

LET'S PRAY

A PRAYER AND MISSION UPDATE

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I THANK GOD FOR YOU!



I continue to thank God for your prayers and support for my ministry and family, they are much appreciated and heartfelt!

20:24 VISION

As with any mission organisation, part of my role as a Missionary is to raise financial support towards my role and ministry. I would be really grateful for any support you feel led to give.

This year I am looking for 24 people to prayerfully consider giving a £20 monthly gift towards my ministry costs (this is just a suggestion, smaller amounts would be appreciated too). Regular gifts are especially helpful as they keep ministry sustainable.

In Philippians 4, Paul describes the church's financial partnership in mission as a 'beautiful fragrance' and my hope is that any partnership will be a blessing to you. If you feel led to give, please email or text me using the details above or scan the QR code opposite!



MISSIONAL SEASONS IN HARINGEY



It has very much been a change in seasons in Haringey. Three of the five partnerships we had with churches have now finished, with another finishing in May. Spending such a long period of time getting to know a church, their leadership and people and then weekly doing missional stuff with them in the community for a year is such a privilege.

We've seen people who were quite fearful to share the gospel with people in their everyday life, much less knock on a 'strangers' door on the roads around their church and try and get to know them.

But after some training, encouraging and (literally) walking alongside them, we've seen many people across Haringey find a confidence and excitement to be sharing the gospel with people.

At the core of our work as a team and a mission is to equip everyday Christians to introduce people to Jesus if they don't know him, and to equip those that know him to make him known.

And we've been blessed to have members of the churches that we've been working with volunteer to come along to the new churches that we'll be partnering with this year and help encourage and train the people there. This really is a bonus that we didn't expect!

At a recent review meeting, one church leader commented:

"The last twelve months have been life changing for some of our people. I've seen members who normally wouldn't pray in a small group now leading from the front and encouraging others to get involved in the mission work".

As our time has freed up during the week, we've been spending time as a team reviewing the great work that God has had us doing. Celebrating what's gone well, and reflecting on and learning from the challenges we faced along the way.

We are in the final stages of signing partnerships with four new churches who we'll be coming alongside for the next twelve months, and the team and I are excited to get started!



Please be praying for:

- The people we've been working with to continue to reach out to people in their everyday lives and community with the Good News of Jesus
- For my team and I as we begin to get to know the new churches and their people that God has blessed us with working with this year

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SUMMER LINKUP 2024



Plans are underway for **this summer's LiNKUP**. We're looking forward to gathering with the young people again for a week of fun, (amazing!) food, and faith. It was bitter sweet last summer, as we said goodbye to some of the young people who have been coming along since the first LiNKUP, as they're now too old to come back this year. Thankfully though, three of them will be **returning as leaders!** We're looking forward to help to raise them into confident, christian leaders. We'll be back down in Aldershot this year, and the theme is going to be **'Everyday Faith'** - helping the young people to answer the questions around how they can live out their faith as young people in London in 2024!

Please be praying for:

- The team and I as we plan the various aspects of the LiNKUP, especially the spiritual/teaching programme
- For the three young people returning as leaders for the first time this year. That the Lord will prepare their hearts and energy levels for LiNKUP leadership
- For the hearts of the young people. For those that already know Jesus to leave feeling encouraged and equipped in their faith and for those who don't yet know Jesus, to meet and encounter him for the first time!

THE NORTH REGION

The **LCM Haringey team** is one of four teams that make up the North London Region. I'd love you to be **praying** for some of the amazing work that is going on across **North London**. Here are a few prayer points:

Camden Team

Give thanks for the renewal of the partnership with Euston Church, and for the commitment and for the dedication of the street outreach volunteers going out every Sunday.

Enfield Team

Pray for the recruitment process for a **new missionary** for the team, who will be focusing on equipping churches in the area to be reaching out to and getting to know **Turkish Muslims** and people of **other faiths**.

Islington Team

Give thanks for a recent new **partnership** with **St Giles Church**, and for the journey ahead over the coming months with the people there.



FAMILY TINGS



Asanté has settled back into Dutch life. She has started volunteering again with a local refugee charity, which she loves! **Pray for her as she helps to make people who are far from home feel at home.**

Zakiyah is enjoying life out in Canada. It's looking like she will be staying for the full two years (till next February). We are hoping to get out there or for her to get home later in the year! **Pray for her as she continues to enjoy Canada life, and for a reunion on her side of the pond next year!**

Denim recently started a new job working for a private hospital in Central London. She has really hit the ground running, and is enjoying meeting, greeting, and booking in the patients (some of whom are quite famous!). **Pray for her as she continues to get used to her new role.**

Jayden has asked for prayer for continuing to improve his health and fitness, for strength to support those close to him, and for the upcoming busy period at work. As the weather warms up, more young people are out on the streets and in the youth centre he helps to run in Haringey, which brings many challenge.



LONDON CITY MISSION - NEW VISION, SAME GOSPEL!

The heart of London City Mission's work and vision has always been for people – especially those on the margins – to turn to the Lord Jesus.

One hundred or so missionaries working on their own cannot meet the urgent need of a city of millions of people who haven't heard the gospel.

Over three million people in London say they have no Christian friend to tell them about Jesus or invite them to church.

That's why London City Mission is now concentrating on working with churches, equipping ordinary Christians to share with confidence the good news of Jesus with the least reached in their own communities.

The impact of our new approach will be flourishing and growing churches on council estates and among minority ethnic communities, with diverse membership and leadership that is committed to evangelism to the least reached, and equipped to do it.

- Graham Miller, Chief Executive

For myself and my team here in Haringey, this means us now spending our time reaching out to and getting to know the churches in our area; who their leaders/workers are; how we can be praying for/with them, and seeking ways to come alongside them to encourage and equip them and their congregations to share the gospel with people in their area and everyday lives who are least likely to come into contact with a Christian.

Please pray for the London City Mission as we continue to work with the churches of London, and for many more people across the city to come to know Jesus as their Saviour!