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## FELLOW WORKERS FOR THE TRUTH

Greetings in the precious name of our Lord Jesus Christ! As I sit down to write this letter, my heart is overflowing with gratitude for each one of you. As the director of our mission agency, I have the incredible privilege of witnessing firsthand the impact of your prayers and financial support on our 19 families serving in cross-cultural ministry in 10 different countries and the 10-40 Window. Many of you are also instrumental in our ministry with our national missionary partners in Uruguay and Mexico. Your faithful support in both prayer and finances makes their work possible. We truly could not do what we do without your unwavering partnership.

The Lord challenged my heart this morning as I read in the Epistle of **3 John**. In **verses 5-8**, we read of the example of hospitality set by Gaius and the church he pastored. Their reputation for practical love for the brothers and strangers is a wonderful example of partnership in ministry. They were exhorted by John to send these workers on their way in a **manner worthy of the Lord**. So, not only were they supporting these workers, but on a deeper level, they were supporting the Lord and His work. **Verse 8** further solidifies the Biblical pattern of missionary support when it says, **"We ought to support people like these, that we may be fellow workers for the truth."** That is who each of you are, fellow workers for the truth. I am reminded of Paul's encouragement given to the church at

Philippi who had partnered with him in his ministry. In **Philippians 4:19**, after reminding them of their faithfulness in financially supporting his ministry, he declares, **"But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."** Since they helped supply the needs of their missionary, God promised to supply their needs.



This summer, we have the privilege of hosting another one of EMU International's missionary families for a short-term trip. Missionaries Kornel and Tanja Crnković are traveling to the USA for a short furlough on July 8-August 19. Their travels will take them through New York City and then a weekend in Connecticut. They will also minister in Tennessee, Indiana, Ohio, Alabama, and South Carolina.

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As of this writing, we still have a few services open and would love to schedule them to present their work in your church. They have Sunday morning, August 4, and Sunday evening August 18, for meetings in the Greenville, SC, area (within a three-hour drive). They are available for meetings in the Southeast on Wednesday, August 7 and 14. They plan to meet with individual partners in the Greenville area on August 1-6, and 15-17. They need to raise more support, so if you or your church would be interested in hearing more about their ministry, I would love to talk to you and plan for a time when they can connect.



Be sure to read the article "The Rick's Projects for August 2024" in this month's EMU International newsletter. Rick Jensen is planning another **work trip to Uruguay for August 10-17**. God used several short-term mission trips to work in my heart to redirect my ministry from the pastorate to now serving as the director of EMU. If you have never served on a short-term mission trip, this may be a good opportunity for you to consider. You can view information and even donate to the projects by following this link: <https://emuinternational.org/ricktrip/>.

If you or someone you know would like more information on this trip to serve at Camp Emmanuel, please let me know. You can email me at [jeff@emuinternational.org](mailto:jeff@emuinternational.org) or call me at (864) 617-7156.



Happy 1st Birthday to our little All-Star, Jud! In just one year, you've hit it out of the park, sliding into our hearts like the Rookie of the Year you are. Your first lap around the bases has been nothing short of a grand slam, and we can't wait to see you run the bases of life with the same joy and enthusiasm. Keep swinging for the fences, little champ, because in this game of life, you're our MVP! Here's to many more years of home runs and happiness.



# Prayer Corner

- Many people don't realize that Joanna and I are supported like other missionaries and need churches and friends who will partner with us monthly. Please pray with us that God would raise an army of ministry partners who will help hold the rope for us by supporting us financially and through prayer.
- We are also praying about a new travel vehicle. God blessed us last year with a used van for us to drive around town. We need something more reliable though for my travels. **Our 2011 Toyota Camry has been an excellent vehicle but requires major repairs and needs to be replaced.**
- Continue to pray for healing for Joanna's hip. She has been told that she needs to have it replaced. She does not want to have surgery so she is trying some natural supplements and exercises.
- Pray for God to grant wisdom as EMU International moves forward in the days ahead. We are praying that the Lord of the Harvest will send laborers into His harvest and we desire to be a part of His plan.



## We NEED PARTNERS

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

- Yes, I/We desire to partner with the Davis family
- I/We are committed to regularly pray for the Davis family
- As the Lord leads and enables, I/we desire to commit to support the Davis family as follows
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- Other \$ \_\_\_\_/month  One Time Gift \$ \_\_\_\_

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