#### **EMMANUEL PRAYER LIST - APRIL 2022**

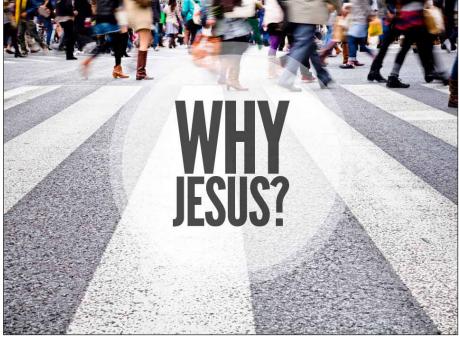
#### Haiti

- Praise for past shipments arriving safely at the compound in Port-au-Prince!
- · For the FEJ school, protection for staff have while travelling on roads with gangs
- The driver, (Roberto, and family) appreciate financial gifts and prayers of EBC.
- Pastor Spencer is thankful for EBC's support for sponsoring school children.
- Praise for the generous donation of 6 shipping barrels from Sprague Foods.
- Thank you to Brenda and Ed Sokolowsky for delivering the barrels to LoveSong.
- Pray for violence to cease so people can travel safely to Haiti.

**How to help?** Drop off items at the church the last week in May. (Pasta, rice, oatmeal, canned meat, baby formula, dried beans and soup mixes and powdered milk). For further information call Donna Rodgers 613-849-7582

## Study continued

- 10. 2 timothy 3:16-17 gives four area's of our lives that the Bible works on. What is the affect of the Word of God on each one of these things?
- 11. "...so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work." Why are these four area's of our lives so important in us being thoroughly equipped for every good work?
- 12. I encourage you to read the Bible. When you do, use these three principles:
  1. What does it say? (Understand what the verse or passage is actually saying)
  2. What does it mean? (What is this passage teaching me, is there a moral or ethical lesson here, where does it fall in the categories of teaching, rebuking, correcting & training?)
  3. What does it mean to me? (How do I apply this to my life?)



"All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."

2 Timothy 3:16-17

- 1. Is there more to life than this?
- 2. Who is Jesus?
- 3. Why did Jesus die?
- 4. How can I have faith?
- 5. Why and how do I pray?
- 6. Why and how should I read the Bible?

# **Dwight L. Moody**

"The Bible will keep you from sin, or sin will keep you from the Bible."



## THE BIBLE

The Bible is...

**FAITH COMES** Romans 10:17 Faith comes:

By hearing:

The word of God:

Luke 5:1-12 How Faith came to Simon Peter:

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# THE BIBLE IS THE FINAL AUTHORITY IN ALL MATTERS OF FAITH AND LIFE

2 Timothy 3:16

\_\_\_\_\_ Scripture is God breathed and is useful for...

- 1. The Bible is the final authority in all matters of faith and life. What does this mean and why?
- 2. Read Romans 10:17. Why and how does faith 'come' to us? Why is it that the Word of God is central to faith coming to us?
- 3. Luke 5:1-11. In verses 1-2 we see Simon Peter busy cleaning his nets, and listening to Jesus. What do you think was Peter's level of interest at this point?
- 4. In verse 3 Jesus got into Peter's boat to continue teaching the people. All of a sudden Simon Peter has no choice but to listen intently to Jesus. Can you remember a time when Jesus stepped into your life and his message became more personal?
- 5. After finishing teaching the people, Jesus told Peter to put the boat out to catch fish. This didn't make sense to Peter. What do you think was going on inside Peter, for him to say, "but because you say so, I will let down the nets."

How does the Word of God speak to our hearts and get out attention, to the point that we realise that we need to do what it says?

- 6. After the great catch of fish, Peter calls Jesus Lord rather than just, 'master' (see verses 5 and 8). Why do you think this happened?
- 7. Simon Peter acknowledge that he was a sinful man. Being in the presence of Jesus can do that to a person. Why do you think Peter said, 'get away from me Lord?'
- 8. Read verse 11. Simon Peter has gone from casually listening to Jesus, while at the same time cleaning his fishing nets, to leaving everything and following Jesus. Go through the events in this passage of scripture that led Simon Peter to make this drastic change in His life.

9. Read 2 timothy 3:16-17. What does it mean that all scripture is 'God breathed?'

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