

Burkina Faso Pray for the impact of the Gulmancema Bible launched in 2016 and for ongoing Bible translation and publication projects. Pray too for the FCBH programme and braille Scripture distribution. Pray for GS Dramane Yankiné and team; may they see an end to terror in their country.

Ghana Pray for GS Erasmus Odonkor and the wide ministry of the team. Pray for ongoing Bible translation and distribution as well as sales through the Bible Society shop. Praise God for Scripture for children, youth and military as well as literacy and Trauma Healing programmes.

Togo Please pray for the launch of the new Ewe Bible and for the start of three new translation projects. Pray for the completion of the Ikposso translation project. Pray also for the literacy and FCBH programmes as well as work to reach young people. Estelle Akouegnon is GS here.

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Bolivia Pray for the spread of God's Word in Bolivia and for God's protection and guidance for the team led by GS Fanny Cossío. Pray for literacy and children's projects and for efforts to reach people with visual and hearing impairments. Ask God to protect staff who travel to remote regions.

Brazil Thank God for 70 years of Bible Society of Brazil this year and for the completion of the Almeida revised and updated translation; pray that this will reach younger readers especially. Pray for guidance in the election of the new Board of Directors in August.

Peru Pray for the 'Bread of Life' project that provides poor children with daily food and Scripture. Pray for the efforts to reduce family violence and child abuse and for the work on social reintegration of prisoners by studying God's Word. Executive Director Pablo Gutierrez leads the team.

Ecuador Praise God for the achievements made in spreading His Word. Pray for the work to teach Bible principles to young people and children. Pray also that publishing projects may attract more and more people to the Bible message. Pray for Executive Director Daniel Oliva and team.

Namibia Pray for provision and new fundraising initiatives. Pray for translation projects including the new Oshiwambo Bible. Pray too for braille distribution and the Trauma Healing programme. Pray also for GS Bernie van der Walt, staff, board, partners and friends of the Bible Society.

Botswana Pray for the team led by GS Gabriel Tsuaneng. Thank God that the NT in the Kalanga language is complete; pray for the ongoing OT translation. Pray for translation and literacy programmes for Shiyeyi and Shekgalagari speakers. Pray for the armed forces as they receive Scripture.

Zimbabwe Please pray for the completion of the Shona Study Bible and the Chikunda OT in 2018; may they bring life to many. Pray also for the work to reach children and for the Peace Building project to have a positive impact on society. Pray for GS Chipso Maringe and team.

Malawi Pray for GS Clapperton Mayuni and team who are working to reach children and young people with God's Word. Pray too for their work on the Elhomwe Bible translation and publication. Ask God to bless the FCBH and Good Samaritan programmes and the family engagement work also.

England & Wales Pray for the work and staff led by Chief Executive Paul Williams as they develop a strategy for the coming years that will inspire Christians to be confident in the Scriptures, change the conversation about the Bible in culture and bring transformative application of the Bible in the world.

Northern Ireland Pray for us as we continue to build partnerships and strengthen relationships with Churches and other Christian agencies so that we might have a deeper impact at home. Pray also for fresh ways to attract new supporters and partners who are passionate about the spread of the Bible. Pray for GS Catherine Little and team.

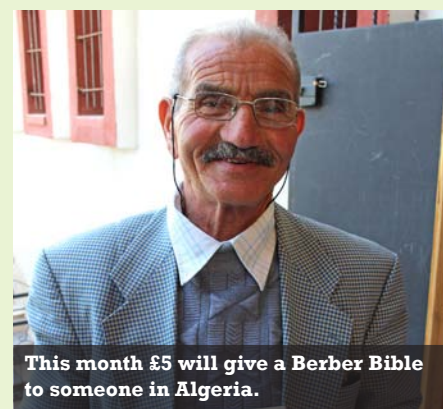
Scotland Pray for the Bibleworld Books resource to help children in church-based after school clubs to improve their literacy and reading abilities whilst learning more about the Bible. Pray for Elaine Duncan who leads the team as they connect with churches and partners to promote the Bible and the Society.

Ireland Pray for President Gillian Kingston and the Board as they work to strengthen the ministry after 2 difficult years. There are no staff at present, so please pray for God's clear guidance in the recruitment process. Pray for good partnerships that will create new opportunities.

Bible-a-month Project April: Algeria

The Berber language has only recently been recognised as a national language in Algeria. The Church amongst this people group is now growing and the Bible Society are keen to keep up with the demand for Bibles. The first movie shown in Berber was the Jesus film, and the first book published was the Gospel of Luke translated by the Bible Society. The availability of Scripture in Berber has had a significant influence on the people of Algeria.

- Please pray that the Berber people will engage with the Scriptures and better understand God's Word. Ask that more people will come to know the Lord.
- Pray for the protection of the Bible Society staff and volunteers who distribute the Scriptures. Pray that they will be able to keep doing this work safely.
- Thank God that people have a desire to engage with His Word. Pray that the necessary funding and resources will be available to meet this demand.



This month £5 will give a Berber Bible to someone in Algeria.