

## BiMonthly Prayer Points May 2017

### **Mervyn & Raing McCullagh, Sri Lanka**

Give thanks for the incredible opportunities that Mervyn and Raing are privileged to share in in their work with NCCSL.

“Give thanks that we are both in good health and enjoying life and work in Sri Lanka.

Pray that this continues particularly because as monsoon approaches it's very hot and dengue fever is prevalent at the moment in Colombo.

Please continue to pray for our health, faith, life, marriage and work together. Our residence visas are up in June so we will be beginning the process of renewal. Pray that this will go smoothly.”

### **Stephen McCann, Ibiza**

Pray for:

- Organisation as we prepare and make plans for summer teams
- God's guidance as we continue to work out how to invest our time
- Connections to continue to be built as we get to know more people in the community
- Prison visits- that people would engage and respond as I visit weekly

### **Barry & Gillian Sloan, Germany**

Pray for:

- Barry in his work in evangelistic outreach, congregational development and training for pioneer ministry/church planting.
- Gillian's ministry at INSPIRE as we seek to breathe new spiritual life into the city centre.
- For the various church projects throughout Germany that are serving refugees and migrants.

### **Laura Stephens**

Laura is serving as a nurse with World Medical Mission/Samaritan's Purse US in the Hospital of Hope, Togo. She has been there since 25th April and will be there until 10th December 2017.

Prayer for:

- Good health and God's protection
- Opportunity to show God's love and be a good witness for Him
- Good relationships with people
- The Hospital of Hope and the challenges it faces

### **Chris & Hannah Agnew**

Chris & Hannah will be working with the South American Mission Society, in Lima, Peru in partnership with the Diocese of Peru. They will be working in local and regional church discipleship formation and education and compassion projects in the Lima area.

Pray for Chris and Hannah as they prepare to go in September 2017.

Please pray for:

- Guidance and direction in where to use their time, and that they would see growth as they serve
- Health & Safety as they settle in
- To prioritise following Jesus themselves as they are involved in ministry
- Language - especially for Chris

### **Indigenous missionaries in Myanmar (Burma)**

The Methodist Church in Ireland partners with Methodist Church (Upper Myanmar). MMS(I) facilitates this. As part of this, you are supporting Burmese Methodist missionaries as they go into new mission fields which are predominately Buddhist or animist. It can be dangerous. There are currently 18 such missionaries at work with each family requiring £70 per month.

Pray for:

- safety
- for opportunities to witness in word and deed
- for wisdom as to what the opportunities are
- for MCUM, and particularly the Tahan District, as they manage the work