

Dear Chelten Family,

We have a missions-minded God. From the very beginning, after Adam and Eve sinned, we see God's heart on display as he moves toward his people in love to restore them to himself. God has continued to take the gracious initiative to rescue and redeem humans from their sin and bring them into his loving family forever. At the incarnation, the Son of God humbled himself and became human to seek and save the lost by laying down his life as an atonement for sin.

Today, God's great missionary commission continues today through the Church, God's Spirit-empowered representatives on earth. Although methods, audiences and destinations have changed over the centuries, the message of Jesus Christ has not. God has called his people to be his witnesses on earth, loving people through our actions and proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all people. This includes your neighbors, coworkers and people you run into every day. This also includes people groups on the other side of the world who would otherwise never hear of Jesus Christ.

Chelten is privileged to join God in his mission in many ways. In this guide you will find information about various missionaries and ministries with whom Chelten is in relationship. Some are serving in our local community and others are spread around the globe. Some serve in evangelism, Christian education, or pastoral roles and others serve through ministries such as education, medicine or business.

No matter where or how they serve, all would acknowledge that this is an entire church effort. Your prayers, sacrificial giving and words of encouragement are all used by the Lord to further his kingdom here on earth. Thank you for your prayers and your partnership in the Gospel.

Missions Committee:

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Chelten Missions

Colossians 4:2-6

² Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. ³ And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains. ⁴ Pray that I may proclaim it clearly, as I should. ⁵ Be wise in the way you act toward outsiders; make the most of every opportunity. ⁶ Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone.

Chelten Prayer Guide

Chelten Missions Prayer Guide is a resource to help you become familiar with our mission families who are passionately seeking to make God known in diverse cultures around the globe. This tool is designed to be used as a prayer guide to present each family to God on a regular basis. Prayer is an essential ingredient to their spiritual growth and usefulness in the hands of God. Let's be a church who prays for the ones who represent us in other locations and cultures.

How to Pray for Missionaries

The missionary's own relationship to God (2 Peter 3:18)

- Pray that he/she will abide in Christ and feed on God's Word and for a deep prayer life.
- Pray for him/her to be filled with the Holy Spirit, not depending on their own efforts.

The missionary's physical & emotional life (2 Thess. 2:16-17)

- Pray for good health as they live and work in difficult climates where diseases are prevalent.
- Pray for safety. Travel is often hazardous, whether by air, bus, car or foot.
- Pray for deliverance from loneliness, discouragement and depression.
- Pray for the missionary's financial, physical, spiritual and emotional needs to be met.

The missionary's family (Ephesians 5:21)

- Pray for a strong marriage and for wisdom in parenting.
- Pray for children's educational needs, safety and health and that they would grow to love the Lord.
- Pray for their family at home. Pray especially for the needs of elderly parents or children in college or those living on their own.

The missionary's ability to communicate (2 Timothy 4:2)

- Pray for ability to learn the language and understand the culture. Pray they will adapt to the culture.
- Pray for effectiveness in communicating the gospel.
- Pray for time and discipline to communicate with supporters and others at home.

The missionary's ministry (2 Thessalonians 3:1-3)

- Pray for open doors, boldness and empowerment by the Holy Spirit.
- Pray for discernment and understanding in decision making.
- Pray for effective use of time, and that God will show them where the harvest is ripe.

The missionary's interpersonal relationships (John 17:21)

- Pray for the missionary's relationship with fellow missionaries: for unity, grace and understanding.
- Pray for the missionary's relationship with national workers.
- Pray against Satan sowing the spirit of discord.

The missionary's country of service (Colossians 4:2-5)

- Pray for political stability and peace.
- Pray for its government and leaders.

Our Missionary Family



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Valerie serves as the New York City Area Director for ISI. Her current role includes outreach and discipleship among international students, as well as training and oversight of volunteers and staff members. She desires to connect missional believers with opportunities to serve and reach international students.



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Bianca works as a pediatrician at Children's Hospital of Phila. while Bill serves in campus ministry at Temple, Drexel and Penn. Bill's passion is reaching young men and international students who don't know Jesus. He also focuses on equipping students to impact their campus, future workplace and world for Christ. If you change the campuses of today, you change the world of tomorrow!



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Nathan has served in the Middle East since 2014. His ministry mainly consists of prayer, conversational evangelism and encouraging and discipling local believers. He has a heart to see the Good News proclaimed in unreached and church-less areas.



BILL & KRISTIE CAMPBELL

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Bill and Kristie work in evangelism, discipleship multiplication and church planting in the Greater Paris Region. The Campbell's vision encompasses the entire region of 13 million Parisians. They pray daily for additional workers.



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Martha has served in Ecuador for 43 years with Reach Beyond. She works in community development teaching health concepts and helping to put gravity-fed water systems in communities with no running water. Martha is involved in Bible studies, girls clubs and a children's Bible club.



CHARIOTS FOR HOPE

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Chariots for Hope exists to honor God by loving, nurturing, and providing for vulnerable and orphaned children by leading and sustaining holistically healthy children's homes in Kenya. They seek to provide these children with opportunity and hope so that they develop into exemplary citizens, leaders and followers of Jesus Christ. Chelten partners specifically with Chariot's Maai Mahiu Children's Home.



JEFF & ANDREA EADS
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Jeff and Andrea have spent their careers in ministry to college students, including right here at Chelten. Both became believers as students at Ball State University and returned there to serve in campus ministry to students, faculty and staff. The Eads' ministry focus is on leadership development and outreach.



CRADLE OF HOPE

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Cradle of Hope exists to minister to the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of single mothers and their children through transitional housing and support services.



RICHARD & AMANDA COLEMAN

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The Colemans are trainers, mobilizers, and consultants for EvaSUE, the largest country-focused campus ministry in the world. In addition to their work with EvaSUE, the Colemans partner with a number of other projects ranging from Bible and food distribution to small business support. No matter what work they find themselves doing, they try their best to do it under local leadership.



RICHARD

seeJesus Eurasia Coordinator

Richard equips and multiplies lovers of Jesus worldwide with seeJesus, a global discipleship mission. His desire is that the church will see and reflect Jesus, and will be equipped to help others know Jesus and become like him. Richard has trained over 3,300 church leaders in 17 countries.



HARVEST USA

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Harvest USA brings the truth and mercy of Jesus Christ by helping individuals and families affected by sexual struggles and by providing resources that address biblical sexuality to individuals and churches.

Harvest seeks to partner with and equip the Church in bringing the power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to transform the lives of those affected by sexual sin.



LARRY & LAURA HOFFERT

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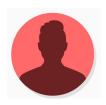
Larry serves as the camp program director and absolutely loves his job of facilitating environments where spiritual learning and growth can take place. This Wisconsin camp serves a variety of groups and campers of varying ages. Laura works with women's ministry and cares for their kids. Their desire is to share Christ's love with all their guests.



JOHN & LORI KEMPEN

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John and Lori, with their three children, live in Ethiopia. They are establishing a Christian eye care and training institute that will provide outstanding ophthalmic and spiritual care for patients while relieving a desperate need to train local doctors and alleviate the high rate of treatable and preventable blindness.



"MAFDI"

Serving in the Middle East MAFDI trains leaders in the *Person of Jesus* materials in the Middle East.



HOLLY MCCLEERY

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After serving 9 years as a nurse-midwife in West Africa, Holly returned to the WEC base in Fort Washington in 1995 to take on the leadership of WEC's short-term department—she is passionate about facilitating opportunities for people to serve overseas. Holly has also served in the areas of IT, website development, deputy director of WEC USA, and as a Branch Council member. She also served for 10 years as WEC's International Short-Term Missions Coordinator overseeing all the short-term programs in WEC.



DEBBIE MURPHY

CrossWorld

Debbie has worked with Crossworld in Puebla, Mexico, for 14 years. She made a short term transition (about 2 years) to Guatemala, to work with her parents at the Guatemala Bible Seminary, helping in the Missions Department among other things. She still teaches the first 6 introductory lessons for an email discipleship course with a website called ObreroFiel.com. She hopes to make regular visits to Puebla with the intention of returning in the future as the Lord leads.



JUDY MURPHY

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Judy works full time at the Christian Academy of Guatemala discipling and helping to strengthen the skills of students who learn differently. In addition, she teaches a Bible study for domestic maids and a youth Sunday school class. Other ministry opportunities may include teaching Bible classes or speaking at conferences.



JIM & DANIELA PITMAN
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Jim and Daniela have worked with CLC for 25 years. Jim heads up CLC's Multi-Language Media and Publishing operations, while Daniela serves in the finance department. They are focused on reaching the immigrant population in the USA by providing foreign-language Bibles and outreach materials in over 125 languages. Jim serves on the board of CLC as well as serving as an elder at Chelten.



SOPHIA WANG SEND International swang@send.org

Sophia serves with SEND where she networks to develop partnerships for the promotion of unity and diversity within the global church and its workforce through workshops and training. She looks forward to seeing God multiply a diverse workforce sent out into his harvest fields. She currently attends Chelten where you can seek her out and get to know her!



JEFF & JULIE

Jeff and Julie work with iBam whose mission is to facilitate the growth of God's kingdom through specialized discipleship in biblical entrepreneurship. The businesses seek to build the local church through tithing, social good and disciple making in marginalized communities that have little knowledge of Jesus.



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Mr. & Mrs. Williams are working to give least reached people, who have not heard of Jesus or perhaps even met a Christian, the opportunity to connect with believers and the Gospel through their mobile phones, social media accounts and internet searches. Mr. Williams lead the multiagency Mobile Ministry Forum and Mrs. Williams works in WEC's candidate department preparing new missionaries for service.



"SOFIA"

Sofia seeks to reach people with the Good News through creative opportunities in an undisclosed location. She appreciates your prayers.



TOM & ALICIA VOSTERS
World Team

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God has called Tom and Alicia, along with their two sons, Mason and Camryn, to plant reproducing churches in Cambodia and disciple new believers. Cambodia is a majority Buddhist country where less than two percent of the population is evangelical.



DAVID & ESTHER ZIMMERMAN

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Esther is based at Lancaster Bible College where she coordinates the Children and Family Ministry and Women in Christian Ministry degree programs. In addition, she works closely with BCM International's *In Step with the Master Teacher* training project and the leadership team of the Global Children's Forum. Her passion is multiplication of ministry to children through equipping leaders.

Our Retired Missionaries



BOB & SANDY BARBER BCM International 631 Harrison St, Emmaus, PA 18049 barberbcm@gmail.com

Bob and Sandy began their ministry in Scotland and later Bob became field director of Eastern Europe. They conducted teacher training and recruited staff to expand the ministry to adults and youth. They continue to work with the *In Step with the Master* training program developed by their daughter, Esther Zimmerman.



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Literature work, translation, friendship evangelism, teaching and more have all been done by Will and Rhoda. They spent much of their overseas time in countries in the Middle East and Central Asia and have a genuine love for those peoples and cultures. They now support the prayer ministry at Chelten.



GREG & RANDI GREGOIRE Cru 553 Newbury Ct, Sellersville, PA 18960

Greg and Randi served for many years with Campus Crusade for Christ (Cru). Greg was responsible for placing the *JESUS* film in other countries and made many trips into Russia and the Ukraine to teach biblical ethics and morals. Randi taught a staff ladies Bible study and English in China. They now volunteer in their local church.



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Clyde and Edith have been with Camino Global at their Bible school for more than 35 years. Clyde taught missions and music and served as the maintenance engineer. Edith is school nurse and dietician. Both delight in seeing former students pastor churches or return to teach at the school. Guatemala continues to be their home.



TOM & BEV KELLY

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Tom and Bev began a second career following retirement and served for a number of years in Mongolia. Tom returned to the states to serve as assistant to the international director for Pioneers. Tom assisted in strategic planning and leadership development around the world. They now serve in their local church.



DAVE & ANNA GAY NEWELL

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Dave and Anna Gay served with Trans World Radio—1966-1987, Source of Light Ministries—1987-2016, and Neighborhood Gospel Missions which ministers to all ages through chapel programs, Bible correspondence courses, summer camps, and senior citizen's ministries. They recently retired after serving 50 years with the ministry, and still serve in their local church.



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For 35 years the Shaws taught Kenyan university students how to integrate their faith with their learning to become influencers for Christ in their communities. Mark still works with PhD candidates and is director of the Center for the Study of World Christianity at Africa International University, Both Mark and Lois continue to write.



MARI FNF VANDENBOS

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Marlene, along with her late husband Bert, ministered for years to people struggling with grief and physical and emotional disabilities. Since retiring Marlene has returned to her home town of Grand Rapids and is working with a senior ministry in her local church.



GARY & BETTY STEVENSON

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Serving with Frontiers for 35 years, the goal of Gary and Betty's ministry was to plant churches that lead to church planting movements in Muslim majority countries. Gary served as mobilizer, coach and member of a crisis management team to encourage and equip those who share the same vision.



TOM & NANCY TELFORD

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Tom's ministry involved mobilizing churches for effective involvement in world evangelization. He consulted with hundreds of churches helping them write policy and train members for missionary service. What he enjoyed most was training teams to lead their church in missions, while still consulting in missions.

How might the Lord use you to be a faithful witness of Christ to all peoples, here and to the ends of the earth?

The missions committee at Chelten exists to educate, equip and involve everyone in our church family in fulfilling Christ's command to make disciples of all nations. Talk with us today about your ideas, questions, and ways that God is leading you to grow his kingdom, from here to the ends of the earth! Contact a member of the mission's committee, there are so many ways to get more involved:

- Connect and pray specifically and directly for our Chelten supported missionaries
- Pray for the lost in our local community and around the world
- Love your neighbor through generous hospitality and speaking the Good News of Christ
- Participate in a short-term missions trip when available
- Consider God's call on your life to intentionally make disciples among the unreached