

2 Corinthians 5:17 (NIV)

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!"

1. **Tuesday: Praising the Lord in this New Year**

"The Lord lives! Praise be to my Rock! Exalted be God my Savior!" Psalm 18:46 (NIV). We begin this New Year praising God for who He is, and praying together that His name will be exalted throughout the world in 2019!

2. **Wednesday: Mozambique Compassionate Care Patients**

Pray for the patients who are in the Compassionate Care Program in Mozambique, that their hearts would be open to hear and understand the Scripture and health teachings that they listen to on their audio devices. Pray also for continued replenishment of grace, patience, and strength for the Compassionate Care Team as they minister to these patients weekly.

3. **Thursday: New Accounting Coordinator, Jonathan Verastegui**

Praise God for ASM's new Accounting Coordinator! We are excited to welcome Jonathan Verastegui onto the team this week. Please pray for Jonathan as he learns his responsibilities, and for Wanda Maloy, ASM Office Manager, as she helps him transition into this role.



4. **Friday: Mechoacan New Testament Recording in Mexico**

Please pray for the Mechoacan New Testament recording being worked on by our team in Oaxaca, Mexico. They started this project in December 2018, and have already made good progress. Pray for safe travel for the readers and technicians, and for good fellowship as they work long hours together.

5. **Saturday: 50 Years Following Jesus Christ**

Praise God for Reverend Sundara Rajan, founder of WCOI in India, who last month celebrated the 50 year anniversary of the day he gave his life to Christ. Rev. Sundara grew up in a non-Christian home, and faced a lot of opposition from family and friends who disagreed with this life choice, but the Holy Spirit gave him joy and purpose in life because of his decision to follow Christ. Praise God that since that day, Rev. Sundara Rajan has helped lead countless others in India to a life of hope through his work there with audio Bibles!

6. **Sunday: Refreshment in the New Year**

Pray that each ASM team member worldwide would start the new year with fresh energy and renewed strength. We praise God that many were able to take a time of rest during the Christmas and New Year holidays. Pray that each team would continue to work diligently and effectively as they serve the Lord, *so that all may hear*.

7. **Monday: Grace for a Busy Season**

This is a fast-paced time for the support team in the ASM office in Holland, MI, as they prepare donor tax forms and finalize the closing of the calendar year. Praise God for His provisions of grace and strength for Wanda Maloy, Operations Manager, during a busy December, and pray for continued wisdom as she manages the office operations in the new year.

8. **Tuesday: Wolters Family in Florida**

Please be praying for Lloyd Wolters, ASM Representative, and his wife, Marjorie, as they winter in Florida. Lloyd brought audio Bibles with him so that he could continue to share God's Word, and he actively shares about ASM during his time there. Please be praying that these audio Bible "seeds" would be planted in good soil.

9. **Wednesday: Audio Bibles Needed in Mozambique**

Pray that the Lord would raise up partners to help provide more audio Bibles for distribution in Mozambique. The need for audio Bibles in Mozambique continues to far outpace the supply. Pray that 2019 would be a year of abundance for audio Bibles, and that many of those waiting could receive God's Word in their own language.

10. **Thursday: International Orality Network Steering Committee Meeting**

Pray for a meeting of the International Orality Network (ION) Steering Committee for the 2019 ION North America conference, today in Toronto. ASM Executive Director, Naomi Frizzell, serves as the Program Director for this gathering. Please pray for clarity, unity, and wisdom regarding logistics and programming.

11. **Friday: Audio Bible Distribution in Argentina**

Please be praying for an ASM partner who is traveling to Argentina this month with audio Bibles. The audio Bibles are loaded with content in Spanish, including a full Bible and evangelism and discipleship materials for children and adults. Pray that the Holy Spirit will work in the hearts of those who receive these devices, as they learn about Jesus Christ.

12. **Saturday: Strategic Planning for Recordings in Mexico**

Pray for guidance, safety, wisdom, and discernment as Jim and Jamie Loker, ASM Latin America Directors, travel to remote villages in southern Mexico to determine future needs for recording and distributing audio Scripture materials. Pray for divine appointments and strategic contacts to be made.

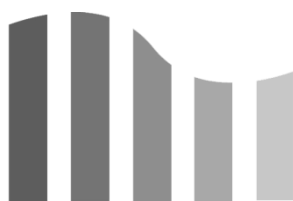
13. **Sunday: Hearts Prepared to Hear God's Word**

Pray that the Holy Spirit would prepare hearts and open the eyes, ears, and minds of people to receive and believe the Truth found in the Bible. Pray for true repentance for those listening to God's Word, and that the Lord would deliver them from doubt, fear, and any resistance to the Gospel.

14. **Monday: Hakhun Language Recording in India**

Praise God for helping WCOI complete the Hakhun language audio Bible recording in India. Please pray as the team in India prepares the audio Bibles for distribution in the Hakhun speaking community, which is scheduled for next month. This will be the first time many of these people will be able to engage with God's Word in their own heart language.

15. **Tuesday: Bountiful Harvest Needed in Mozambique**  
Pray that our brothers and sisters in Mozambique would reap a bountiful harvest from their fields of crops this year. As the rains continue to fall, pray they would receive enough rain for their crops but not so much that would cause flooding and difficulty traveling.
16. **Wednesday: Distributing Audio Bibles in Mexico**  
Please pray for a team distributing audio Bibles in Mexico this month through an organization called Adventures in Life Ministry. Please pray for ASM to make additional partnerships and ministry connections like this, to help share God's Word in audio with many more people waiting to hear.
17. **Thursday: ASM Communications Team Meeting**  
Praise the Lord for the ASM Communications Team, and all they do to share the stories of God at work in and through ASM. Pray for wisdom and creativity as they meet today to plan for communication needs and opportunities for this year.
18. **Friday: Mission ConneXion Convention in Oregon**  
Pray for Don Lang as he attends the Mission ConneXion Convention today and tomorrow in Tualatin, OR. Ask God to be with Don as he represents ASM, and to help him to make connections that will lead to the distribution of more audio Bibles. May the Holy Spirit continue to bring the right people to Don at the right time.
19. **Saturday: Continuing the Otomi New Testament Recording in Mexico**  
Praise God that the Otomi readers in Mexico have finished the year-end harvesting in their village and are now available to resume progress on the New Testament recording in the Oaxaca studio. Pray for the adjustment of the readers back to this task, and that they and the recording technicians would work together well over the next few months.
20. **Sunday: Guatemala Audio Bible Distribution and Other Ministry Work**  
Pray for a man and wife from Michigan who are traveling to Guatemala to build houses and give health training. They are taking audio Bibles in the Spanish and Cakchiquel languages with them. Pray that these audio Bibles would be received well, and that the recipients will continue to grow in Christ's love.
21. **Monday: ASM Partnerships in Mexico**  
Pray for Executive Director, Naomi Frizzell, and Communications and Development Manager, Joshua Harrison, who are in Mexico this week learning more about our collaborative ministry in this region. Pray for good conversations with local leaders as we pray and plan together for 2019 and beyond.
22. **Tuesday: Open Hearts as Team Ministers in Mozambique**  
Pray for the ASM Team in central Mozambique as they continue working on important recording projects as well as the new agricultural project. Pray for open doors and open hearts to the Gospel as they reach out into the local community.
23. **Wednesday: First-Time Audio Bible Listeners**  
Please pray for the many Mexican families who will receive or have already received audio Bibles for the first time this month. Jim and Jamie Loker are visiting pastors and distributing players in several Mixtec, Mixe, and Zapotec villages. Pray that the people touched by these audio Bibles will develop a great hunger to listen to God's Word daily.
24. **Thursday: Audio Bible Distributions in India**  
Pray for safety for the WCOI Team as they travel long distances to distribute audio Bibles. Pray they would be warmly welcomed wherever they go, and that the audio Bibles they deliver would be cherished by those who receive them. Ask God to speak to these people through His Word so they would understand and turn their lives to Him.
25. **Friday: Comfort Through Song for Believers Worldwide**  
Pray that psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs would be translated, sung, and recorded in the heart languages of believers around the world. Pray these resources would encourage believers with the love, comfort, grace, mercy, and compassion of their heavenly Father in times of distress.
26. **Saturday: Salvation and Peace for Whole Families**  
Please be praying for a woman working full time with Nepalese refugees in Pennsylvania. As new believers start following Jesus, it can conflict with family traditions and beliefs. Please be praying for the Holy Spirit to bring peace and grace in these difficult situations, and for God to be glorified through those faithfully sharing Jesus with their families.
27. **Sunday: Loker Trip to Guatemala**  
Pray for Jesus to be honored and glorified as Jim and Jamie Loker travel to Guatemala to translate for a team with Paradise Bound Ministries, and as they visit friends and distribute audio Bibles.
28. **Monday: Planning Well for 2019**  
Pray that the ASM Team—though we are spread far and wide—would continue to serve each other and our partners well. Ask God that ASM's ministry in 2019 would be productive and fruitful, for His glory!
29. **Tuesday: Shangaana Language Recording in Mozambique**  
Pray for the team at the recording studio in Xai-Xai, Mozambique, as they begin another busy year. Pray as they continue recording and editing a Bible training curriculum in the Shangaana language from southern Mozambique.
30. **Wednesday: Recording the Mixtepec New Testament in Mexico**  
Praise God that the Mixtepec translators are starting to record the Gospels in our Oaxaca studio. These are the first books of the New Testament to be recorded in the Mixtepec language. Pray that the Mixtepec people would soon have their complete New Testament finished. A number of those who speak this language live in the U.S., including in West Michigan.
31. **Thursday: Building Homes and Gifting Audio Bibles in Guatemala**  
Pray for Moline Christian Reformed Church in Dorr, MI, as a team prepares to travel to Guatemala for their annual home-building trip. Each family for whom they build a home also receives an audio Bible in Spanish. We are thankful for this faithful partnership to share God's Word!



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