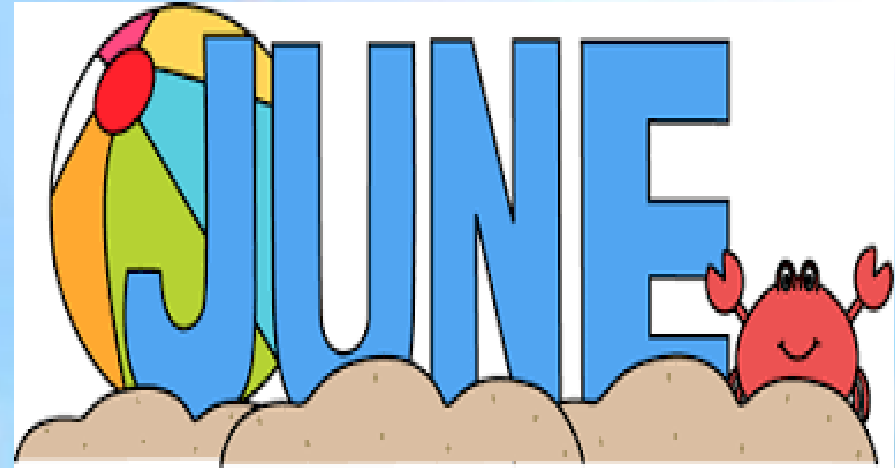
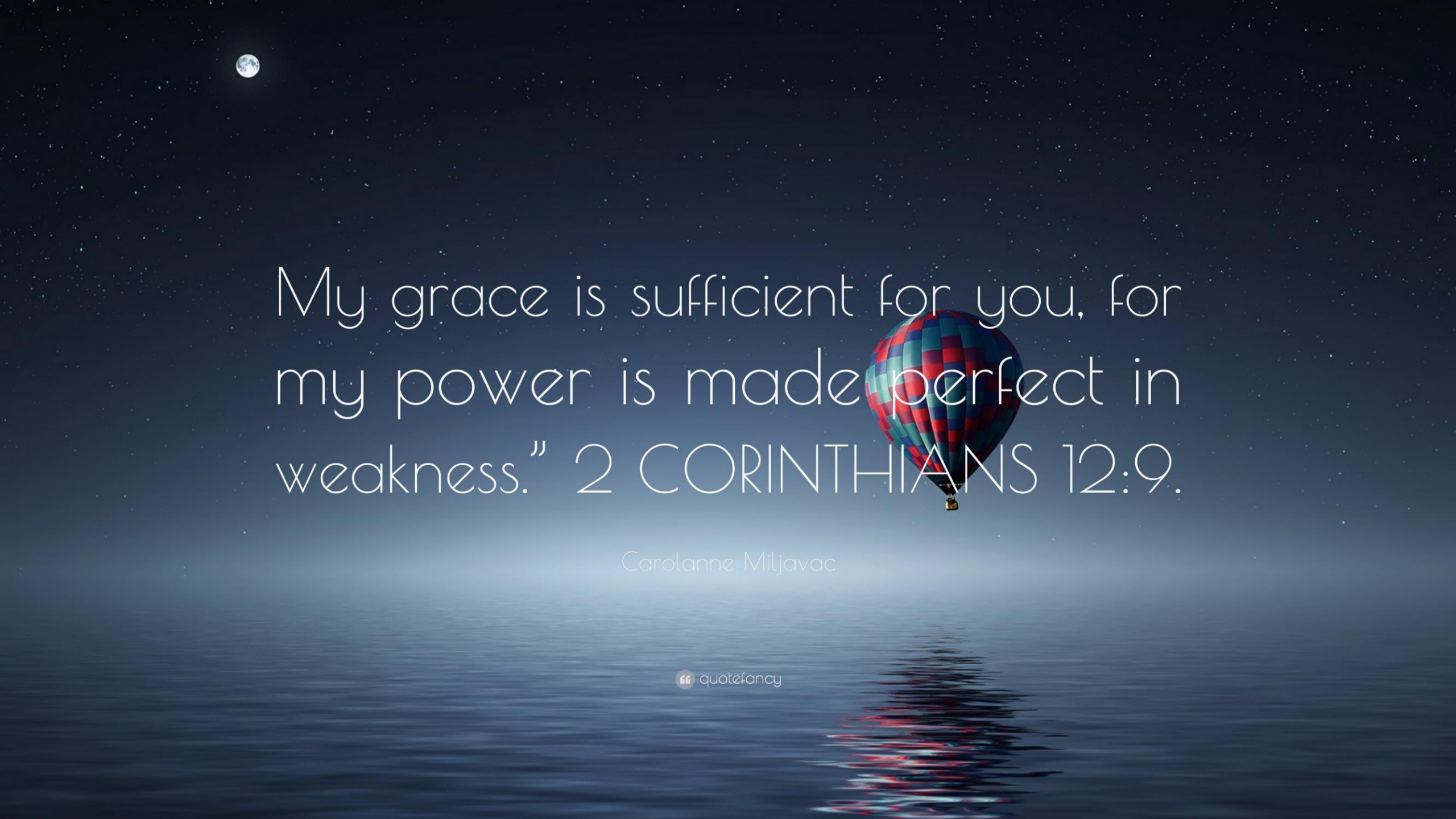




EBENEZER EVANGELICAL CHURCH

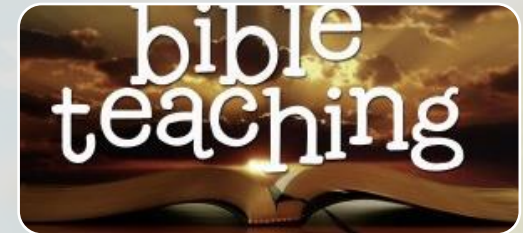
**June 2026
Newsletter**

A serene night scene featuring a dark, starry sky with a small, bright moon in the upper left. A hot air balloon with a red and blue checkered pattern floats in the center-right. Below, a calm body of water reflects the balloon and the sky. The text is overlaid in the center.

My grace is sufficient for you, for
my power is made perfect in
weakness." 2 CORINTHIANS 12:9.

Carolanne Miljavac

Sundays in June



7th June
14th June
21st June
28th June

OPEN
Willie Glen
Graham Scholefield
Ian Turner

Brian Lowrie
Iain Jamieson
Robert Lawrie
Jonny Renfrew

Stephen Grant
Stephen Grant
Hugh Mitchell
NO SERVICE

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

For he satisfieth the longing soul,
and filleth the hungry soul with goodness.
Psalm 107:9



Every Monday from 10.30 am



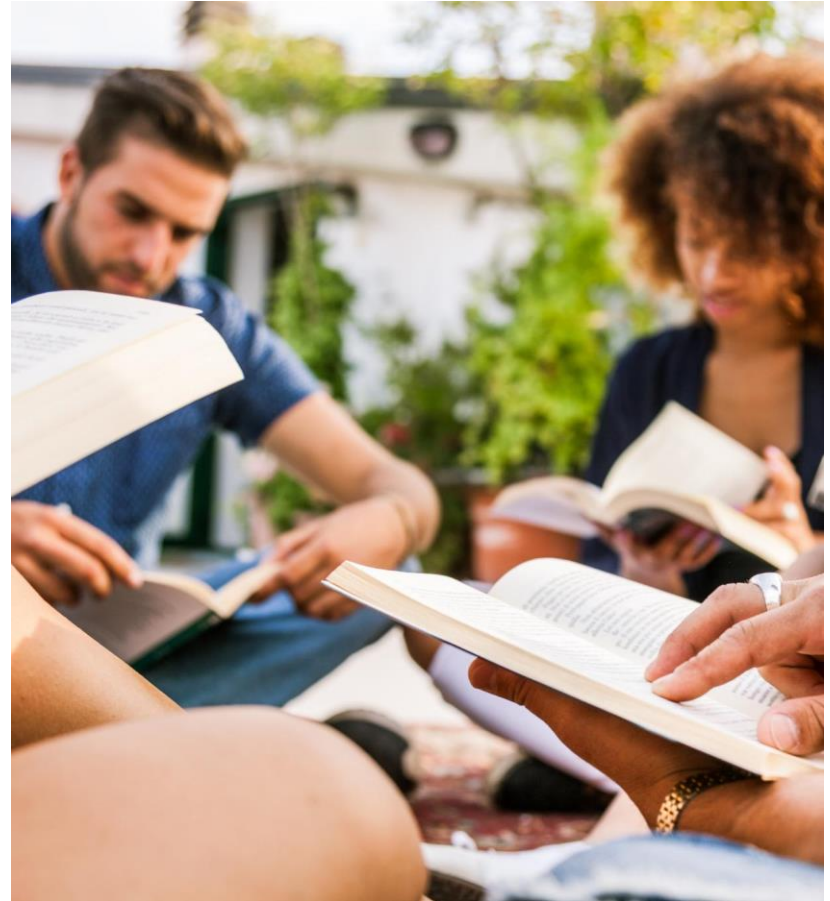
STREET CONNECT

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RECOVERY GROUP
EVERY TUESDAY 10am – 12 noon

ENGLISH LESSONS
WITH GOSPEL INPUT

Tuesdays
from
6.30pm





Biscuit & a Blether
Wed 10th June
Away Day Trip



Wednesday Prayer in June

3 rd June	Robert Lawrie
10 th June	Alan Russell
17 th June	Ken Gray
24 th June	Graham Scholefield



**NOAH'S ARK TODDLERS
GROUP, FRIDAYS @ 10AM**

Church Trip to St. Andrews Saturday 13th June



£18 – Sign up in foyer
Leave Church 10am
High Tea included

Special Collection

Sunday - 28th June 2026



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Sunday Kidz

PRIZE GIVING



Family Service – Sunday 28th June

SUMMER KIDS CLUBS

@ EBENEZER EVANGELICAL CHURCH, Mabel Street, Motherwell

At a loose end over the summer,
struggling to keep the kids amused?
Why not come along for...



★ Bible Stories

★ Crafts

★ Quizzes

★ Activities and Fun



ALL FREE for Primary School age!

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**SUMMER
SUNDAY
KIDZ**

11.30 – 12.30
Every Sunday during
the school holidays!
Crèche available.

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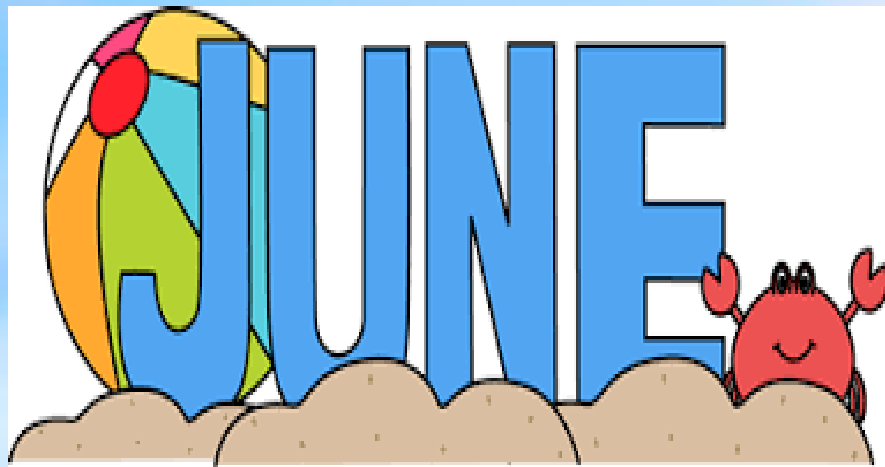
**MONDAY
KIDZ CLUB**

10.30 – 11.30
Every Monday
during the school
holidays!

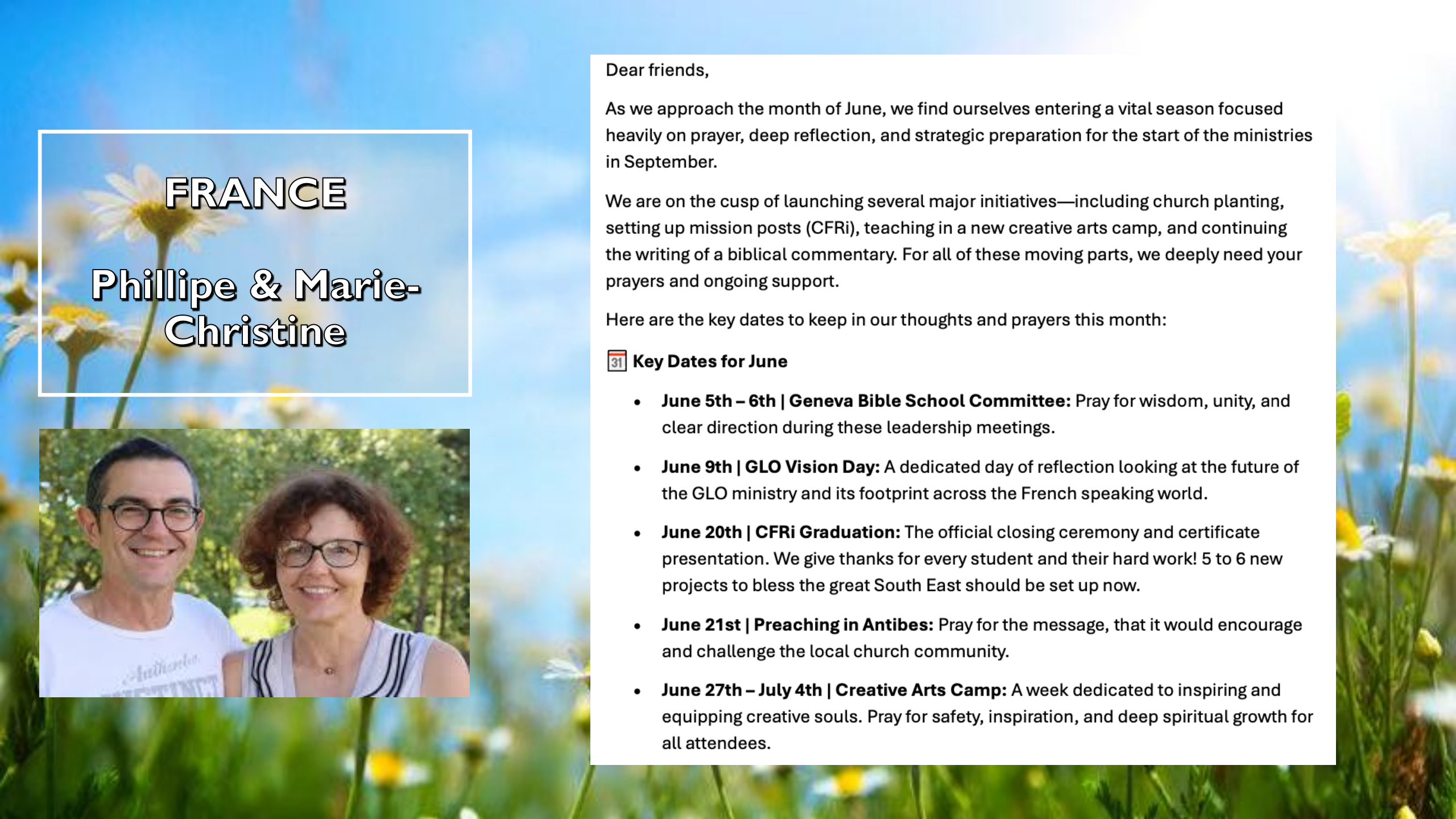
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**UNDER
THE SEA
Holiday Club**

10.30 – 12.30pm
Monday 13th July
to Friday 17th July
LUNCH included!



PRAYER
REQUESTS



FRANCE

Phillipe & Marie-Christine



Dear friends,

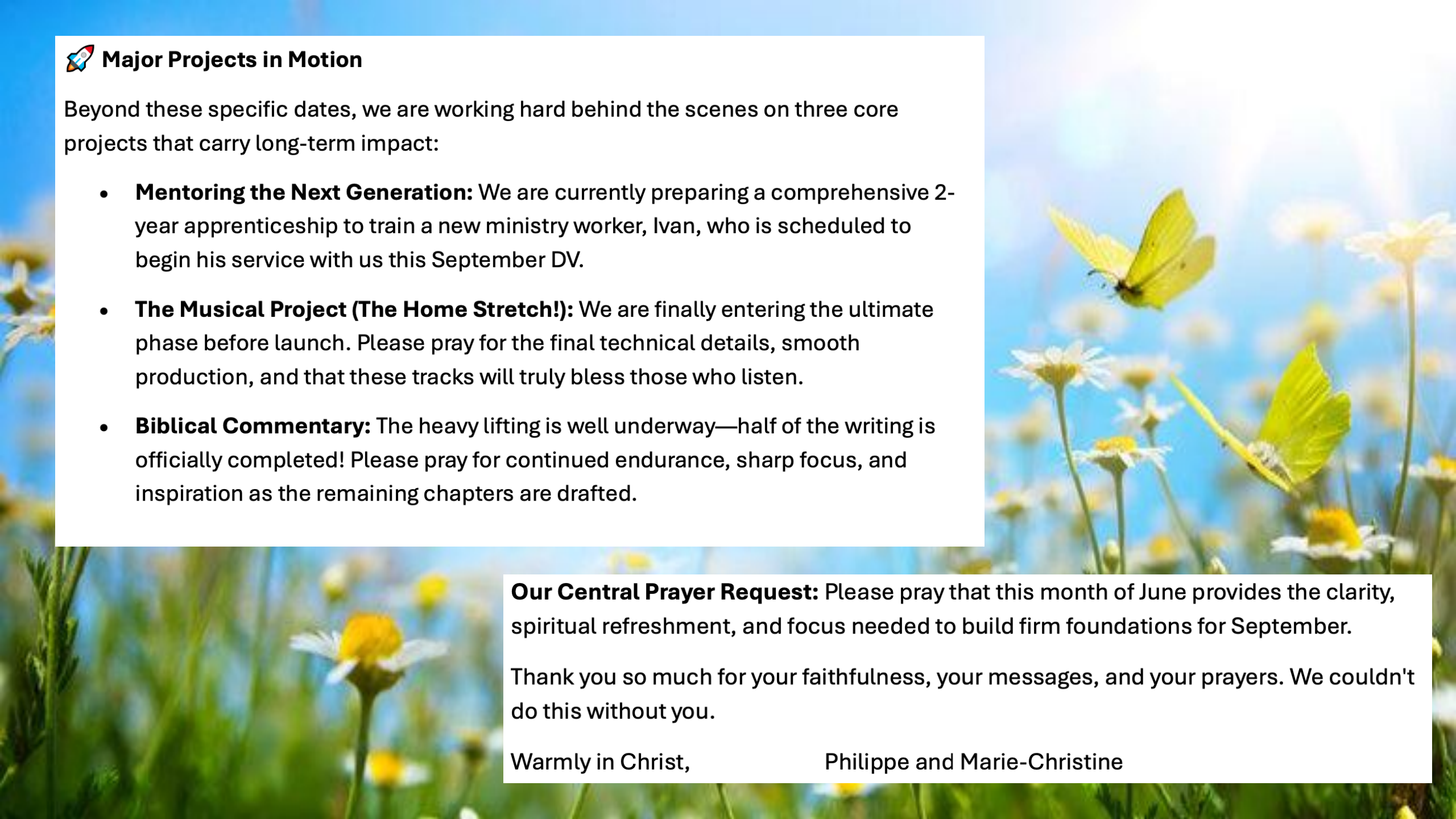
As we approach the month of June, we find ourselves entering a vital season focused heavily on prayer, deep reflection, and strategic preparation for the start of the ministries in September.

We are on the cusp of launching several major initiatives—including church planting, setting up mission posts (CFRi), teaching in a new creative arts camp, and continuing the writing of a biblical commentary. For all of these moving parts, we deeply need your prayers and ongoing support.

Here are the key dates to keep in our thoughts and prayers this month:

Key Dates for June

- **June 5th – 6th | Geneva Bible School Committee:** Pray for wisdom, unity, and clear direction during these leadership meetings.
- **June 9th | GLO Vision Day:** A dedicated day of reflection looking at the future of the GLO ministry and its footprint across the French speaking world.
- **June 20th | CFRi Graduation:** The official closing ceremony and certificate presentation. We give thanks for every student and their hard work! 5 to 6 new projects to bless the great South East should be set up now.
- **June 21st | Preaching in Antibes:** Pray for the message, that it would encourage and challenge the local church community.
- **June 27th – July 4th | Creative Arts Camp:** A week dedicated to inspiring and equipping creative souls. Pray for safety, inspiration, and deep spiritual growth for all attendees.



Major Projects in Motion

Beyond these specific dates, we are working hard behind the scenes on three core projects that carry long-term impact:

- **Mentoring the Next Generation:** We are currently preparing a comprehensive 2-year apprenticeship to train a new ministry worker, Ivan, who is scheduled to begin his service with us this September DV.
- **The Musical Project (The Home Stretch!):** We are finally entering the ultimate phase before launch. Please pray for the final technical details, smooth production, and that these tracks will truly bless those who listen.
- **Biblical Commentary:** The heavy lifting is well underway—half of the writing is officially completed! Please pray for continued endurance, sharp focus, and inspiration as the remaining chapters are drafted.

Our Central Prayer Request: Please pray that this month of June provides the clarity, spiritual refreshment, and focus needed to build firm foundations for September.

Thank you so much for your faithfulness, your messages, and your prayers. We couldn't do this without you.

Warmly in Christ,

Philippe and Marie-Christine

Nyangombe – Gordon and Sybil



Points of Praise:

- A) The Bible Teachers sessions have begun and will conclude on 9 June. This week, they are studying in the books of 1, 2 Kings and 2 Chronicles using the Kings of Israel workbook in the Lunda language.
- B) Close to 50 youth from surrounding villages gathered once again on Saturday morning for teaching and fellowship at Nyangombe.
- C) The much-needed medicines that have arrived from the UK are a blessing to the patients at the clinic that will need them.
- D) Barry and Rachel Haigh, the founders of NCTC 37 years ago arrived safely at Nyangombe. During their two-month stay, Barry will be teaching at the Bible School and Rachel will be helping at the onsite preschool.
- E) After some years of 'encouragement', local Churches are planning youth events during this dry season most being held at Nyangombe

Nyangombe – Gordon and Sybil



Please pray that:

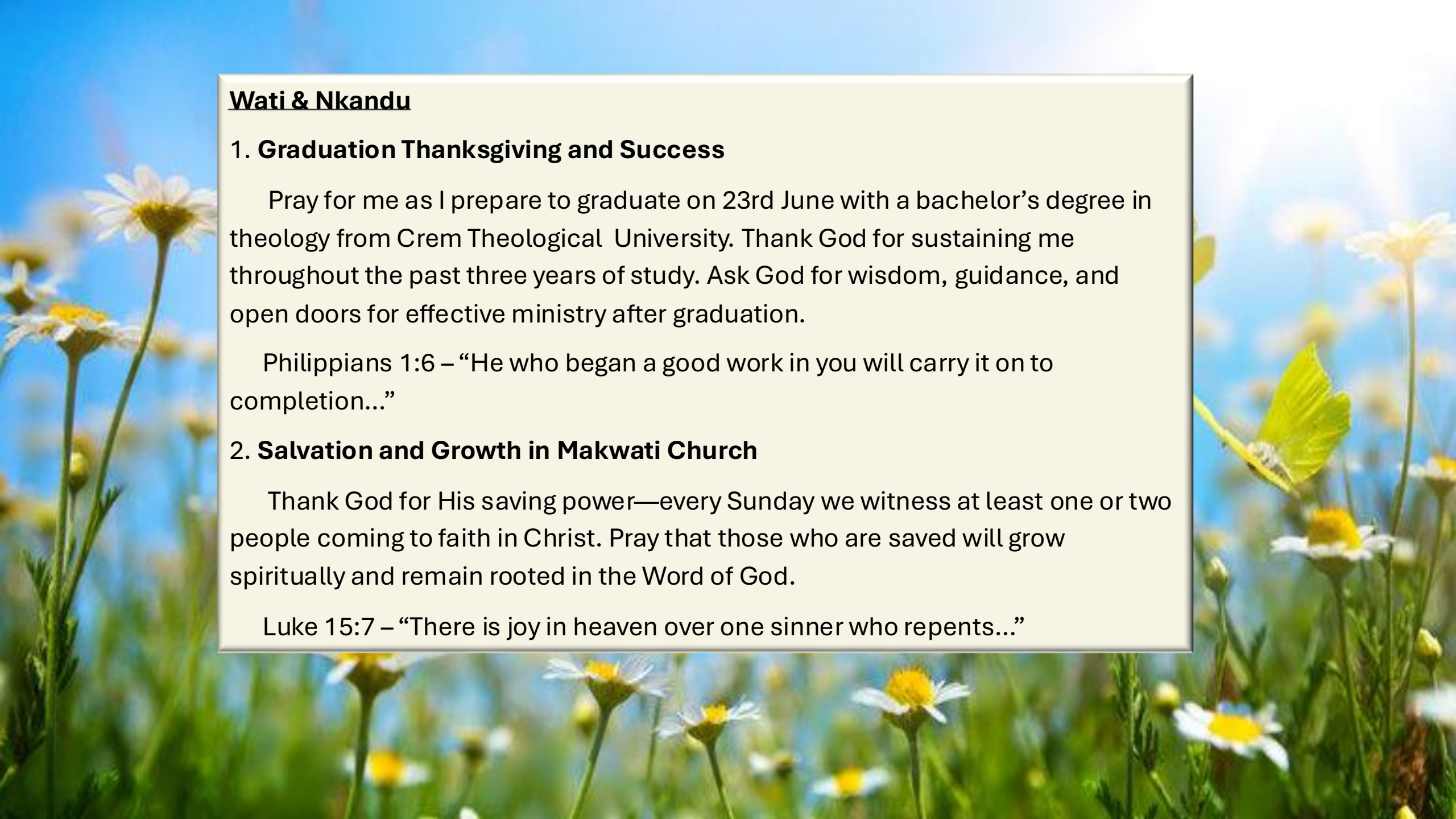
- A) The Gulf war will come to a peaceful resolution and that fuel will continue to be available when needed for journeys.
- B) The judgement on the court case against Nyangombe, which should have emerged on 31 March is still awaited
- C) Those attending the Bible teachers' sessions will hear from God and will continue to grow in their faith.
- D) God will provide the time and resources needed for those who will be attending the next literacy teacher training scheduled in a few weeks.
- E) Barry and Rachel Haigh, will have a fruitful time of ministry during their stay at Nyangombe.
- F) Zambia will know a special time of unity and peace as elections scheduled for August approach.

1. Youth enjoying fellowship
2. Youth enjoying games
3. Youth enjoying colouring





WATI AND NKANDU



Wati & Nkandu

1. Graduation Thanksgiving and Success

Pray for me as I prepare to graduate on 23rd June with a bachelor's degree in theology from Crem Theological University. Thank God for sustaining me throughout the past three years of study. Ask God for wisdom, guidance, and open doors for effective ministry after graduation.

Philippians 1:6 – “He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion...”

2. Salvation and Growth in Makwati Church

Thank God for His saving power—every Sunday we witness at least one or two people coming to faith in Christ. Pray that those who are saved will grow spiritually and remain rooted in the Word of God.

Luke 15:7 – “There is joy in heaven over one sinner who repents...”

3. Couples Fellowship Ministry

Thank God for the positive response from the couples' fellowship teachings. Pray that: Marriages will grow stronger in the Lord; For love, unity, and that understanding will increase in families; That God will heal broken relationships

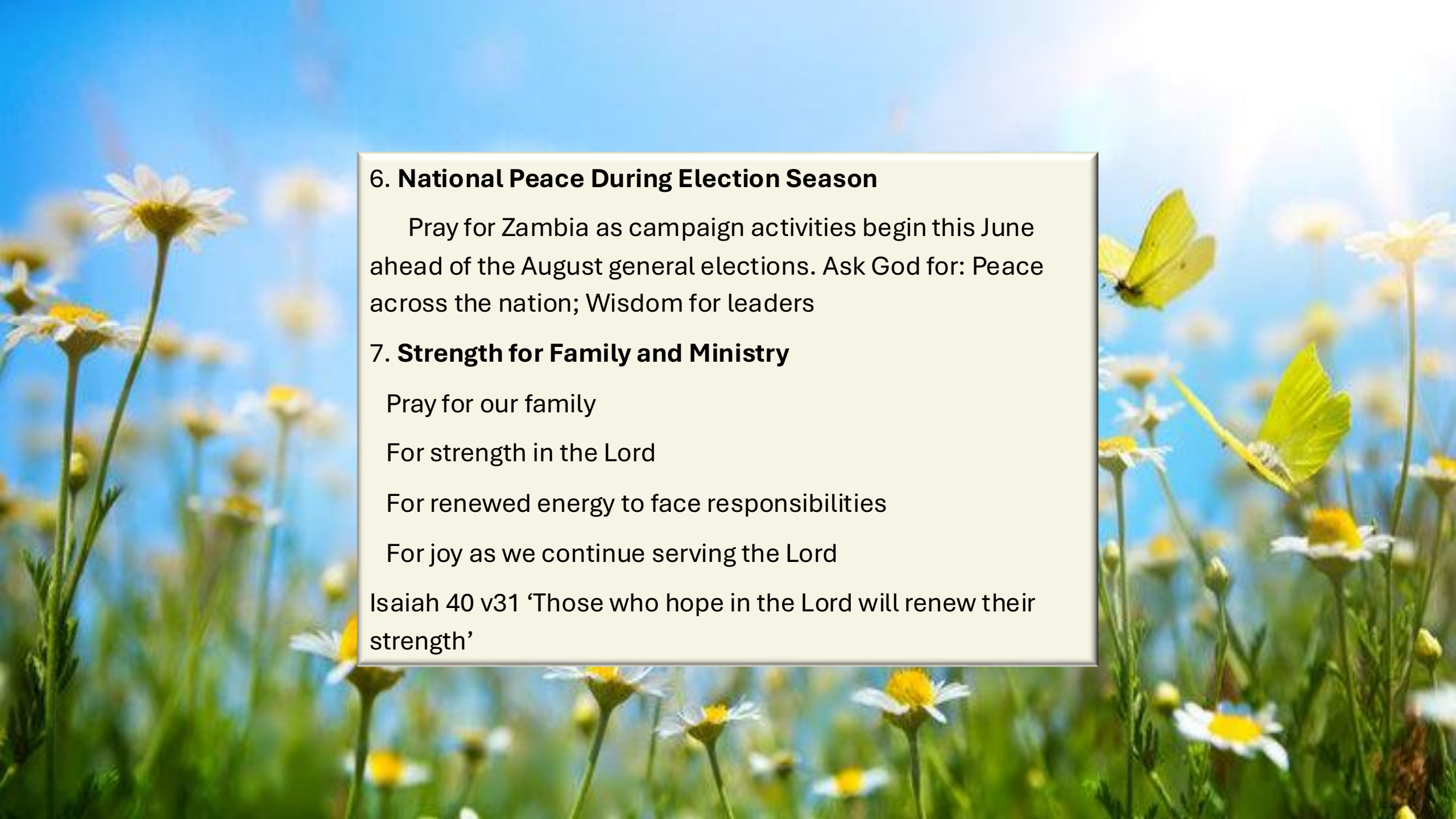
Ecclesiastes 4:12 – “A cord of three strands is not quickly broken.”

4. New Bible Discovery Study (DBS) – Kangomba

Pray for the launch of a Discovery Bible Study group in Kangomba (30 km from Kabwe). Ask God for: Open hearts and a hunger for His Word; Faithful leaders to emerge; A strong foundation for a new church to be planted

5. Provision for Medical Need

Pray for a church member who has had one leg amputated. Ask God to provide an artificial leg and complete healing and encouragement. Jehovah Rapha – Exodus 15:26 – “I am the Lord who heals you.”



6. National Peace During Election Season

Pray for Zambia as campaign activities begin this June ahead of the August general elections. Ask God for: Peace across the nation; Wisdom for leaders

7. Strength for Family and Ministry

Pray for our family

For strength in the Lord

For renewed energy to face responsibilities

For joy as we continue serving the Lord

Isaiah 40 v31 'Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength'

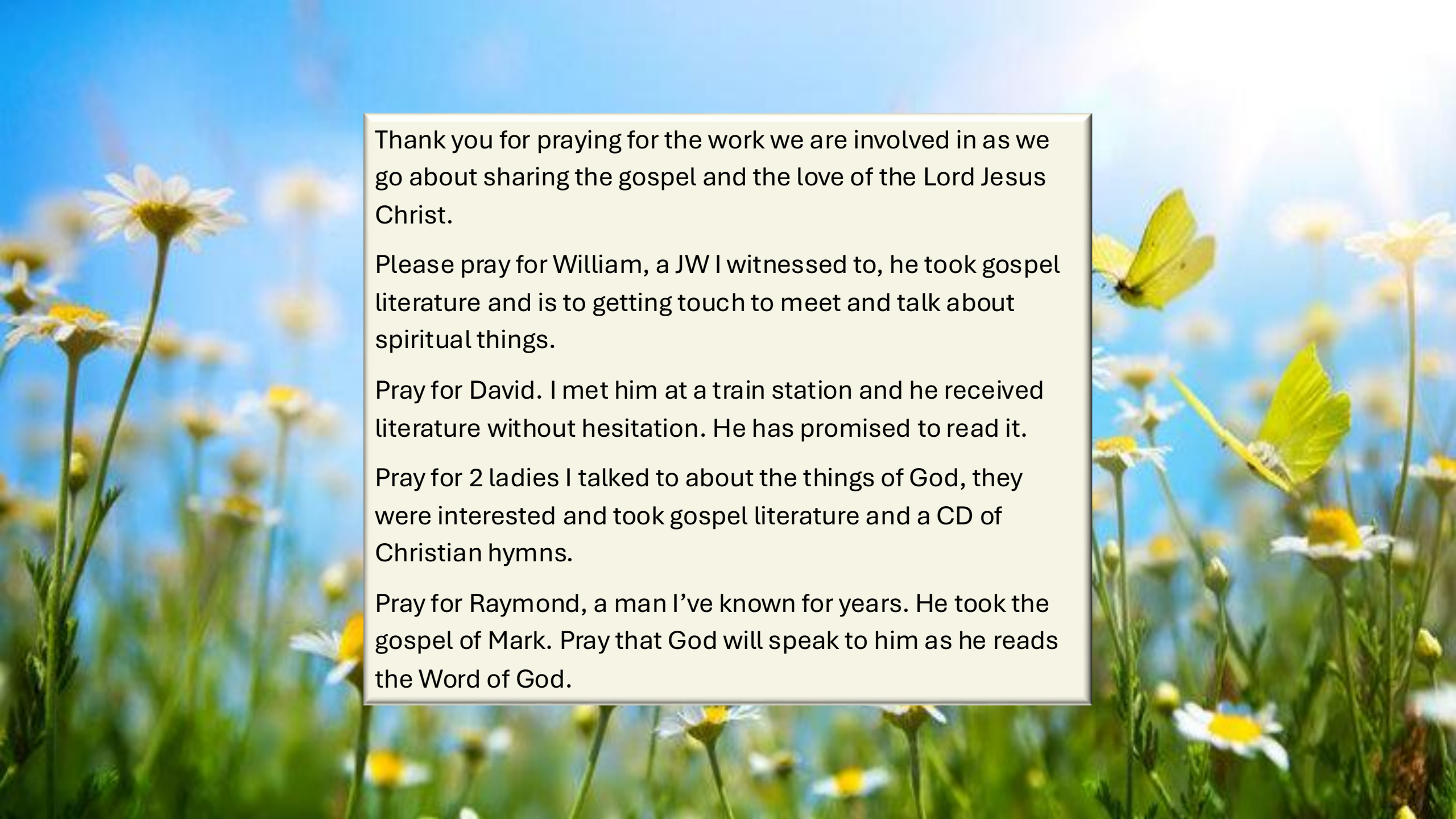
Ermal and Denisa Bimaj



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1. Praise God for the new initiative for the church plant as we are having 35-40 people every Sunday.
 2. Pray for our first baptism at our church, which will happen on 31st of May. A teacher named Ola is being baptised.
 3. I am teaching on the doctrine of the church during June, please pray that God will use this time to put good foundations for the new church.
 4. Also pray for a woman named Duka, she is divorced and comes from a brutal violent marriage, and she has two children Amela 9 and Mandi 6. Denisa is very close to her, and she started to come to church last Sunday.

Gordon and Janice Thomson





Thank you for praying for the work we are involved in as we go about sharing the gospel and the love of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Please pray for William, a JW I witnessed to, he took gospel literature and is to getting touch to meet and talk about spiritual things.

Pray for David. I met him at a train station and he received literature without hesitation. He has promised to read it.

Pray for 2 ladies I talked to about the things of God, they were interested and took gospel literature and a CD of Christian hymns.

Pray for Raymond, a man I've known for years. He took the gospel of Mark. Pray that God will speak to him as he reads the Word of God.



Pray for the following dates;

4th June prayer meeting in Greenock

5th June. Allander Rally

6th June Edinburgh Rally

6th June Rejuvenate youth meeting

8th June Gospel meeting in Motherwell

10th Prayer & Bible study in Shotts

14th June Airdrie Ebenezer am & pm

15th June Motherwell Ebenezer food for thought

21st June Crookston Baptist

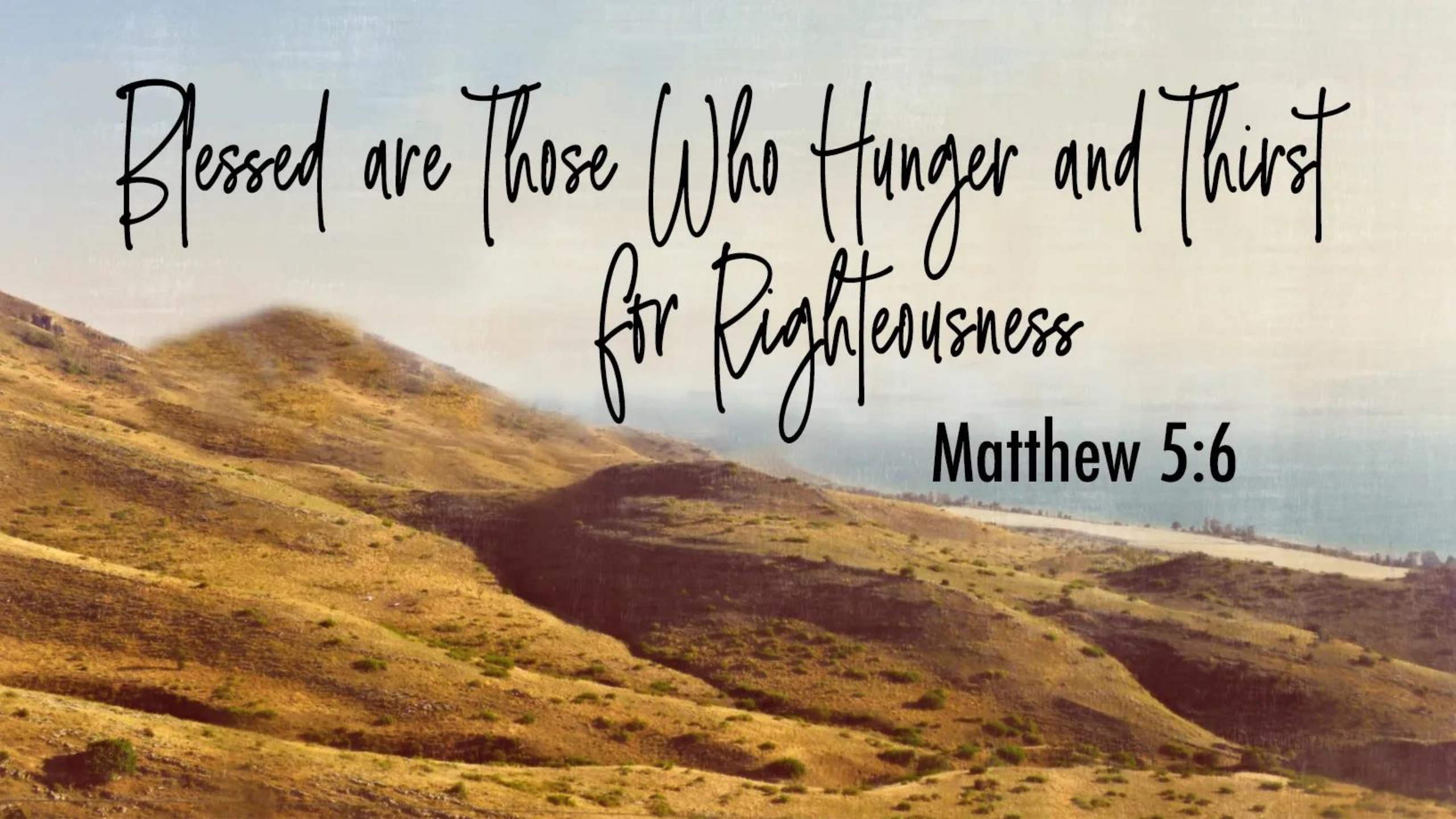
27th June Edinburgh outreach



There will be days in June when we will be giving out gospel literature in the local area.

Pray for guidance to distribute 200 gospels of Mark, that whoever receives them, the Holy Spirit will speak into their lives.

We appreciate your prayers

The background of the image is a photograph of a vast, arid landscape. In the foreground and middle ground, there are rolling hills and valleys covered in dry, yellowish-brown grass and sparse green shrubs. The terrain is rugged with some erosion patterns. In the far distance, a calm body of water, likely the ocean, is visible under a pale, hazy sky. The overall lighting suggests a bright, sunny day.

Blessed are Those Who Hunger and Thirst
for Righteousness

Matthew 5:6