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“Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours”. Mark 11:24

YFCI AFRICA OFFICE

Area Director [AD]: Hilary Lewis-Nicol [Melrose

- Appreciate the Father for good health for Hilary, Emmanuel and Danny and their families. Appreciate Him for His daily provisions and wisdom as they manage their responsibilities.
- Ask the Father for replenished lives, family health and business ventures of every financial supporter. Ask Him to order their steps.
- Praise God for a great More Africa Conference.

TRAINING DESK

Deputy Area & Training Director: E.J. (Koekoes)

- Thank the Lord for safe travels in the last month.
- Thank the Lord for a good trip to Knysna to set up facility for the More Africa Conference.
- Bless the Lord for the successful More Conference, good internet, great work behind the scenes, awesome speakers and participants.
- Thank the Lord for the good Young Catalyst programme and mentors training going well.
- Pray for the GTT (Global Training Team) as we work on international training.
- Pray for the work on the Strategic plan.
- Pray for the developing of training material.
- Pray for strength to do the work.

AFRICA AREA LEADERSHIP TEAM [ALT]

Hilary Lewis-Nicol, E.J. van As, Josue Akowanou, Cyril Palan, Sheunesu Masuka, Sola Imoleolu, Luc Dushimerugaba & Susan Masuka

- Pray for good health for ALT members and their families.
- Pray for a successful and product monthly leader's meeting with AD.
- Pray for upcoming ALT meeting.

FRANCOPHONE REGION

Regional Director: Josue Akowanou [Prisca]

- Pray for peace as Jihardist attacks are becoming an issue in our Region.
- Pray for the board members for strong and effective boards.
- Pray for evangelism initiatives in the region.
- Ask for protection during travels.

SOUTHERN REGION [SR]

Regional Director: Sheunesu Masuka [Susan]

Spiritual Formation Coordinator: Fiona Engelbrecht [Elri]

- Praise God for all boards, staff, volunteers and partners committed in the nations.
- Praise God for the lives of the young people that were impacted in the month of July 2022.
- Pray for wisdom and guidance in nations, as a number of them are prayerfully seeking the Lord for new National Directors.
- Praise God for Tshenelo Bobo Palai who has recently been appointed as ND for Botswana. We thank God for his willingness to serve.
- Praise God for successful meetings with national leaders.

- Praise God for nations that were able to participate and benefit from the More Africa Conference.
- Trust God for national board training to be held for new board members in the region.
- Pray for the young people's hearts to be receptive as they hear the gospel.
- Pray for provision for the RDs regional travel plans.
- Continue to pray for Elri, Fiona and Joshua in their grief journey for God's comfort.
- Pray for more ministry partners for the nations.

EAST INDIAN OCEAN ISLAND REGION

Regional Director: Cyril Palan [Monique]

- Praise God for ministry opportunities in our Region.
- Pray for positive follow-up of monthly meetings of the ND's with Sam, the Regional Member Care Chaplain.
- Pray for Cyril's visit to Seychelles in August to meet Mervin to hand over the ministry.
- Lay before the Lord the development of the ministry in Réunion and a hostel project for students in Tampon.

WEST AFRICA ANGLOPHONE REGION [WAA]

Regional Director: Sola Omoleolu [Adesola Florence]

- Pray that new fundraising ideas will bring forth fruit in our ministry in the Region.
- Thank God for the partnerships He is bringing to us in the ministry. Pray that our teams will be able to maximize these partnerships for effective ministry to the young people of our Region.
- Glory to the Lord for all young people reached this month. Lay our discipleship program before the Lord.

- Pray for all staff, volunteers and Board members across our Region to steadfastly minister unto our youth.
- Thank God for a great National Directors meeting held in July with the Africa Director.

EAST AFRICA [EA] REGION

Regional Director: Luc Dushimerugaba [Lydie]

Marie –Josee Karerwa– Spiritual Formation Coordinator

- Praise the Lord for safe trip of Mr Luke the Region Director to Ethiopia.
- Praise the Lord that he was able to do 4 days of retreat with staff and board members.
- Praise the Lord for the time of learning , worship and discussing how the gospel can be spread in whole Nation of Ethiopia.
- Pray for CDC that will happen in Tanzania God's willing.
- Pray for all provision, Pray for teachers and attendants who will fly or drive for long and short distance.
- Pray for the projects that need to be done in the region.
- Pray for total peace in Congo and the whole region.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION [SF] DESK

Spiritual Formation Team Lead: Desiree Beukes [Stanley]

- Admire Father for prayer supporters carrying our ministry and for effective spiritual formation coordinators in most African countries. Trust Him to bless them and to add more prayer warriors to our team.
- Adore Jesus for relationships being established between SF Team, NDs and ministry staff and volunteers. Pray for a great working relation and fun journey.

- Adore Jesus for awesome time with regional coordinators. Pray for implementation of Spiritual disciplines in our ministries.
- Thank God for good meetings with Spiritual Formation Coordinators.
- Bring before the Lord the plans of SF in August.

EVANGELISM & PIONEERING DESK

Sheunesu Masuka [Susan]

- Praise God for chance to engage YFCI/West Africa Anglophone National Directors virtually looking into Evangelism
Praise God for open doors and opportunities to continue reaching young people
- Praise God for the privilege to train Young Catalyst through the YCDP again this month
- Pray for the Lord to go ahead of Young Catalysts as they carry out their practical evangelism assignments. Ask the Lord to grant them boldness to proclaim the Good News as they pursue lost youth.
- Pray for the development of tools for young people and staff to use in their evangelism efforts.

YOUNG CATALYST DESK (YC)

Susan Masuka [Sheunesu Masuka]

- We thank God for the successful training of the Young Catalysts in the month of July 2022.
- We thank God for enabling the Young Catalysts to remain committed to their training programme.
- We thank God for His protection, provision and blessing on the Young Catalysts, their mentors and the YCDP Team.
- Pray for the Young Catalysts for wisdom to manage their time as they do assignments, ministry and studies in the month of August 2022.

- Pray for the Young Catalysts schedules to be open so that they can attend training on the 10th of August 2022.
- Pray for God's wisdom and guidance for E J Van As, the August trainer as he prepares and trains the Young Catalysts in Discipleship.
- Pray for good internet connections in the nations during the training and provision for data.
- Pray for the mentors as they undergo their training in the month of August 2022 and for Joy Engelsman as she trains them.
- Pray for times of refreshing and renewed blessing upon the relationships of the mentors and the Young Catalysts as they journey together, we trust God that they remain committed to the mentoring and that the relationships bear much fruit.
- Pray for the Young Catalysts to have greater impact in their nations as they serve and for the training they have received so far to be a blessing in the nations they are serving in.
- Pray for the Lord to undertake for the Translation Team as they translate the materials for the YCDP.
- Pray for the Young Catalysts Area Coordinator (YCAC), the Africa Training Director, the Mentor Coordinator and the Translation Team for God's supernatural wisdom, strength, guidance, protection, and provision as they serve the Young Catalysts.

- Pray for God to be glorified as His will is done in and through the YCDP.

National Prayer Items

SOUTHERN REGION – Sheunesu Masuka

Team: Palmira Santos, Tshenolo Palai, Elri Engelbrecht, Dean Edwall, Mlamuli Motsa, Edward Shitute, Joshua Mwila, Sheunesu Masuka

Angola

- We thank the great and Almighty God for the countless blessings he has given us.
- We praise God for His movement and protection over our lives and for what he has done about YFC Angola.
- Pray for the National Conference that will be taking place in September for 3 days.
- Pray for the health of the National Director (Palmira Santos) who will be operated on August 18 to remove some nodules in her breasts.
- Pray for the wedding of the National Director that will take place in November.
- Pray for evangelism and discipleship that is taking place in all Provincial centres.
- Pray for Angola that will be holding elections on the 24th of August 2022 that they will be peaceful, transparent and that the Lord will choose the leader Himself.
- Pray for revival and renewal within YFC Angola.

Botswana

- Thank God for the school ministry openings this term and pray for more openings in the next term. Pray that we can continue distributing Sam Rowland's book to more students and prisoners.
- Praise God for a successful Youth Kairos camp (teaching about God's mission and helping them find their part in it) that we organised with OM Botswana. Pray for the 19 participants that the Lord will continue to guide them and sustain the passion they have now to become more involved in God's mission.
- Honour God for the sports ministry training that two volunteers just received for 3 weeks in South Africa. Pray for God's wisdom & guidance as they implement their sports ministry plan in Botswana.
- Please pray for our new National Director, Tshenolo Bobo Palai, who took over in early July. Pray for God's wisdom, guidance and encouragement as he settles in and adjusts to the new role.
- Pray also for Ember as she has just started her role as International Prayer Deputy Director as a part-time position, while still primarily focused on ministry in Botswana. Pray for wisdom and guidance to develop prayer and worship initiatives in Botswana that can be a model for other nations.
- Intercede for the Youth Alpha Film Series we are currently running online. Pray for good internet connections every Thursday and that the participants would stay engaged and interested for the whole 10-week series and be drawn closer to Christ.

eSwatini

- Praising God for Mlamuli Motsa as he continues to trust God to re-establish YFC in eSwatini.
- Church planting work continues as we trust God for provision & increase.
- Prayers as Mlamuli continues the work of ministry away from my family.
- Pray for Open doors and hearts as we preach the life giving gospel.

Malawi

- Give thanks for the get together in A/23
- Thank God for the young people being reached in our various centres.
- Praise God for the youth seminar held at Likuni centre, it was successful.
- Praise God for the addition of one board member.
- Pray for the upcoming college ministries at Malawi College of Health Sciences and Lilongwe Technical College this month,

Namibia

- We are grateful to God for His sustaining hand over our ministries, staff and volunteers.
- Protection over all our properties.
- Eristo's daughter Grace showing signs of improvement as she is still in hospital, Praise God!!
- We are grateful for every opportunity we have to share the gospel with young people.
- Please pray for our bookings register to be filled for August.

- Protection over our young people and children as schools have re-opened.
- Open doors at schools and churches so that the gospel can be shared.
- Continue to pray for Elri, Fiona and Joshua.
- Board meeting to be held in August, pray for direction knowledge and much wisdom for this meeting

South Africa

- Praises for committed staff & volunteers reaching out to the youth of our nation and for sustaining their health. Intercede for them to stay close to the Lord and enthusiastic in reaching out to young people and for good health.
- Honour the Lord for dedicated National and local board members. Pray for them for wisdom and commitment in executing their governance task and for new members where needed.
- Glorify the Father for giving us buildings, vehicles and properties to be used for ministry. Please pray for the protection of these – no break-ins or destruction and safe travels for all of us wherever we go, also trust Jesus for enough finances & resources, especially more bookings for the Cyara campsite.
- We are grateful for the very successful MORE Africa conference hosted by YFC Knysna and the positive feedback received, also for opportunities in our country to speak to young people, for open doors in institutions, schools & churches, etc. Ask the Holy Spirit to remind old and young about the Gospel-

truth they heard in the last month and that they would react positively to it.

Zambia

- Appreciate the Lord for YFCI family praying together.
- Pray for the ministry in Lusaka and Livingston.
- Bring our school and college outreach before the Lord. Pray for the volunteers running it.
- Covid is busy increasing again with deaths recorded, please pray for us.

Zimbabwe

- Praise God for the Lord's Shepherding of the Board, National Director, staff, volunteers, and supporters in July 2022.
- For the teens at BBS College that are growing spiritually.
- For the four new volunteers currently undergoing orientation and training.
- For fruitful ongoing ministry at the different centres in our nation.
- For the young people as schools close, for safety and protection during the holidays and holiday ministry programmes to bring in souls.
- Pray for Mthokozisi a young man with a stomach condition for God to heal him.
- Pray for the National Director and team as they go out on mission in Chinhoyi in partnership with Christian Cross ministries mid-August for journey mercies, fruitful ministry, strong relationship building with the churches, opening doors and opportunities for YFC.

- Pray for the Life Choices team ministering at Faith Christian Academy to be used mightily by the Lord.
- Pray for the team in Chinhoi as they run Undiluted at Chemagamba high school for God to transform hearts.
- Pray for Name the Game ministry to be fruitful in the month of August.
- Pray for youth battling addictions and substance abuse for the Lord to make a way out for them.
- Pray for the believing youth to reach out unashamedly to their peers with the gospel.
- May the Lord continue to raise up more staff, volunteers and supporters for the ministry.
- For God's blessing on Willow Park, for bookings to fill up in August and the upcoming months.
- For wisdom, instruction, protection, provision and more of the Holy Spirit to be poured out on our Board, ND, staff, volunteers, and supporters (prayer and financial).
- Pray for the nation of Zimbabwe as inflation continues to rise and life becomes unaffordable, for God to undertake for our nation, for believers to be the Church of Jesus Christ.

EAST INDIAN OCEAN ISLAND REGION – Cyril Palan

Team: Dylan Palan, Ravo Maharavo Fetra, Mervin Pool

Mauritius

- Praise God for continuous ministry after the restrictions has been lifted.

- Pray for the empowerment of our young people where the pandemic has reduced their faith and involvement.
- Pray for Dylan, our ND, for vision, boldness and spiritual awakening to move the ministry forward.
- Bring the relaunch of our sports ministry before the Lord.
- Pray for more evangelistic and prayer move for the ministry to grow.
- Pray for the ministry of our strategic plan.

Madagascar

- Praise The Lord for Rado and Lalaina (YFCM Bakaro) with the birth of their little girl calling ANAY, it's a great joy for the family and for YFC Madagascar to have her between us.
- Praise Our Almighty God that Ravo and Lalasoa with YFCM Amparafaravola team and the other NGO's and some local churches finished the Rally (event) on 22-23th July.
- Thanks God to see the good results from YFCM Moramanga, YFC's school calling FARA&DIMBY. Our young people were successful with their national exam BEPC. Specially thanks to Mme Irma from YFCM Tana to help their students at the last time.
- Pray together with YFCM Antsirabe, as they prepare Praise and Worship evening in August. They will meet with all young people and team from each ministry.
- Pray for Ravo (National Director) as he continue to build relationship with YFC Canada.

Reunion

- For the project of building a hosting centre for students as an evangelism tool.
- For the preparation of athletes for the 2023 Indian Ocean Games in 2023 In Madagascar.

WEST AFRICA ANGLOPHONE REGION - Sola Omoleolu

Team: Rene da Silva, Jackson Mensah, Favour Conteh, Sola Imoleolu, Seal Sylvester, Augustine Fredericks

Nigeria

- We bless the Lord for keeping our National Director, Board Members, staff, volunteers, partners and the young people in good and perfect peace.
- Thank God for the success of our staff quarterly meeting last month. Pray for grace for smooth implementation as we revisited our OKR's.
- Thank God for the success of West Africa National Directors meeting held in Lagos, Nigeria. It was an awesome time of fellowship and we believe God to set the West African Nations aflame with the power of His Spirit.
- Pray for peace in Nigeria. Terrorism, Banditry and Kidnapping is ever on the increase. Pray that God will grant our leaders wisdom to tackle these issues.
- Thank God for success of our Project 2KS Deliberate Discipleship Mobilization and Screening. Over 280 volunteers applied from different parts of the country. Pray for the success of the training which will be happening in 6 different states of the Country at different times.

Sierra Leone

- We thank God for taking us through another month and strengthen us as we serve in His vineyard. For His manifold blessing on all staff and volunteers.
- We thank God for divine protection as we go from place to place carrying the Good News of Christ. What a great privilege to be counted worthy to serve the Lord.
- Ask God to open more ministry doors for YFC Sierra Leone n that God will bring more competent workers into his vineyard
- Please pray for God's protection, provisions n blessing for all YFC Sierra Leone staff n volunteers

Ghana

- Thanksgiving and praise to God our Father who has seen us all through to this half year. Ghana is blessed with much wins as the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ still keeps all the Executives, staffs and volunteers with new souls covered in peace and love.
- Appreciate Father that thousands of souls have been won through the ministry of Ghana.
- Please pray for the people in the Northern sector of our country for more souls to be saved and for our dominance within the territory.
- Please bring our upcoming programs and activities before the Lord.

Guinea Bissau

- Praise the Lord for the evangelism team that has been extending the evangelism activity to some schools in Town to reach more young population.
- Praise God Tino Sá one of the boys recovered from the delinquency has been faithfully helping in the Spiritual Formation activities.
- Pray for our students as they continue to share about the good ness of God.
- Continue in prayer for the future Leadership Training Program for the young leaders.
- Submit the new government set in Guiné Bissau to Almighty.
- Pray against domestic violence, juvenile delinquency, poverty in Guinea Bissau.
- Pray for the growth of the group of people that are being followed by the discipleship team.

EAST AFRICA [EA] REGION - Luc

Dushimerugaba

Team: Euphrate Ndayizigiye, Jean Baptiste Mugarura, Shem Irungu, Roger Vangu, Miriam Koote, Zaburi Obadiah, Tagash Sahilu, James Thomas Ochuhu

Burundi

- Praise the Lord for Summer youth camp that happened from 19th to 23rd of July.
- Thank our Father for 50young people received Jesus Christ as their Lord and saviour for the very first time .

- Pray that these young ones will continue to follow Christ and make Him Known
- Pray for young people and students in summer holidays now for not adopting bad behaviour.

Rwanda

- We thank God for the successful end of 2021/2022 academic year at Kigali Christian School (KCS). Students and teachers in non-candidate classes are now in holidays. We also thank God for Primary Six students who completed doing the National Exams.
- Please pray for parents to take care of different needs of the students during the holidays.
- Church and youth workers to creatively organize holidays programs that intend to minister to the youth
- Young people during holidays to have hunger and thirsty for God and to remain health.
- Honor God for a successful summer camp that Kigali Christian School (KCS) has organized from 25 July to 26 August 2022. We hope to minister to students.
- Exalt Yahweh for the various discipleship ministries that have been going on through our six chapters, SLD and Spiritual Formation. Praise him for the construction permit that we were given by the City of Kigali to build more classes and girls dormitory. Give glory to Elohim for the YFC Rwanda 5 Strategic Plan that is about to be approved by the board of YFC Rwanda. We are working on it to incorporate the recommendation of board.
- Intercede for success of the School of Leadership and Discipleship Alumni Conference that is scheduled in August 24-28, 2022. Also pray for the recruitment process of SLD new candidates for 2022/2023 cohort.

- Pray for the training of volunteers about the ministry of prayer and YFC Prayer Movements which the Spiritual Formation Coordinator, Mr. Justin Birangwa plans to give in the Eastern Chapter on 5-6 August 2022. Lay the construction for students classes at KCS and girls dormitory at Kibagabaga and the upcoming plans of building schools in the Northern Chapter before the Lord.

Uganda

- We thank God for his generosity toward ministry & for all our partners through whom God has used to bless us. We pray that God may continue to bless them.
- Three of our pregnant teenagers in Mirembe House gave birth to healthy babies last month & we rejoice in the name of the Lord for that, we pray that God may continue to protect and provide for them and their babies.
- Stand with us in prayer for the Suubi Young mothers to pray for good health, commitment and wisdom as they taken on their course of study.
- Honor father, for the young people that have committed their lives to the Lord through all our outreaches and missions to the Eastern and Northern Uganda, please keep them in prayer for spiritual transformation and sustainability.
- Keep our outreach team in prayer as they continue to go for missions, pray for traveling mercies, protection, provision and God's presence as they reach out to the young people.
- We thank God for the Grace his has rendered us to serve along side teams that have visited us this period,

together we have seen God bless us and the young people we serve.

- We continue to pray for those in need, in prisons and for the sick, for God's helping hand to intervene.
- Above all we are so grateful to God for His Mercy endures forever.

Ethiopia

- Praise the Almighty God for the great work in regional chapter leadership conference conducted from July 14-17, 2022.
- Pray for those who attended the regional leadership conference to be established well in what they have taken from the conference.
- Pray for vacation bible school to be conducted for the kids around YFC office.
- Continue praying for connection point building.
- Ask the Almighty to send laborers for YFC Ethiopia.

Tanzania

- We praise Yahweh for building activities that going on for TYFC training center.
- Ask for God's favor towards Hope to the Hopeless Girls Project that starting from 1st August 2022. Ask for Girls live transformation through this Project.
- Keep YFC Staffs, volunteers and Board Member in God's Safety.

- Join us to trust God for Staff and Volunteers provision.

South Sudan

- Let's pray and trust God for the Success of the Social activity that will be carried out with Spiritual formation team and evangelism, thus visitation of orphanage, which will take place on August.
- Let's give thanks to God for providing us with small Camera for media use, as we trust God to do the same for the rest of media equipments.
- Let's pray for our volunteers who are in universities, may God be with them as they go on this journey of education.
- Let's pray for those who are job seekers may God provide for them amidst this hardship of economic inflation.
- Let's pray for South Sudan as large, may God give wisdom to the leaders to bring peace and achieve economic stability.

Kenya

- Growth and Visibility in all our weekly programs in all our centres.
- For our National Director Mr. Shem Irungu and the Board of Directors and all team leaders that the Lord may continue to sustain and favour them as our leaders to take us higher as a ministry.
- Unity and oneness may increase in our teams across the country.

- For successful camps and retreats between now and December, that many lives be changed and transformed.
- That the Lord may establish our 'Kimbiliyo Rescue centre for girls and empower the team for each case, that it may offer solutions to this Generation.

Congo

- Please pray for peace in Congo.
- Pray for young people in Congo to have vision from the Lord not listen to call in killing.
- Pray for protection over YFC family in Congo and whole Nation.

FRANCOPHONE REGION - Josue

Akowanou

Team: Anthelm Souhouin, Reuben Tamba
Komba

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- Pray for the board members for strong and effective boards.
- Pray for evangelism initiatives in the region.
- Ask for protection during travels.
- Pray for youth camps in Benin and Togo.

Thank you for taking out some time to pray for and with YFC Africa. May Abba bless your knee work

Much appreciated
Spiritual Formation Team

