

Prayer Dispatch 04.17.15 / Board of Directors Team Ministering Throughout The World



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*2 Corinthians 1:11 "you also joining in helping us through your prayers, so that thanks may be given by many persons on our behalf for the favor bestowed on us through the prayers of many."*

- A. Ask God to continue to raise up men and women willing to go out into the harvest fields of the world teaching the holy, eternal, inerrant written Word of God

**Matthew 9:37-38** Then He said to His disciples, " The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Therefore beseech the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into His harvest."

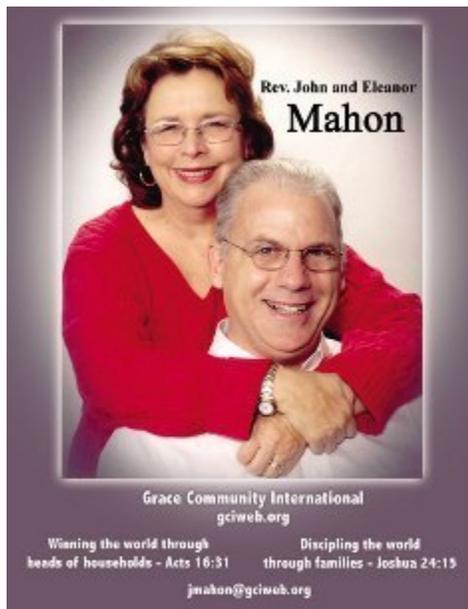
**Isaiah 6:8** Isaiah's Commission Then I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for Us?" Then I said, "Here am I. Send me!"

- B.** The ministry of Grace Community International is one of teaching and preaching God's holy, eternal, inerrant written Word. Pray for the empowerment of the teaching of the Holy Scriptures.

*Hebrews 4:12* For the word of God is living and active and sharper than any two-edged sword, and piercing as far as the division of soul and spirit, of both joints and marrow, and able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

- C.** That God would bless the ministry materially, that we might in turn bless those to whom we minister. As you pray ask God what He would have you do.

*Luke 6:38* "Give, and it will be given to you. They will pour into your lap a good measure – pressed down, shaken together, and running over. For by your standard of measure it will be measured to you in return."



Dear Prayer Warriors,

The Board of Directors of GCI is an active Board in terms of ministering the holy, eternal, inerrant, written Word of God. I thought I would use this Dispatch to feature the Board members who went to Cameroon with us last year. I am including links to their messages. These number to the left of the message indicates the number of times each message has been downloaded, the date to right is the date they were posted on the website. As these messages were just posted last month you can see that there is a great interest. These downloads represent scores of countries throughout the world.

You can click on the message to be one of the many throughout the world to be blessed by the teaching of these godly men and women.



The Board of Directors



The Cameroon Team



Richard and Cathy Smith

150 ... [W 4: The Believer's Security](#) • Mr. Richard Smith | submitted: 3/19/2015

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30 ... [W 7: Choose Your Words Wisely](#) • Mrs. Kathy Smith | submitted: 3/25/2015

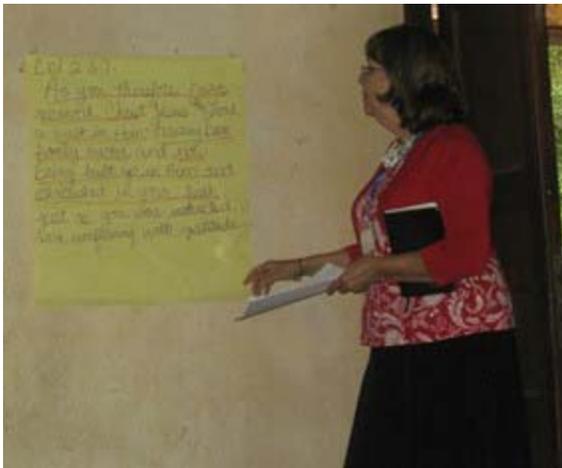
147 ... [W 3: Eternal Security](#) • Mrs. Kathy Smith | submitted: 3/19/2015



Dan McCollum

152 ... [W 1: God's Grace](#) • Mr. Dan McCollum | submitted: 3/19/2015

18 ... [Wk 5: Grasping Prayer](#) • Mr. Dan McCollum | submitted: 3/25/2015



Eleanor Mahon

23 ... [Wk 6: A Godly Companion](#) • Eleanor Mahon | submitted: 3/25/2015

146 ... [W 2: Embracing Contentment](#) • Eleanor Mahon | submitted: 3/19/2015

I close this e-mail, as always, with a deep and abiding thankfulness for your sacrificial and effectual prayers, which empower and drive this ministry ever forward in the cause of Christ.

***2 Thessalonians 3:1-2 "Finally, brethren, pray for us that the word of the Lord will spread rapidly and be glorified, just as it did also with you; and that we will be rescued from perverse and evil men; for not all have faith."***

By His mercy,

II Corinthians 4:1

Rev. John S. Mahon

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Please allow me to close this dispatch with a hymn from my prayer notebook that has been especially meaningful to me...

*(Psalms 104:33-34 "I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have my being. Let my meditation be pleasing to Him; As for me, I shall be glad in the LORD.")*

**Link to music/tune for this hymn: <http://nethymnal.org/htm/m/i/mightyfo.htm>**

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

A mighty fortress is our God, A bulwark never failing; A helper He amid the flood Of mortal ills prevailing. For still our ancient foe, doth seek to work us woe – his craft and power are great, and armed with cruel hat, On earth is not his equal.

*Did we in our own strength confide, Our striving would be losing, Were not the right Man on our side, The Man of God's own choosing, Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He – Lord Sabaoth His name, From age to age the same, And He must win the battle.*

And though this world with devils filled, Should threaten to undo us, We will not fear for God hath will His truth to triumph through us. The prince of darkness grim, We tremble not for him – His rage we can endure, For lo, his doom is sure; One little word shall fell him.

*That word above all earthly powers, No thanks to them, abideth; The Spirit and the gifts are ours Through Him who with us sideth. Let goods and kindred go, This mortal life also – The body they may kill; God's truth abideth still; His kingdom is forever.*

(Martin Luther Born: November 10, 1483, Eisleben, Germany. Died: February 18, 1546, Eisleben, Germany. Luther began the Protestant Reformation in 1517, and the Lutheran denomination bears his name to this day. In addition to being a reformer, he was quite active in the area of church music.) "Unless I am convinced from or by plain and clear reasons and arguments, I can and will not retract, for it is neither safe nor wise to do anything against conscience. Here I stand, I can do no other. God help me – AMEN"  
Martin Luther

In 1720 a remarkable revival began in a town in Moravia. Jesuits opposed it, and the meetings were prohibited. Those who still assembled were seized and imprisoned in stables and cellars. At David Nitschmann's house, where a hundred and fifty persons gathered, the police broke in and seized the books. Not dismayed, the congregation struck up the stanzas of Luther's hymn,

"And though this world, with devils filled,  
Should threaten to undo us;  
We will not fear, for God hath willed  
His truth to triumph through us.

Twenty heads of families were for this sent to jail, including Nitschmann, who was treated with special severity. He finally escaped, fled to the Moravians at Herrnhut, became a bishop, and afterwards joined the [Wesleys](#) in 1735 in their expedition to Savannah, Georgia.

[Sankey](#), p. 106