

February 2021

Your Daily Prayers

Feb 11: World Day of the Sick

Feb 13: World Radio Day

Feb 17: Ash Wednesday

Feb 20: World Day of Social Justice

Monday, February 1

AUSTRALIA During COVID-19 many people have continued to purchase products through The Leprosy Mission Website. Praise God for this provision.

Tuesday, February 2

INDIA The Mobile Van for helping people affected by leprosy and disability has been a real blessing during COVID-19 as it has been able to reach people during lockdowns. Praise God!

Wednesday, February 3

THAILAND Give thanks for the wonderful creativity of the artisans at McKean who produce such beautiful Easter cards for purchase in The Leprosy Mission Shop and gift catalogue.

Thursday, February 4

AUSTRALIA Give thanks for all the school children who support children affected by leprosy overseas through their various local fundraising activities. May they continued to be inspired. And may God bless them richly.

Friday, February 5

GLOBAL Nearly 40% of leprosy cases are women. Women with leprosy often face triple discrimination – please pray for all the Leprosy Mission Fellowships can adequately support and advocate successfully for the needs of women affected by leprosy.

Saturday, February 6

TIMOR LESTE The Leprosy Mission frequently conducts advocacy work with community leaders, village police, teachers

and medical officers. Please pray these efforts would raise awareness about the needs and rights of people affected by leprosy.

Sunday, February 7

GLOBAL Give thanks for the sharing of fundraising materials between different country offices in The Leprosy Mission Global Fellowship. Give thanks for this openness which saves money and resources.

Monday, February 8

AUSTRALIA Give thanks for sponsors committed to regular monthly gifts for specific countries. Pray there will be others who will help ensure a consistent amount to supply ongoing care for people affected by leprosy in the countries we support.

Tuesday, February 9

INDONESIA Indramayu, where our project is, is one of the poorest districts in West Java. Please pray this project will be able to accelerate leprosy case finding and strong community involvement.

Wednesday, February 10

TIMOR LESTE This year The Leprosy Mission Timor Leste will be inaugurated as a local mission. May God bless the process!

Thursday, February 11

GLOBAL Today is World Day of the Sick. This is a day to take time to pray for those who are sick. Those who are close to you, and those with leprosy.

Friday, February 12

GLOBAL Even during the pandemic leprosy research has continued. Please pray for breakthroughs and wisdom as people around the world research more effective ways to diagnose, prevent and treat leprosy.

Saturday, February 13

GLOBAL Today is World Radio Day. Many Leprosy Mission countries use radio to help people understand leprosy. Praise God for the amazing medium of radio.

Sunday, February 14

NIGERIA Thanks to supporters, people affected by leprosy in Nigeria can get vital leprosy treatment. Please pray people would be able to safely access this treatment.

Monday, February 15

AUSTRALIA Give thanks for all the faithful Total Leprosy Care (TLC) supporters who have committed to giving monthly, and ongoing, to help people affected by leprosy throughout their lives. May they also receive tender loving care and wonderful blessings from Our Father.

Tuesday, February 16

INDIA The Leprosy Mission Trust India is working with the Indian Government on better understanding the gaps and challenges in the assessment of leprosy related disabilities. Please pray this work would result in better services for people affected by leprosy.

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Wednesday, February 17

GLOBAL Today is Ash Wednesday. For many Christians this means the start of Lent and preparing hearts and minds to remember what Jesus accomplished on the cross for humanity. Please pray people would experience the love of Jesus.

Thursday, February 18

PAPUA NEW GUINEA Pursuing COVID-19 safety through social distancing has meant programs take longer to deliver, as fewer people can attend training and awareness days. Please pray the team will still be able to reach the planned number of participants.

Friday, February 19

NEPAL Give thanks that the ground-breaking new ulcer treatment being trialled at Anandaban Leprosy Mission Hospital is continuing to prove successful.

Saturday, February 20

GLOBAL Today is World Day of Social Justice. Pray for a fair, peaceful and prosperous coexistence within and among nations. Pray for the removal of the many barriers that people face because of their gender, age, race, ethnicity, religion, culture or disability.

Sunday, February 21

AUSTRALIA Last year was a difficult year for the artisans who create products for the catalogues, due to COVID-19. Give thanks for the Australian shoppers who purchased their products helping them have an income.

Monday, February 22

INDIA The pandemic and nationwide lockdown meant many had to go hungry.

The Leprosy Mission Trust was able to provide 60,000 people with cooked meals. Give thanks for this provision.

Tuesday, February 23

TIMOR LESTE Please pray for the board of The Leprosy Mission Timor Leste, that they will provide appropriate strategic guidance during this year.

Wednesday, February 24

PAPUA NEW GUINEA The team in Western Province have been trialling a tool called "LEARNS" which allows remote diagnosis of leprosy. Please pray this would be successful.

Thursday, February 25

GLOBAL Leprosy Missions around the world have been working with new social distancing and personal protective equipment guidelines. Give thanks for the protection these provide, and that these measures would protect staff and participants.

Friday, February 26

NEPAL The Anandaban Leprosy Mission Hospital is helping the fight against COVID-19 through setting up a COVID-19 laboratory. Please pray for safety for all those who test, and for those who are tested.

Saturday, February 27

GLOBAL Since 2018, 43 discriminatory laws have been repealed. Praise God for the hardworking advocacy teams, which include people affected by leprosy.

Sunday, February 28

INDIA Give thanks for the advocacy team who work tirelessly to overturn laws and advocate for people affected by leprosy across India. May the work of their hands be blessed and may justice reign.



Thank you for not giving up on people affected by leprosy. Thank you for faithfully following Jesus and helping children like Bishal in Nepal. Your generous heart is giving families like Lalsari and Bishal's, hope for the future. Are you following Bishal and Lalsari's story?

You can continue help theirs, and other families, endure through every circumstance, through your faithful prayers and your thoughtful Gift of Total Leprosy Care (TLC). By becoming a regular monthly TLC Giver you will provide the essential ongoing support to people like Lalsari and Bishal. Families affected by leprosy desperately need regular care and support so that they can once again live a full life in their community. Please call 1800 LEPROSY (1800 537 767) or visit leprosymission.org.au/tlc and continue following their story today...