

Mission & Outreach Report for Session June 2015 | Randy Mayfield



Paris France:

As we enter into the summer months, we have a lot going on in Missions and Outreach and it's all exciting! I depart next week (June 14-24) for a trip with six other Central folks to the Paris Prayer Conference with World Team. We will visit with our Central missionaries in France (Malia Bridwell and Nick & Allison Farrely) Before you roll your eyes about a "mission" to Paris, you need to understand that it's one of the last places that I'd choose to go! Really, I'm not a big fan of the French... Now Italy, I'd go there in a heartbeat! But... it's important to hear from and to encourage and pray for our leaders there. France is a difficult place to do ministry with less than 1% of the population who are Evangelical Christians.

Potosi Prison Ministry:

This coming Saturday, (June 6th) my band and I along with seven other Central members will be going to the Maximum security prison in Potosi, MO ("Death Row" and many "Lifers" are held there.) We will give a concert in the "yard" for some 200 guys and will have the opportunity to share the Gospel. We will be going with our local missionary Randy Gruber and the Emmaus ministries whom we support here at Central.

Vacation/Study Leave:

Sharon and I will take a few weeks at the end of July and first couple of weeks in August for my annual study leave and some vacation time in California. I'll likely be preaching and singing at our little church in Bodega Bay as well. I'll also be working on my sermon for Central on August 16th on "Supernatural Mission!" I hope that many of you will be able to attend services on the 16th to hear how God fills us with His Spirit to send us out to make disciples! I'm glad that my week providentially landed on Acts 13 as it's right up my alley!

Other Stuff:

We already have 45 people who have shown interest in our October 2016 "Living Stones" vision trip to the Holy Land. I would expect that not all of these folks will be able to actually go but we did have 42 folks in 2013 and it was a tremendous trip. We will see the sites in Israel as well as meet with many of those who are active in ministry in Israel and Palestine and are taking the Gospel to lost people! There's room for you if you want to be kept in the loop and attend an interest meeting sometime around the end of this year.

Thanks again for your prayers and support of Missions and for me. The Mayfield family is doing well. Just let me know if you want to see some recent photos of my granddaughter Afton!! Blessings, RM