

4 | Thu | REPLACEMENT LEADERSHIP

At the GRN Council meeting next year (2019), several national directors, global ministry coordinators and regional coordinators will retire from their roles. Praise God for their faithful service, and ask Him to fill these roles with those He has prepared.

5 | Fri | FRANZ BROSCHE



"For the last couple of years, all my work at GRN has gone into the 5fish app. Now I am ready to take on other projects as well. Pray that I will be able to contribute where it is most needed and helpful, and that I will quickly develop any new skills that I need for the tasks ahead."

6 | Sat | PNG

Give thanks for the faithful efforts of several people who have been doing preliminary work towards restarting ministry in PNG. Please pray for great wisdom and insight for those involved.

7 | Sun | FRANK CAGUIN



"Pray that God will provide prayer and financial ministry partners to meet my increasing demands of ministry both here and overseas."

8 | Mon | ELISE COOPER



Recordist training has become a significant global focus. This year, please pray that as the curriculum is finalised and online training content is developed and tested, that it will equip recordists to carry out an effective recording ministry.

9 | Tue | CHRIS & CHERYL MASON



Pray for Chris as he continues working on some older recordings so they can be made available for downloading from the GRN website. Please also pray for wisdom for Cheryl as she refines recording information in GRN's extensive database.

10 | Wed | ROB MCDONELL



Pray for Rob as he coordinates the work of the Information Systems teams in Australia and the USA. Pray for all the work of these teams in keeping all our systems up and running, and staying in touch with advances in technology that can further advance the work of GRN.

11 | Thu | GRAHAM SCHABEL



Please pray for the right recording and computer equipment in the field. Pray for the equipment, for how it is used, and for ongoing training.

12 | Fri | LAKHA OF BHUTAN

There are 8,000 Lakha people living in central Bhutan. They are descendants of yak herding communities, follow Buddhism, and are oral communicators with no Christian resources in their language. Pray that a recordist from GRN will be able to visit them soon and record the good news.

13 | Sat | SOUTH AMERICA

Praise God for faithful workers in Brazil that travel into remote areas to record and distribute sensitive languages. Pray for workers to distribute many of the 600 languages already recorded for the South American continent.

14 | Sun | MINISTRY PARTNERS

Pray for opportunities to present GRN to interested churches and individuals. Pray for GRN staff who need ministry partners for prayer and financial support.

15 | Mon | GEOFF WONG



Pray for GRN promotions at the South-west Evangelism and Training Conference (SWEATCON) from 16th-19th January. Pray for opportunities to link with churches from the multi-cultural area of south-west Sydney.

16 | Tue | AMY ANDERSON



Amy has been accepted to study full-time at SMBC. Pray that a suitable replacement administration worker will be found soon. We give thanks for Amy's valuable contribution to GRN, and pray God's richest blessings on her during this new and exciting step in her life.

17 | Wed | INDIA

GRN leaders are continuing to explore potential ministry options in India. Pray for God's clear leading and for his mercy to allow GRN to serve the church and people of India.

18 | Thu | BANGLADESH

Give thanks for James our Director and the team. Pray for God's guidance and protection as they work in a difficult environment. Pray for Ranjan and Habib as they work on script translation and recording. Please pray for good language helpers, a quiet and safe place to record, and for useful materials which will bring those who hear to faith in Christ.

19 | Fri | DALENE JOUBERT (SOUTH AFRICA)

Pray for Dalene as she arrives in Sydney today for training and to plan for upcoming meetings and training of ministry partners in South Africa.

20 | Sat | HELEN SADLER



Pray for Helen as she maintains GRN'S database. Pray especially for accuracy and attention to detail.

21 | Sun | DENNIS & GLENYS TRANTER



Pray for our new foster children Nikarita (12) and Jai (16), as they arrive from Borroloola NT to start school this year. Pray for the finances for car engine repairs as we prepare for a mid-year recording trip to the Northern Territory.

22 | Mon | GERRY GUTIERREZ (USA)

Pray for Language Tracking Coordinator, Gerry

Gutierrez after her recent trip to Africa. Pray for effective follow-up with the huge amount of data that she gathered on languages and peoples.

23 | Tue | GRN PHILIPPINES

The Philippines team is working on developing prayer and financial supporters from within the Philippines. This is a vitally important pilot project which aims to allow the work of GRN to grow around the world. Please pray. Give thanks for encouraging early signs and ask our Lord to provide Filipino Christian people who will be willing to invest their time and resources in the work of GRN and the staff.

24 | Wed | SOUTH AFRICA

Due to changes in local laws, Dalene Joubert needs someone who will be dedicated to visiting businesses and presenting GRN as an organisation worthy of receiving their mandatory charity donations. Ask our Lord to raise up such a person for this important task.

25 | Thu | PAKISTAN

Give thanks for the GRN team as they work to make Christ known in the minority languages of Pakistan. Pray for the team as they educate the church about the many tribes of Pakistan and encourage them to take the Gospel to these people. Pray for good partnerships to develop between local congregations and GRN Pakistan, so that the tribes of Pakistan might hear the story of Jesus in their own language.

26 | Fri | FROM PAKISTAN

"We sent 285 SD cards to our field partners in October. Please pray that these messages will change the lives of many who hear the Gospel in their own mother tongue."

27 | Sat | ADMIN TEAM

Give thanks for our promotions, finance and admin staff. They keep you informed about God's work around the world, through GRN and our partners. They manage the books, and keep the office running. Ask our Lord to bless their work.

28 | Sun | VIVIAN AJAWIN

"Pray for our daughter Mer as she begins Year 12, that she will adjust well and focus on her study." Also, give thanks

for Yousif's recent recording trip. Pray that those messages will be used mightily to draw many to Christ.

29 | Mon | MYANMAR

Give thanks for David and Naing Oo and their faithful work in recording, distribution and making the work of GRN known throughout the church in Myanmar.

30 | Tue | THAILAND

Pray for good recording opportunities, the motorcycle gospel team reaching into remote areas, and for transformed lives as people hear the good news in their own languages. Give thanks for the Thai team as they work diligently, and develop good relationships with those they serve.

31 | Wed | GRN PUBLICATIONS

Pray for the publications that GRN produces: that we may be wise in the promotion of GRN ministry, so that our publications are informative but don't pose a threat to GRN members working in sensitive situations.

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"Rejoice always; pray without ceasing; in everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

1 Thessalonians 5:16 -18 NIV

GRN AUSTRALIA / NEW ZEALAND PRAYER GUIDE

1 | Mon | NEW YEARS DAY

"The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in Him, and he helps me. My heart leaps for joy, and with my song I praise Him." (Psalm 28:7)

2 | Tue | JAMES THOMAS



We give thanks for the usefulness of our 5fish app. A user recently wrote this in their public review of the app: "This is one of the best ways to share the Gospel, for me. I speak only 3 languages. The app does it in more than 5,000 languages and dialects. Blessed be everyone who hears the word and believes." (translated from German).

3 | Wed | KENNY & JOAN MCKEE (GRN UK)

Kenny and Joan recently travelled to Belarus to make music recordings with a Christian Roma group who speak the Baltic Romani language. Many of the Roma people don't read well, so using these songs, they can tell the Gospel story to others.