

MAY 2017

FIELDER'S FRONTLINES



WORLDVIEW TEAM MEETING

Our 6th Annual Team Meeting will be held May 31st-June 2nd. That is just three weeks away!! We are looking forward to a wonderful time.

This year's meeting will focus on some of the practical aspects of Bible translation. It will include topics such as:

- The History of Bible Translation Bill Patterson
- Platforms in Bible Translation Tim Cleghorn
- Linguistics in Bible Translation Justin Levine
- Culture in Bible Translation Justin Levine
- Relationships in Bible Translation Tim Cleghorn
- The Process of Bible Translation Dan Olachea

Our keynote speaker is *Pastor Tyler Gillit* of Worth Baptist Church in Ft. Worth, TX. He is a dynamic preacher with a passion for the Mission of God.

The conference begins on Wednesday evening, May 31 at 4:30pm and concludes on Friday at 12 noon.

If you would be interested in attending, please email me at <u>fielder@worldviewonline.net</u> for an invitation and more details.

PROJECT UPDATES

The INDIA PROJECT (Coimbatore, India) will enroll ten new students in June for the two-year Master's degree program in Bible translation. We are excited about training this new group. Please pray for the Overton Family. They will return to India right after our Team Meeting.

The **LIANGMAI PROJECT** (Manipur, India) is moving forward. The building project which will house the translation center and other ministry projects is nearing completion.

The **TIBETAN PROJECT** is progressing well. The Justin Levine family had to return to the states because of visa issues. Please pray they will get this worked out and be able to return soon.

The **ASANG KHONGSO** Project (Myanmar) workers are now in the Gospel of John. Our Associate recently moved closer to the city in order to have more reliable electricity and access to more resources.

The MADI PROJECT (Arua, Uganda) Associate, Sam Moss, is returning to the states and has accepted the pastorate of his home church in Iowa, but will remain involved in our project at a high level. He will leave on May 15 to return to Uganda for a five-week visit. Please pray for the project during this transition and that the team will stabilize under new leadership on the field. We are very close to printing the Gospel of Mark.

MIT (MISSIONARY IN TRAINING)

For the second year, I will partner with Bill Patterson and Tim Matthews of Mt. Abarim Baptist Missions to host a Missionary-In-Training program for young people. We will spend a week at Southland Christian Camp teaching on missions and Bible translation. Then we will all fly to New York City for a week of evangelistic outreach among the hundreds of ethnic people groups. *The dates are June 19-30*. If you have a young person seriously interested in missions, check it out here at www.alloutforgod.com

FAMILY NEWS

With two foreign trips and several missions conferences already behind us, we have had a very busy spring. I have one more meeting during May and the rest of this month will be dedicated to preparing for our Annual Team Meeting and the MIT program.

What is obvious from the new picture above is that Emily is growing up!! She will be 12 years old on May 14th!! She took first place in vocal performance and photography in a recent fine arts competition. Last night she had a voice recital and tonight a piano recital. We are proud of her!!

What may not be as obvious in the picture is that I (Ken) have been on a health plan...drum roll please...I have lost 35 lbs!! I feel much better and I don't have to hold my breath to tie my shoes anymore!!!

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