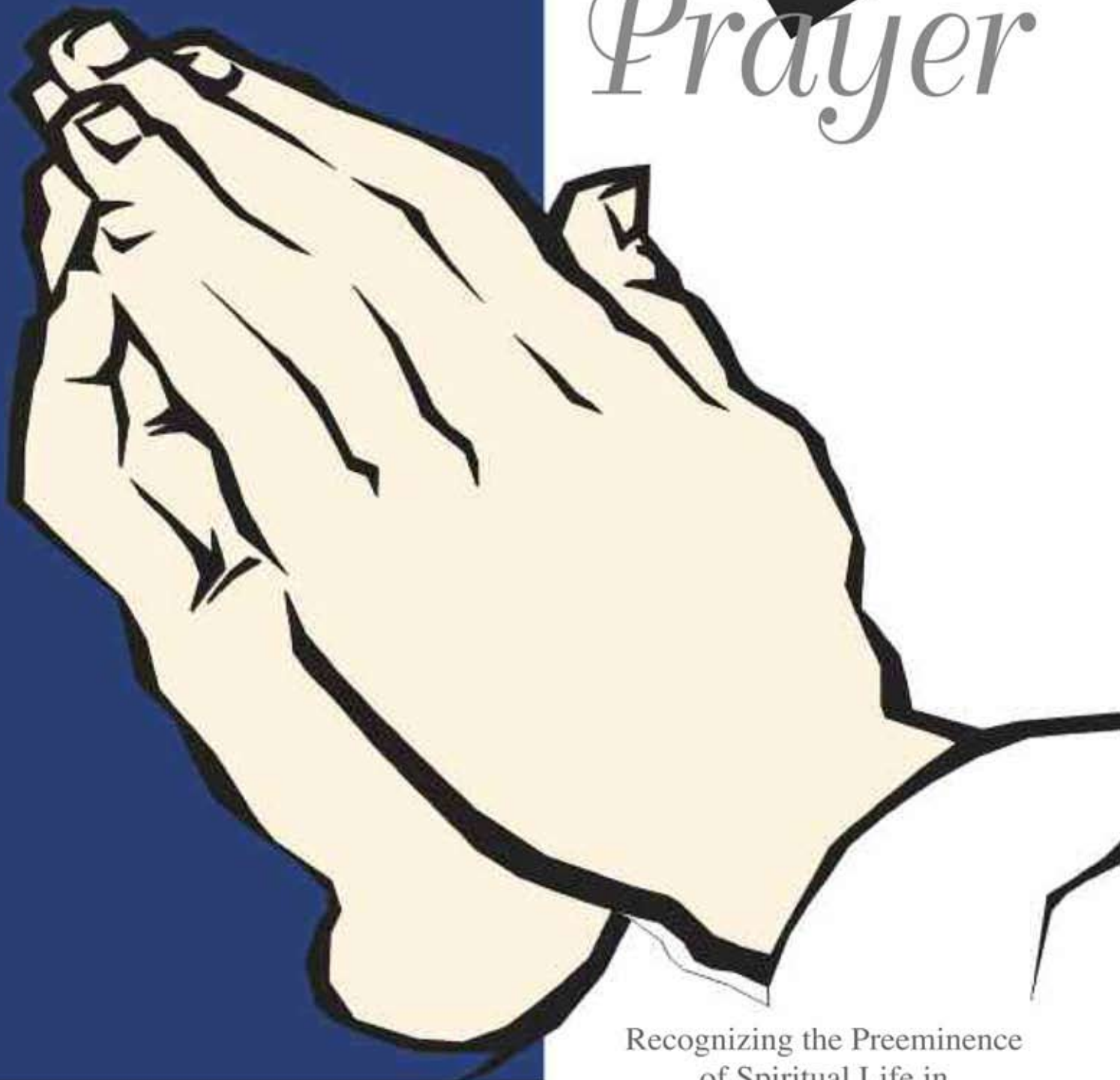


# *Constant in Prayer*



The Division's Prayer  
Program Manual

Recognizing the Preeminence  
of Spiritual Life in

# *160 Days*



This is the General's Conference's book for the the revival program, and it is so important that the IAD, the unions, and the local fields decided that all who receive the Sabbath school quarterly will receive it with no additional cost.



The Inter-American Division recommends the careful reading of these books because they are an essential guide for spiritual growth and renewal. Every sincere Christian should read them at his own risk, because he will be challenged to run to the place of prayer, or he will have to close his heart to God's call for a spiritual revival now.

*Roberto Herrera*  
coordinator of the revival and reform program  
at the Inter-American Division





With  
the President . . .

# Prayer is not only a question of need

**F**OR MANY BELIEVERS, the reason for prayer is when they need something, when they feel their spiritual weakness and have no other alternative. However, if this true, the Lord exhorts us to “pray always” and this should be done in happy moments, in moments of gratitude and above all, to seek the will of the Lord.

“Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you” (1 Thessalonians 5:16–18)

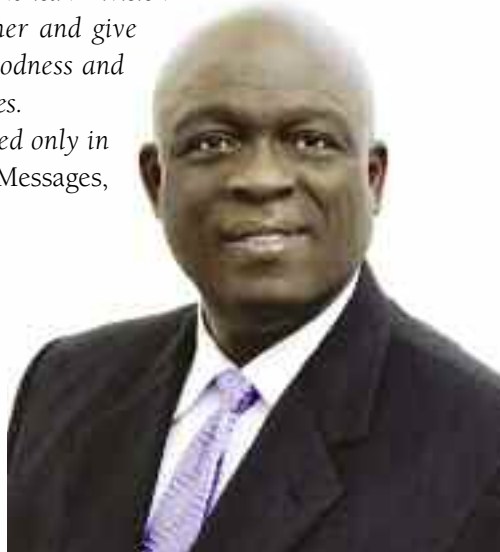
While we seek this beautiful experience and as an answer to the insistence of the Holy Spirit, let us place ourselves in a position where the Lord can bring us that revival that is so longed-for. We should remember that the key to all this is to “pray without ceasing.”

Our prayers should be from gratitude, from praise for recognition for being our guide, and above all, to express how much we long for the revival in our lives and also in that of the children of the Lord. We are praying for a true revival, but it should be recognized that we have a God who answers prayers. We are hoping for a revival, but at the same time, we are celebrating what the Lord has done and is doing for His Church in Inter-America. A revival based on recognition of the Lord is a true and lasting revival. This is what we will be trying to do—recognize that the Lord is guiding us, plead for His direction and worship Him for what He has done for us. May the Lord continue to guide us. Let us plead for His leading.

Each day, we will be praying for a local field, giving thanks for what the Lord is doing for them, presenting their needs, and celebrating with them the joy of having the Lord in their lives.

May this joyous experience of prayer fill the hearts of every Adventist in the Inter-American Division while we pray for one another and give thanks to the Lord for His goodness and His abundant mercy in our lives.

“A revival need be expected only in answer to prayer” (Selected Messages, vol. 1, p. 121).



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## THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF PRAYER:

### 1. **Feel a complete need for God, raising our hearts in praise to Him.**

“It is our privilege to drink largely at the fountain of boundless love. What a wonder it is that we pray so little! God is ready and willing to hear the

sincere prayer of the humblest of His children, and yet there is much manifest reluctance on our part to make known our wants to God.

“There are certain conditions upon which we may expect that God will hear and answer our prayers. One of the first of these is that we feel our need of help from Him. He has promised, ‘I will pour water upon him that is thirsty, and floods upon the dry ground.’ Isaiah 44:3. Those who hunger and thirst after righteousness, who long after God, may be sure that they will be filled. The heart must be open to the Spirit’s influence, or God’s blessing cannot be received” (*Steps to Christ*, pp. 94, 95).

### 2. **Confess and correct our errors and follow a life of obedience. (1 John 1:9; James 5:16).**

“If we regard iniquity in our hearts, if we cling to any known sin, the Lord will not hear us; but the prayer of the penitent, contrite soul is always accepted. When all known wrongs are righted, we may believe that God will answer our petitions. Our own merit will never commend us to the favor of God; it is the worthiness of Jesus that will save us, His blood that will cleanse us; yet we have a work to do in complying with the conditions of acceptance” (*Steps to Christ*, p. 95).

### 3. **Have faith in God without any doubts.** Claim the armor of the righteousness of Jesus because it belongs to us. (James 1:6; 1 Timothy 2:8).

“Another element of prevailing prayer is faith. ‘He that cometh to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of them that diligently seek Him’ ” (*Steps to Christ*, p. 96).

### 4. **Forgive others, be patient, do not criticize. (Matthew 6:12; 7:12).**

“When we come to ask mercy and blessing from God we should have a spirit of love and forgiveness in our own hearts. How can we pray, ‘Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors,’ and yet indulge an unforgiving spirit? If we expect our own prayers to be heard we must forgive others in the same manner and to the same extent as we hope to be forgiven” (*Steps to Christ*, p. 97).

### 5. **Persevere, always be strong, diligent in prayer. No one likes a cold and routine call (see Luke 18:1; Colossians 4:2).** “We are to be ‘instant in prayer,’ to ‘continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving.’ Peter exhorts believers to be ‘sober, and watch unto prayer’. Paul directs, ‘In everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.’ ‘But ye, beloved,’ says Jude, ‘praying in the Holy Ghost, keep yourselves in the love of God.’ Unceasing prayer is the unbroken union of the soul with God, so that life from God flows

into our life; and from our life, purity and holiness flow back to God” (*Steps to Christ*, pp. 97, 98).

### 6. **Dedicate more time to God in secret prayer. No one like to have his conversation interrupted and neither does God. (Matthew 6:6).**

“There is necessity for diligence in prayer; let nothing hinder you. Make every effort to keep open the communion between Jesus and your own soul. Seek every opportunity to go where prayer is wont to be made. Those who are really seeking for communion with God will be seen in the prayer meeting, faithful to do their duty and earnest and anxious to reap all the benefits they can gain. They will improve every opportunity of placing themselves where they can receive the rays of light from heaven” (*Steps to Christ*, p. 98).

### 7. **Get together often with others in prayer. There is strength in unity. (Matthew 18:19, 20).**

“We sustain a loss when we neglect the privilege of associating together to strengthen and encourage one another in the service of God. The truths of His word lose their vividness and importance in our minds. Our hearts cease to be enlightened and aroused by their sanctifying influence, and we decline in spirituality. In our association as Christians we lose much by lack of sympathy with one another. He who shuts himself up to himself is not filling the position that God designed he should. The proper cultivation of the social elements in our nature brings us into sympathy with others and is a means of development and strength to us in the service of God” (*Steps to Christ*, p. 101).

### 8. **Always pray in the name of Jesus. We can only approach the Father through Him. (John 15:16).**

“But to pray in the name of Jesus is something more than a mere mention of that name at the beginning and the ending of a prayer. It is to pray in the mind and spirit of Jesus, while we believe His promises, rely upon His grace, and work His works” (*Steps to Christ*, pp. 100, 101).

### 9. **Present the Bible as the Book of books and as a reminder of the promises of God. (Read the prayers of Ezra and Daniel).**

### 10. **Pray first for others, interceding as true priests for our friends (1 Peter 1:9).**

As leaders, we have a great challenge. We should first produce the joy of prayer in our lives and then transmit that joy to the church. Prayer is not our strategy; prayer is God’s strategy to prepare us better for heaven. Let us learn together every day as members of a single family to pray more, read the Bible more, get together more as brothers and sisters and witness more of the love of God, open our offices and homes for the revival and be Constant in Prayer. The result will be a church sensitive to the divine call to consecration. Let us place our lives in the powerful hands of God.

# Introduction



**C**onstant in Prayer\* is the result of the firm decision of Pastor Israel Leito, president of the Inter-American Division, to guide this whole territory to the creation of a spiritual environment that allows us to experience a revival of our spiritual lives and a necessary reformation in all areas of the life of the church. The whole team of the division, made up of administrators, vicepresidents, and directors of departments who serve the church, is involved in this effort.

It would not be sufficient to say that this is a matter of a simple program. It is probably better to see it as a good first step in something that we would like to see change our lifestyle until Christ comes: Be *Constant in Prayer!*

What follows below is a manual that explains how, during the first seven months of 2011, we will create a prayer chain without precedent in our territory, during which we will be praying each day of the work week for one of the 116 local fields that exist in the Inter-American Division. In order that we may all direct our requests toward the solution of detailed needs and so that we are unanimous in intercession, we have included four elements in this manual that will guide us each day: the most important projects of the field we are praying for, the greatest challenges they are facing, a reason for which they praise God and recognize His greatness, and a special reason for gratitude to the Lord. We give very great thanks to all the administrators who have kindly shared this information that we now make available to everyone.

I would like to note that as a result of this program of prayer, we will all have a unique opportunity to know firsthand the way the Lord is working in every corner of this great division, and our identity as Seventh-day Adventists will also be greatly strengthened in confirming that many more along with us are enthusiastic about God and sure of the blessed hope we have in Him.

Please do not forget that while we are participating in this program of the division, Pastor Leito has earnestly requested that each union, each local field, and each congregation replicate this prayer chain to be sure that we are united together and joined in prayer. This means that the churches should make a list of the families and members they have and each day of the program, be praying for one of them; the local fields should do the same with their churches and schools so that each day of this program, they include a church or school from their own territory; and finally, the unions should pray for their local fields, their institutions and the other days, they should choose an equal number of churches from each one of their fields to complete the days of the program. In this way, every member of the church, every family, every congregation, every local field, every school, every union, every institution up to the offices of the Inter-American Division will be united in prayer, praise, and gratitude. We believe that this will surely revive everyone's spiritual life and produce positive changes that will glorify the name of our God.

We ask, then, that the coordinators of spiritual revival and reformation of each union and local field will please work to guarantee that these initiatives be completely fulfilled in their territories.

May God bless us as we remain *Constant in Prayer*.

**Roberto Herrera**

Coordinator of Spiritual Revival and Reformation at the Inter-American Division

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## Preparation

We are about to begin a wonderful experience of intimacy with God. These 160 days of prayer are going to mark the spiritual life of the church in our division. We want God to produce a true revival and reformation in the church.

Keep in mind the following instructions so that the coming days may be a time of true intimacy with God:

**Bible text:**

Each day, we will choose a Bible gem and meditate on it, read that text together until we know it from memory. Our recommendation is that we begin this activity at the beginning of the day in the offices of the unions, conferences / missions, and institutions of the division.

**Daily reading:**

Along with the Bible reading, we will put a paragraph from the Spirit of Prophecy that is related to the topic of revival. Most of them will be taken from the book *True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need* by Ellen White that will be the basis of this program.

**Reason for prayer:**

Every morning in the office, we will read a different reason for prayer. This activity will be based on the requests for prayer from each local field, be it a conference or mission. In this section, you will be able to know the names of all the local fields of the division and the year in which they were established. You will find a variety of requests in the reasons for prayer that go from projects, challenges, and reasons for praise to special reasons for thanks to God.

We recommend that this material be used at worship time in the offices of all Adventist organizations in the division and that all those who participate in the program will feel a reason to come together with God at such a special time.

\* The title of this magazine is inspired by Romans 12:12, English Standard Version.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Monday February 14, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST JAMAICA CONFERENCE,**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1903

### DAY 1

*“Is anything too hard for the LORD?”*

Genesis 18:14.

#### TODAY’S READING

“The children of God are not left alone and defenseless. Prayer moves the arm of Omnipotence. Prayer has ‘subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the violence of fire’ . . . [turned] to flight the armies of the aliens . . . If we surrender our lives to His service, we can never be placed in a position for which God has not made provision. Whatever may be our situation, we have a Guide to direct our way; whatever our perplexities, we have a sure Counselor; whatever our sorrow, bereavement, or loneliness, we have a sympathizing Friend” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, pp. 172, 173).

**Their special project:** We would like to establish a Family Wellness and Restoration Center, especially for those families with problems, so that they may come and find counsel and participate in restoration programs.

**Their challenges:** We need to pray for the spiritual growth of our pastors and leaders.

**The reason for their praise:** We thank God for the work done at the Good Samaritan Inn. Food is given to people in need four days a week and it has been operating successfully for the last three years.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Recently, a donor from Miami gave us a large sum of money to help those who are suffering because of the raid in Tivoli Gardens. Every Thursday, we feed more than 100 children and elderly people. In addition, another person offered to repair the Good Samaritan Inn and provide several beds to improve this facility. We praise God for this.

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Today, **Tuesday February 15, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST JAMAICA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1903

### DAY 2

*“And it shall come to pass afterward That I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your old men shall dream dreams, Your young men shall see visions”*

Joel 2:28.

#### TODAY’S READING

“There are some who, instead of wisely improving present opportunities, are idly waiting for some special season of spiritual refreshing by which their ability to enlighten others will be greatly increased. They neglect present duties and privileges, and allow their light to burn dim, while they look forward to a time when, without any effort on their part, they will be made the recipients of special blessing, by which they will be transformed and fitted for service” (*The Acts of the Apostles*, p. 54).

**Their special project:** We would like to establish a Community Service Center in each main church and acquire a vehicle for service in the community. We also need to construct new offices for the conference.

**Their challenges:** There is a financial shortage and it is difficult to pay our loan for the auditorium.

**The reason for their praise:** We would like to thank God and praise Him because we have not suffered from serious disasters this year. God has spared us from all severe consequences such as the recent hurricane that passed over some churches on the island but did not cause any significant damage.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We praise God for the tremendous participation of our dedicated lay workers in evangelization. This has given great success to our conference. To God be the glory!

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Wednesday February 16, 2011**, our division is praying for

## THE NORTH HAITI MISSION

ESTABLISHED IN 1905

DAY 3

*“But let all those rejoice who put their trust in You;  
Let them ever shout for joy, because You defend them;  
Let those also who love Your name Be joyful in You.  
For You, O LORD, will bless the righteous;  
With favor You will surround him as with a shield”  
Psalm 5:11, 12.*

### TODAY'S READING

“The Bible teaches that everything regarding our salvation depends upon our own course of action. If we perish, the responsibility will rest wholly upon ourselves. If provision has been made, and if we accept God’s terms, we may lay hold on eternal life. We must come to Christ in faith, we must be diligent to make our calling and election sure” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 43).

**Their special project:** In order to give better service to our churches, we are planning the construction of a complex that includes classrooms, offices, and an auditorium for meetings of our field.

**Their challenges:** We ask for your prayers that God will help us achieve financing for the project of the building as well as the construction of some homes for pastors’ families

**The reason for their praise:** We give praise and glory to our God for the protection and help He has given His children in the midst of very difficult circumstances.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our gratitude to God is for all that He has done for us, especially because, although we experienced the danger of heavy rain and winds during a hurricane that battered our territory, none of our church members or workers died.

Today, **Thursday February 17, 2011**, our division is praying for

## THE SOUTH HAITI MISSION

ESTABLISHED IN 1905

DAY 4

*“Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly,  
nor stands in the path of sinners, nor sits in the seat of the scornful;  
but his delight is in the law of the LORD,  
and in His law he meditates day and night.  
He shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water,  
that brings forth its fruit in its season, whose leaf also shall not wither;  
and whatever he does shall prosper” Psalm 1:1–3.*

### TODAY'S READING

“Faith and works go hand in hand, they act harmoniously in the work of overcoming. Works without faith are dead, and faith without works is dead. Works will never save us; it is the merit of Christ that will avail in our behalf. Through faith in Him, Christ will make all our imperfect efforts acceptable to God. The faith we are required to have is not a do-nothing faith; saving faith is that which works by love, and purifies the soul. He who will lift up holy hands to God without wrath and doubting, will walk intelligently in the way of God’s commandments” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 44).

**Their special project:** At this time, our main project is the construction of a church that can accommodate at least 1,000 people. Please help us pray for this project.

**Their challenges:** We have a great need for homes to house pastors’ families. Financing this represents a great challenge that we hope to confront with God’s help.

**The reason for their praise:** Our God has always been good and proof is that not one of our workers died during the earthquake that took place on January 12, 2010. We praise His name for this!

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks be to God for His protection during Hurricane Tomas.





# Constant in Prayer

Today, **Friday February 18, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH CARIBBEAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1906

## DAY 5

*“He who covers his sins will not prosper,  
But whoever confesses and forsakes them will have mercy”*  
Proverbs 28:13.

### TODAY’S READING

“Where faith is, good works appear. The sick are visited, the poor are cared for, the fatherless and the widows are not neglected, the naked are clothed, the destitute are fed . . . The expression of the countenance reveals their experience, and men take knowledge of them that they have been with Jesus and learned of Him. (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 36).

#### **Their special project:**

- a. Modernizing churches to be used in ADRA initiatives for the national community.
- b. Renovation of our schools to reflect a positive image of the church.
- c. Increase in our programs in the media.
- d. Interviews with our ministers to make them ready for the programs of the coming year.

#### **Their challenges:**

- a. Revival and reformation of leaders and church members.
- b. Members’ faithfulness concerning our responsibilities of stewardship.
- c. Return to the effectiveness of the health message.
- d. The vitality of our education work.
- e. Improving family relations.

**The reason for their praise:** The Debe Company was blessed with the offer to buy a piece of land for their Global Mission project. There was a building on the property and the price was incredibly reasonable. There is now a marvelous group of believers who are worshipping in that location.

**The reason for their gratitude:** On January 22, 2011, there will be a national revival that will focus attention on the members who have left the church, our friends and active members. This event will last approximately three weeks and will be led by all the pastors of the conference. There will also be an evangelistic crusade in April 2011 in Port of Spain conducted by Claudius Morgan. We hope it will be very successful.

Today, **Monday February 21, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST PANAMA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1906

## DAY 6

*“Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant seeking beautiful pearls, who, when he had found one pearl of great price, went and sold all that he had and bought it”*  
Matthew 13:45, 46.

### TODAY’S READING

“In the parable the pearl is not represented as a gift. The merchantman bought it at the price of all that he had. Many question the meaning of this, since Christ is represented in the Scriptures as a gift. He is a gift, but only to those who give themselves, soul, body, and spirit, to Him without reserve. We are to give ourselves to Christ, to live a life of willing obedience to all His requirements. All that we are, all the talents and capabilities we possess, are the Lord’s, to be consecrated to His service. When we thus give ourselves wholly to Him, Christ, with all the treasures of heaven, gives Himself to us. We obtain the pearl of great price” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, p. 116).

**Their special project:** For Panama to become a union and for the government of Panama to give authorization for a university.

**Their challenges:** The formation of two new fields in the area of the East Panama Conference: the Atlantic Mission and the Southeast Mission.

**The reason for their praise:** God has allowed construction of new offices in the East Panama Conference—a reason for which we give thanks. Next, we will be letting you know the date of the inauguration where the name of the Lord will be exalted with a building that brings together all the conditions dealing with the needs of the growing church in our territory.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We praise the Lord because we have reduced the percentage of apostasy in our territory in 2010 from 29 percent to 9 percent.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Tuesday February 22, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE BAHAMAS CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1909

DAY 7

*“Again I say to you that if two of you agree on earth concerning anything that they ask, it will be done for them by My Father in heaven”*

Matthew 18:19.

## TODAY’S READING

“We, too, must have times set apart for meditation and prayer and for receiving spiritual refreshing. We do not value the power and efficacy of prayer as we should. Prayer and faith will do what no power on earth can accomplish. We are seldom, in all respects, placed in the same position twice. We continually have new scenes and new trials to pass through, where past experience cannot be a sufficient guide. We must have the continual light that comes from God” (*The Ministry of Healing*, p. 509).

**Their special project:** Completion of the New Academy of the Bahamas in September 2011.

**Their challenges:** Revival of true piety in the people of God, especially among our young people.

**The reason for their praise:** We have been helping in other areas in the territory of the Caribbean, particularly in Haiti that has been terribly affected by the disaster of the recent hurricane.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for our evangelistic efforts of this year. When it seemed that we were not going to reach our goal of 700 souls, God intervened in the last quarter in a powerful way and we reached that goal. We have still not yet reached the end of this year and we have already baptized a total of 743 persons. To God be the glory!

The recession adversely affected many of our members, but we have experienced a double-digit growth in the financial area of our work.

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Today, **Wednesday February 23, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST PUERTO RICO CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1909

DAY 8

*“And he arose and came to his father. But when he was still a great way off, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and fell on his neck and kissed him”*

Luke 15:20.

## TODAY’S READING

“The parables of the lost sheep, the lost coin, and the prodigal son, bring out in distinct lines God’s pitying love for those who are straying from Him. Although they have turned away from God, He does not leave them in their misery. He is full of kindness and tender pity toward all who are exposed to the temptations of the artful foe” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, p. 198).

**Their special project:** Sale of radio station 92.1.

**Their challenges:** Reaching, baptizing, and retaining 4,500 people in the quinquennium 2010–2015 and attaining the optimal financial position.

**The reason for their praise:** For His protection from atmospheric phenomena and the spirit of unity of East Puerto Rico Conference.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For the faithfulness of our brethren in returning their tithes and offerings and the power to contribute 47 percent of the union’s budget and for having reached the baptismal goal in the quinquennium 2005–2010.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Thursday February 24, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST PUERTO RICO CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1909

### DAY 9

*“Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly,  
nor stands in the path of sinners, nor sits in the seat  
of the scornful; but his delight is in the law of the LORD,  
and in His law he meditates day and night. He shall be like  
a tree planted by the rivers of water, that brings forth its fruit  
in its season, whose leaf also shall not wither;  
and whatever he does shall prosper”*

Psalm 1:1-3.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Hereditary and cultivated tendencies to evil must be overcome. Often the education and training of a lifetime must be discarded, that one may become a learner in the school of Christ. Our hearts must be educated to become steadfast in God. We are to form habits of thought that will enable us to resist temptation. We must learn to look upward”  
(*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 67).

**Their special project:** We would like prayer for winning souls.

**Their challenges:** Mobilizing pastors and laity in the fulfillment of the mission.

**The reason for their praise:** For the privilege of continuing to lead God’s work in West Puerto Rico. In the history of our field, the administration validated a new ending only once and God made it possible for a new ending to be repeated by the whole work team. Now we want to be more faithful to God and more dedicated to His service.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For the faithfulness of the brethren in the economic support of the church.

Today, **Friday February 25, 2011**, our division is praying for

**THE METROPOLITAN GUATEMALA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1913

### DAY 10

*“Pure and undefiled religion before God and the Father  
is this: to visit orphans and widows in their trouble,  
and to keep oneself unspotted from the world”*

James 1:27.

#### TODAY’S READING

“With every truly converted soul the relation to God and to eternal things will be the great topic of life. . . . Before the final visitation of God’s judgments upon the earth there will be among the people of the Lord such a revival of primitive godliness as has not been witnessed since apostolic times” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 19).

**Their special project:** We ask for prayer for a true revival and a genuine reformation in all the members that make up our conference.

**Their challenges:** The acquisition of a place for spiritual retreats and another for a health center, as well as for the opening of a bilingual college in the city of Guatemala.

**The reason for their praise:** We rejoice for the opening of three new churches in the challenging areas of the capital of Guatemala.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks be to God for having protected all our workers and their families in these last years. We thank God and exalt His name for having been very good to the Metropolitan Guatemala Conference.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Monday February 28, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE METROPOLITAN EL SALVADOR CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1915

DAY **11**

*“Is anyone among you suffering?  
Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful?  
Let him sing psalms”*

James 5:13

## TODAY’S READING

“Never a tear is shed, however secret, never a sincere desire after God is cherished, however feeble, but the Spirit of God goes forth to meet it. Even before the prayer is uttered or the yearning of the heart made known, grace from Christ goes forth to meet the grace that is working upon the human soul” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, p. 206).

**Their special project:** The “Dollar for dollar” plan to construct 10 churches next year.

**Their challenges:** Organizing 10 churches and 20 groups.

**The reason for their praise:** The power of God was manifested through three-day conferences of spiritual revival in every church.

**The reason for their gratitude:** The resources that were provided for the construction of 9 churches in 2010.

Today, **Tuesday March 1, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL HONDURAS MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1918

DAY **12**

*“How lovely is Your tabernacle, O LORD of hosts! My soul longs, yes, even faints for the courts of the LORD; my heart and my flesh cry out for the living God. Even the sparrow has found a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young—even Your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are those who dwell in Your house; they will still be praising You. . . . I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of wickedness. For the LORD God is a sun and shield; the LORD will give grace and glory; no good thing will He withhold from those who walk uprightly. O LORD of hosts, blessed is the man who trusts in You!”*

Psalms 84

## TODAY’S READING

“The secret of success is the union of divine power with human effort. Those who achieve the greatest results are those who rely most implicitly upon the Almighty Arm” (*Patriarchs and Prophets*, p. 509).

**Their special project:** The Central Honduras Conference asks for prayer for their construction project of a camp for all our churches and especially for activities of the youth.

**Their challenges:** Because of the project we have, our greatest challenge at this time is to find funds for this project. We trust in God’s power to face this challenge thanks to your prayers.

**The reason for their praise:** In our conference, we do not stop praising and giving glory to our God because we have managed, with His help, to survive in the midst of the financial crisis without having to stop the camp project.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Gratitude to God always for the miraculous way God has supported us, for His constant care, and for His completely trustworthy direction.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Wednesday March 2, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE METROPOLITAN MEXICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1924

### DAY 13

*“Yours, O LORD, is the greatness, the power and the glory,  
the victory and the majesty; for all that is in heaven  
and in earth is Yours; Yours is the kingdom, O LORD,  
and You are exalted as head over all”*

1 Chronicles 29:11.

#### TODAY'S READING

“No one who claims holiness is really holy. Those who are registered as holy in the books of Heaven are not aware of the fact, and are the last ones to boast of their own goodness. None of the prophets and apostles ever professed holiness, not even Daniel, Paul, or John. The righteous never make such a claim” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 62).

**Their special project:** Consolidate the church organized in the historical center of the Federal District.

**Their challenges:** Building churches in the Federal District of Mexico is a great challenge. Even so, with the help of God and all your prayers, we propose and hope to build 30 churches in our field.

**The reason for their praise:** God has been very good to us. We have only gratitude, praise, and recognition for Him. It was our God who blessed us with sufficient resources for the growth and strengthening of the work in our conference.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We also give thanks to God for the growth we have experienced in the membership of the conference.

Today, **Thursday March 3, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL DOMINICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1924

### DAY 14

*“Therefore, whether you eat or drink,  
or whatever you do,  
do all to the glory of God”*

1 Corinthians 10:31.

#### TODAY'S READING

“If we have any regard for our souls' salvation, we must make a decided change. We must seek the Lord with true penitence; we must with deep contrition of soul confess our sins, that they may be blotted out” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 13).

**Their special project:** The conference plans the construction of important churches in the city of San Cristóbal and in the Naco suburbs in Santo Domingo.

**Their challenges:** The conference camp located in Najayo, San Cristóbal is in the last phase of completion and represents an important economic challenge for the field. We ask for your prayers for this project.

**The reason for their praise:** The Lord has worked in a wonderful way for the construction of this camp and we praise His name.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the way He has provided the economic resources to fulfill all the financial commitments of our field in the midst of the crisis that grips our country and the world.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Friday March 4, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTHEAST MEXICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1924

DAY 15

*"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness"*

1 John 1:9.

## TODAY'S READING

"He who would become a child of God must receive the truth that repentance and forgiveness are to be obtained through nothing less than the atonement of Christ. Assured of this the sinner must put forth an effort in harmony with the work done for him, and with unwearied entreaty he must supplicate the throne of grace, that the renovating power of God may come into his soul. Christ pardons none but the penitent, but whom He pardons He first makes penitent" (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, pp. 32, 33).

**Their special project:** Our conference wants to establish the work in two new municipalities in 2011 and strengthen the construction project of Vicente Suárez-Cumbres Institute, a school where young people can be prepared and get an education centered on our beliefs.

**Their challenges:** We will mention two of our great challenges:

1. Insecurity because of organized crime
2. Evangelizing the city of Monterrey with its four million inhabitants.

**The reason for their praise:** For having reached our baptismal goal for 2010. We give thanks to God because we have not had any loss of human life in either natural disasters or in the dangers of crime.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For God's financial blessings. We have 146 percent of operating capital and 35 percent liquidity.

Today, **Monday, March 7, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SONORA MEXICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1924

DAY 16

*"Jesus answered and said to him, 'Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God' . . . Jesus answered, 'Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God' "* John 3:3, 5.

## TODAY'S READING

"Many concede that Jesus Christ is the Saviour of the world, but at the same time, they hold themselves away from Him, and fail to repent of their sins, fail to accept of Jesus as their personal Saviour. Their faith is simply the assent of the mind and judgment to the truth; but the truth is not brought into the heart, that it might sanctify the soul and transform the character" (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 29).

- Construction of an evangelistic center that includes conference offices on the Sahuaro land in Hermosillo, Sonora.
- Creation of a new educational structure and its implementation.

**Their challenges:**

- A full-time education secretary.
- Reaching and impacting the population of the city of Hermosillo, Sonora.
- Getting and holding the attention of the young people in the state of Sonora.
- Developing the concepts of discipling and stewardship in the conference.

**The reason for their praise:**

- For the evangelistic advance experienced in the whole field.
- For the projects of church construction.
- For caring for the pastors and workers in general in the field.

**The reason for their gratitude:**

- For the life and health of each one of the pastors in the Sonora Conference.
- For one more year of work completed.
- For the financial stability the field has achieved.

**Their special project:**

- Construction of a camp that will serve our whole conference.
- Construction of a representative church in Ciudad Obregón (the state).



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Tuesday March 8, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE ATLANTIC COLOMBIAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1925

### DAY 17

“Kings of the earth and all peoples; princes and all judges of the earth; both young men and maidens; old men and children. Let them praise the name of the LORD, for His name alone is exalted; His glory is above the earth and heaven. And He has exalted the horn of His people, the praise of all His saints—of the children of Israel, a people near to Him. Praise the LORD!”

Psalm 148:11–14.

#### TODAY'S READING

“It is our work, by confession, humiliation, repentance, and earnest prayer, to fulfill the conditions upon which God has promised to grant us His blessing” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 9).

#### **Their special project:**

- They ask for prayer for the finances of the Adventist Atlantic Secondary School and its leadership.
- For the development of La Floresta Camp.
- That 2011 will be successful in evangelism for the glory of God.

**Their challenges:** This field faces economic challenges that threaten its growth and they ask for our prayers in facing those challenges.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for His special care and in some cases, the miracles He has worked for our church members. It has been evident to us that divine intervention worked in cases such as that of the brother God delivered from a traffic accident.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks to God for the total recovery of the field in finances, evangelism, and the work environment.

Today, **Wednesday March 9, 2011**, our division is praying for

**THE EAST CARIBBEAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1926

### DAY 18

“Truly God is good to Israel, To such as are pure in heart”

Psalm 73:1.

#### TODAY'S READING

“Although as sinners we are under the condemnation of the law, yet Christ by His obedience rendered to the law, claims for the repentant soul the merit of His own righteousness. In order to obtain the righteousness of Christ, it is necessary for the sinner to know what that repentance is which works a radical change of mind and spirit and action” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 32).

**Their special project:** Development of

- Oldbury Center of Development for Multiple Purposes
- Oldbury Project of Agriculture
- Barbados Pathfinder Club project
- Storage project in Dominica
- Project with multiple purposes in Dominica

We need your prayers for the successful achievement of these projects.

#### **Their challenges:**

- Establishing a sustainable development plan for Christian education
- Retaining newly-baptized members
- Development of programs and activities that draw the attention of our young adults
- Taking in several ethnic groups who are gradually settling in our territory.

#### **The reason for their praise:**

- For having found land in Roseau for the relocation of Roseau Primary School which has the potential of helping us with the sustainable development of the work in Dominica.
- For having been spared from the full impact of tropical storm Tomas
- For having been able to send help to St. Lucia
- For the increase of our income through tithes
- For the renovation of the classrooms in our two secondary schools

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the completion and dedication of the East Caribbean Conference Study and for the activities of the first quarter of the Year of the Family.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Thursday March 10, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE UPPER MAGDALENA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1926

DAY 19

“O God, You are my God; early will I seek You;  
my soul thirsts for You; my flesh longs  
for You in a dry and thirsty land where there is no water.  
So I have looked for You in the sanctuary, to see  
Your power and Your glory. Because Your lovingkindness  
is better than life, my lips shall praise You. Thus I will bless  
You while I live; I will lift up my hands in Your name”

Psalm 63:1-4.

## TODAY'S READING

“If we would labor to repress sinful thoughts and feelings, giving them no expression in words or actions, Satan would be defeated; for he could not prepare his specious temptations to meet the case” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 10).

**Their special project:** There are two activities for the next year: Celebration of 90 years of Adventist presence in Bogotá and our great campaign that will take place at the end of October and the beginning of November, conducted by Pastor Robert Costa, director of the It Is Written program. We ask for your prayers for the success of both activities.

**Their challenges:** Financial resources are necessary for the activities mentioned above; in order for the power of the Holy Spirit to be very evident in these activities, we beg you to help us with prayer.

**The reason for their praise:** God has been very good to the Upper Magdalena Conference. For two consecutive years, we have reached our proposed goal, something that has not happened for many years. For this, we give honor and glory to His Name.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For what was said previously and for the blessings that God has poured on the ministerial body of this conference and on the office personnel, and for His tender and loving care for our brethren in general.

Today, **Friday March 11, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE GUYANA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1927

DAY 20

“When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers,  
the moon and the stars, which You have ordained,  
what is man that You are mindful of him,  
and the son of man that You visit him?”

Psalm 8:3-4

## TODAY'S READING

“We are to do all that we can do on our part to fight the good fight of faith. We are to wrestle, to labor, to strive, to agonize to enter in at the strait gate. We are to set the Lord ever before us. With clean hands, with pure hearts, we are to seek to honor God in all our ways. Help has been provided for us in Him who is mighty to save” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 43).

**Their special project:** We want to work with the community of East Indians in our territory. The General Conference has given us financial resources to complete this project. However, we are having difficulty finding people who belong to this community to work with them. We ask for your prayers.

**Their challenges:** We want to complete the construction of a home for elderly people before the next session of our field.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for the wonderful year He has given us in evangelism. More than 2,500 souls have been baptized.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the Youth Congress that took place in our field, which was attended by more than 7,000 people.





## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Monday, March 14, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL-SOUTH COSTA RICA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1927

DAY **21**

*“Now therefore, O LORD our God, I pray,  
save us from his hand, that all the kingdoms  
of the earth may know that You are the LORD God,  
You alone”*

2 Kings 19:19.

### TODAY'S READING

“Those who surrender wholly to God will put thought and prayer and earnest, consecrated tact into their labors”  
(*Christian Service*, p. 230).

**Their special project:** At the present time, we are busy with the special “Homecoming” project that consists of rescuing those members who have left the church to get them to return.

**Their challenges:** Having a new mission and having an educational presence in our territory.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for Adventist television that is available in our territory through cable companies. Many have come to know the gospel by this means.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We have many reasons to be grateful to God. The following are some of them:

- For God’s protection to those brothers and sisters who suffered in floods.
- For the seminars of spiritual growth given to all the workers, including educators.
- For confidence in the brethren in the administration; because of this confidence, the members are returning their tithes and offerings with greater faithfulness and generosity.

Today, **Tuesday March 15, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NICARAGUA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1928

DAY **22**

*“The LORD also will be a refuge for the oppressed,  
a refuge in times of trouble. And those who know  
Your name will put their trust in You; for You, LORD,  
have not forsaken those who seek You.*

*Sing praises to the LORD, who dwells in Zion!  
Declare His deeds among the people”* Psalm 9:9–11.

### TODAY'S READING

“The Christian life is a battle and a march. In this warfare there is no release; the effort must be continuous and persevering. It is by unceasing endeavor that we maintain the victory over the temptations of Satan. Christian integrity must be sought with resistless energy and maintained with a resolute fixedness of purpose” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 66).

**Their special project:** Establishment of a national camp for Nicaraguan youth.

**Their challenges:** Making two missions from what is now the Central Adventist Mission of Nicaragua.

**The reason for their praise:** The spiritual faithfulness and revival of the church.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the beautiful blessing that allows us to have a committed church, dedicated to the responsibilities of their hearts, along with our beloved ministers who lead out and as a result of this, for the glory of God, we are reaching 1,200 small groups as the Central Adventist Mission of Nicaragua. I would like to mention that we began with 400 small groups that were organized and above all, available. For this reason, we give glory to the Lord in fulfilling the task expressed in His Word: “Go and make disciples.”

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Wednesday March 16, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NETHERLANDS ANTILLES CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1934

DAY 23

“Do not be overcome by evil,  
but overcome evil with good” Romans 12:21.

## TODAY’S READING

“The pure in heart shall see God. Every impure thought defiles the soul, impairs the moral sense, and tends to obliterate the impressions of the Holy Spirit. . . . Some will acknowledge the evil of sinful indulgences, yet will excuse themselves by saying that they cannot overcome their passions. This is a terrible admission for any person to make who names Christ” (*Counsels for the Church*, p. 107).

### **Their special project:**

- With the help of God, we want to strengthen the dedication and commitment of the workers and brethren to fulfill the mission of the church.
- We ask for your prayers that God will help us break down the barriers that impede the construction of a new building for one of our schools.

- We want to accomplish the recovery of our hospital in such a way that it will be more effective in the community than it was before the flood that hit it recently.

**Their challenges:** Implementation of new strategies to fulfill the mission of the church.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God the Creator and Sustainer because He is God and there is no God equal to Him. He blessed the work on the islands of Curaçao and Bonaire. He provided resources to sustain approximately 185 workers represented by pastors, teachers, nurses, administrators, etc. This year, we have seen about 320 souls surrender to Christ and join the Church. It is also by the grace and power of God that we could establish two congregations this past year.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for His faithfulness and love manifested in our midst. We thank God for every faithful brother and sister in each one of the 35 congregations that make up the conference of churches in Curaçao and Bonaire. Thanks for the dedication and efforts of every church member.

Today, **Thursday March 17, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE PACIFIC COLOMBIAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1941

DAY 24

“I sought the LORD, and He heard me, and delivered me from all my fears. They looked to Him and were radiant, and their faces were not ashamed. This poor man cried out, and the LORD heard him, and saved him out of all his troubles. The angel of the LORD encamps all around those who fear Him, and delivers them. Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good; blessed is the man who trusts in Him! Oh, fear the LORD, you His saints! There is no want to those who fear Him”

Psalm 34:4-9.

## TODAY’S READING

“God does not now accept a tame, spiritless testimony from His ministers. Such a testimony would not be present truth. The message for this time must be meat in due season to feed the church of God” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 12).

**Their special project:** Buying a lot in the south part of the city of Cali to build a church in the area where upper class people live.

### **Their challenges:**

- Increasing the number of students in the colleges and schools in the conference.
- Strengthening our schools financially.

**The reason for their praise:** We recognize God for allowing us to purchase the Health Center in the city of Popayán. This institution will allow many people to know our church and the message of salvation.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the fulfillment of our baptismal goals and for the growth of 13 percent in the faithfulness of our church members this past year.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Friday March 18, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CAYMAN ISLANDS CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1944

DAY **25**

*“Take heed to yourself and to the doctrine. Continue in them, for in doing this you will save both yourself and those who hear you”*

1 Timothy 4:16.

### TODAY’S READING

“First give yourself to the Lord for purification and sanctification. A godly example will tell more for the truth than the greatest eloquence, unaccompanied by a well-ordered life . . . Seek from Christ that grace, that clearness of comprehension, which will enable you to do successful work. Learn from Him what it means to work for those for whom He gave His life” (*Gospel Workers*, pp. 104, 105).

#### *Their special project:*

- We need to finish some of our church buildings to house our members, for example, West Bay Church and Kings Church.
- We would like to dedicate the multi-purpose building in Georgetown to the glory of God.

**Their challenges:** The people who come to serve in this country are sometimes not to the liking of the local residents, including the people in the church. We pray for a change in attitude. Added to this is the factor of the **Roll-over Policy** of the Cayman Islands which allows non-native residents of the island who have been in residence seven years to be asked to leave without sufficiently long notice. This can adversely affect the continuity of the work of the Church by foreign personnel.

**The reason for their praise:** This church has become the fastest growing in the conference. Pastor Connor conducted the campaign. The Union gave the conference a goal of 285 souls, and already, by November, they had baptized 440 people. Praise be to God!

#### **The reason for their gratitude:**

- There is presently much more unity and companionship among the pastors.
- The churches are growing because of the new program that has been incorporated.
- In the midst of the economic crisis, we are less than 3% below our goal.
- The Roll-over Policy on the Cayman Islands has not affected us adversely.

Today, **Monday March 21, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SURINAME MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1945

DAY **26**

*“Oh, give thanks to the LORD,  
for He is good! For His mercy endures forever”*

Psalms 136:1.

### TODAY’S READING

“Abundant grace has been provided that the believing soul may be kept free from sin; for all heaven, with its limitless resources, has been placed at our command. We are to draw from the well of salvation. Christ is the end of law for righteousness to everyone who believeth. In ourselves we are sinners; but in Christ we are righteous (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 33).

**Their special project:** Missionary work for the Haitian population in Suriname.

**Their challenges:** A leadership that is committed to the Haitian group and the church, in general, in Suriname.

**The reason for their praise:** God has helped us find a pastor and his wife who speak Haitian Creole.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We have acquired a place for worship. The leaders are going to form a nucleus for this group—a well-supported group of Haitian believers.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Tuesday March 22, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL CHIAPAS CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1948

DAY 27

*“Let your light so shine before men,  
that they may see your good works and glorify  
your Father in heaven”*

Matthew 5:16.

## TODAY'S READING

“It was the Saviour’s purpose that after He ascended to heaven to become man’s intercessor, His followers should carry on the work that He had begun. Shall the human agent show no special interest in giving the light of the gospel message to those who sit in darkness? There are some who are willing to go to the ends of the earth in order to carry the light of truth to men, but God demands that every soul who knows the truth shall seek to win others to the love of the truth. If we are not willing to make special sacrifices in order to save souls that are ready to perish, how can we be counted worthy to enter into the city of God?” (*Christian Service*, p. 8).

**Their special project:** For our conference, it is of vital importance that we have the facilities of a good camp. Thus, our project is the construction of the Orion Camp.

**Their challenges:** An evangelistic project with lay missionaries in the Frailesca area. We also ask for your prayers so that the unity of the church may be maintained and the attack of separatist groups does not destroy it.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise our God for His unconditional love, for His blessings that have never failed in our field, and for the protection that He has poured on us to the present.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give sincere thanks to God for the spirit of faithfulness and loyalty of the church members to God and His church.

Today, **Wednesday March 23, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL TABASCO CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1948

DAY 28

*“Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through  
Him who loved us. For I am persuaded that neither death  
nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers,  
nor things present nor things to come, nor height nor depth,  
nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us  
from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord”*

Romans 8:37–39.

## TODAY'S READING

“He who repents of his sin and accepts the gift of the life of the Son of God, cannot be overcome. Laying hold by faith of the divine nature, he becomes a child of God. He prays, he believes. When tempted and tried, he claims the power that Christ died to give, and overcomes through His grace” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 47).

**Their special project:**

- Construction of administrative offices at the College and University on the campus that is at Kilometer 9 of Parrilla Highway, Villa Hermosa, Tabasco.
- Acquiring land and building 5 new churches in the city of Villa Hermosa, Tabasco

**Their challenges:** : Evangelizing and organizing 10 new churches in the city of Villa Hermosa during the quadrennium.

**The reason for their praise:** : Nicanor González Mendoza College in the Central Tabasco Conference was chosen by the Secretary of Health of the state of Tabasco as a model of a school that teaches and practices the principles of health in its program of certification (“The Healthy School”). Glory be to God!

**The reason for their gratitude:** During the months of September and October 2010, the neighboring states of Veracruz, Oaxaca, and Chiapas suffered drastically from floods and landslides. All the forecasts said that we would have similar floods to those of 2007, but today we express gratitude to God because the effects were minimal.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Thursday March 24, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE MAYAB CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1948

### DAY 29

*“For since, in the wisdom of God, the world through wisdom did not know God, it pleased God through the foolishness of the message preached to save those who believe”*

1 Corinthians 1:21

#### TODAY’S READING

“God rebukes His people for their sins, that He may humble them, and lead them to seek His face. As they reform, and His love revives in their hearts, His loving answers will come to their requests. He will strengthen them in reformatory action, lifting up for them a standard against the enemy. His rich blessing will rest upon them, and in bright rays they will reflect the light of heaven. Then a multitude not of their faith, seeing that God is with His people, will unite with them in serving the Redeemer” (*Review and Herald*, February 25, 1902).

**Their special project:** We ask for prayer for the “Megamission Impact Time of Hope Plan” which will begin January 16, 2011 in Progreso, Yucatán. This plan fulfills the proposal to impact the

community by distributing 20,000 copies of the book *Signs of Hope*. Free medical attention will be offered in the following specialties: Pediatrics, Ophthalmology, Dentistry, General Medicine, Discussions on Disease Prevention, and Psychological Guidance. Provisions will also be given to those most in need.

**Their challenges:** We have a great challenge in the evangelization of the city of Mérida in the state of Yucatán since it is the largest city in the South Mexican Union and the least evangelized. It is also important to achieve growth of at least 10% in the number of churches and membership.

**The reason for their praise:** We give all the credit, honor and praise to God because the results of the plan in our field in the 15 largest cities and least evangelized have had the following as a result:

- 7 properties and 3 new churches
- 2,039 souls gained in 5 years
- A new district

**The reason for their gratitude:** Among the many things for which we thank our good God, we would like to highlight the construction of the kindergarten with a capacity of 80 students.

Today, **Friday March 25, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE COLOMBIAN ISLANDS MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1955

### DAY 30

*“Finally, all of you be of one mind, having compassion for one another; love as brothers, be tenderhearted, be courteous”*

1 Peter 3:8.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Love cannot live without action, and every act increases, strengthens, and extends it. Love will gain the victory when argument and authority are powerless. Love works not for profit nor reward; yet God has ordained that great gain shall be the certain result of every labor of love. It is diffusive in its nature and quiet in its operation, yet strong and mighty in its purpose to overcome great evils” (*Mind, Character and Personality*, p. 210).

**Their special project:** By the grace of God, we are planning the construction of a model Adventist high school in our field.

**Their challenges:** Since winning souls is our main work, we see our baptismal goal as our principle challenge. Help us by praying for it!

**The reason for their praise:** Our praise is for the Lord because He helped us with the construction of a church in Sur Oeste, Providencia.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for His care, protection, and the direction of the Holy Spirit.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Monday, March 28, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL VENEZUELA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1957

DAY 31

*“But without faith it is impossible to please Him,  
for he who comes to God must believe that He is,  
and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him”*

Hebrews 11:6.

## TODAY'S READING

“A revival and a reformation must take place, under the ministration of the Holy Spirit. Revival and reformation are two different things. Revival signifies a renewal of spiritual life, a quickening of the powers of mind and heart, a resurrection from spiritual death. Reformation signifies a reorganization, a change in ideas and theories, habits and practices” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 15).

**Their special project:** Establishing a production unit for audiovisual resources to serve all the churches in our territory.

**Their challenges:** The construction of four representative churches in the strategic locations of our field.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for the achievement that the reorganization of the territory our conference represents. It has made possible the existence of the recently formed East Central Venezuela Conference.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We infinitely *thank* God for the celebration of 100 years of the establishment of the Adventist work in Venezuela and for the organization of 5 new churches and 9 groups in the territory of the mission this past year.

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Today, **Tuesday March 29, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE FRENCH GUIANA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1960

DAY 32

*“Buy the truth, and do not sell it,  
also wisdom and instruction and understanding”*

Proverbs 23:23.

## TODAY'S READING

“By beholding Jesus we receive a living, expanding principle in the heart, and the Holy Spirit carries on the work, and the believer advances from grace to grace, from strength to strength, from character to character. He conforms to the image of Christ, until in spiritual growth he attains unto the measure of the full stature in Christ Jesus. Thus Christ makes an end of the curse of sin, and sets the believing soul free from its action and effect” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 34).

**Their special project:** The construction of a new office to give better service to the churches and our employees.

**Their challenges:** More new possibilities in terms of money to fulfill the demands of the work.

**The reason for their praise:** The great blessing given the program of the Health Department in the community.

**The reason for their gratitude:** The blessing seen in the territory after the Bible Competition of the Inter-American Division organized by the Youth Department for three days in an open area.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Wednesday March 30, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL JAMAICA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1962

### DAY 33

*“But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth”*

Acts 1:8.

#### TODAY'S READING

“In visions of the night representations passed before me of a great reformatory movement among God’s people. . . . Hundreds and thousands were seen visiting families and opening before them the word of God. Hearts were convicted by the power of the Holy Spirit . . . . On every side doors were thrown open to the proclamation of the truth. . . . heard voices of thanksgiving and praise” (*Counsels on Health*, p. 580).

**Their special project:** We are in the process of developing a children’s villa in our conference. This concept was planned and work has begun on it. We have been able to make some progress, but the project is still not functional. Please pray for the success of this needed villa.

**Their challenges:** Some of the parents of our students in secondary as well as primary schools face tremendous challenges to pay tuition. In addition, some of our students and their parents face serious social problems. Some are victims of abuse. Please pray for divine intercession.

**The reason for their praise:** Many of our new members who come from violent areas and have accepted Christ have demonstrated surprising courage. In spite of the violence, they have stepped out in faith and are holding up quite well. We praise God for this. Please continue to pray for these people.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the financial blessing the Lord has given us. In spite of the recession, the members have been faithful and the conference goes forward.

Today, **Thursday March 31, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1965

### DAY 34

*“Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
and renew a steadfast spirit within me”*

Psalms 51:10.

#### TODAY'S READING

“When this intimacy of connection and communion is formed, our sins are laid upon Christ; His righteousness is imputed to us. He was made sin for us that we might be made the righteousness of God in Him. We have access to God through Him; we are accepted in the Beloved” (*A New Life*, p. 44).

“Lord, take my heart; for I cannot give it. It is Thy property. Keep it pure, for I cannot keep it for Thee. Save me in spite of myself, my weak, unchristlike self. Mold me, fashion me, raise me into a pure and holy atmosphere, where the rich current of Thy love can flow through my soul” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, p. 159).

**Their special project:** The construction of church homes for congregations that are rapidly expanding. There is a church that is using a tent for their religious services. There are three others that are using schoolrooms. The task of constructing more churches is one of our main projects at the present time.

**Their challenges:** We have been offered a piece of land for camping and we are having difficulty in obtaining the documents from government departments. We need the help of God to speed up the necessary paperwork for us.

**The reason for their praise:** We give thanks to God for the high level of success we have experienced in the expansion of Adventist education on the island.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for having allowed us to go through the time of hurricanes safely. We did not experience any major disaster and we give thanks to God and praise Him for it.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Friday April 1, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE MARTINIQUE CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1965

DAY 35

*“By humility and the fear of the LORD  
are riches and honor and life”*

Proverbs 22:4.

## TODAY’S READING

“The Lord would have His people sound in the faith—not ignorant of the great salvation so abundantly provided for them. They are not to look forward, thinking that at some future time a great work is to be done for them; for the work is now complete. The believer is not called upon to make his peace with God; he never has nor ever can do this. He is to accept Christ as his peace, for with Christ is God and peace” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 34).

**Their special project:** We are fully involved in the project of completing a new office building.

**Their challenges:** The need for more Adventist teachers to work in our schools.

**The reason for their praise:** We rejoice for the new believers and for more young people who have accepted Jesus as their personal Savior and King.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for all His blessings, especially for the good impact of the church on the community.

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Today, **Monday April 4, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE GUADELOUPE CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1965

DAY 36

*“Commit your works to the LORD,  
and your thoughts  
will be established”*

Proverbs 16:3.

## TODAY’S READING

“Having made us righteous through the imputed righteousness of Christ, God pronounces us just, and treats us as just. He looks upon us as His dear children. Christ works against the power of sin, and where sin abounded, grace much more abounds. Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ: by whom also we have access by faith unto this grace wherein we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God’ ” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 33).

**Their special project:** Our field is working on completing the new Adventist Service Center in the community for the work of our sisters in the Dorcas Department.

**Their challenges:** We are facing a great challenge with the problem of secularization in society. We ask that you please pray that God will help us with this.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for the dedication of five new churches this year (2010) for the glory of God and the joy of the brethren.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks be to God for the positive answer given by the education authorities concerning the religious liberty of our students.





## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Tuesday April 5, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH DOMINICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1972

### DAY 37

*"Finding out what is acceptable to the Lord"*

Ephesians 5:10.

#### TODAY'S READING

"The church must arouse to action. The Spirit of God can never come in until she prepares the way. There should be earnest searching of heart. There should be united, persevering prayer, and through faith a claiming of the promises of God" (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, pp. 14).

**Their special project:** Santiago de los Treinta Caballeros is the second most important and urban city in the Dominican Republic. One of the oldest cities in the country, it has a population of 600,000 inhabitants. It is located in the center of the Cibao valley and constitutes the economic and cultural center of the region. In this beautiful and historic city of the North Dominican Conference, we plan the construction of a multi-use meeting center with the intention of reaching thousands with the gospel of salvation. We are praying for this project.

#### Their challenges:

- By the grace of God, establishing 20 new churches in the cities of Santiago, Moca, Puerto Plata, and Mao.
- Penetrating all the places where the church does not have a presence up to the present time.
- Keeping all the existing churches and groups open and growing.
- Establishing a clear program of evangelization to establish the church where we have no presence.

**The reason for their praise:** We give glory to the Lord for the baptism of the well-known baseball player Tony Batista.

#### The reason for their gratitude:

- The triumph of Jesus on the cross of Calvary and His resurrection that gives us salvation through His grace.
- The privilege of forming part of His church on this earth and knowing that our citizenship is in heaven where we will no longer be affected by the acts of criminality, corruption, injustice and nepotism.
- The reason for constant gratitude is the blessed hope in our Lord.

Today, **Wednesday April 6, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH CARIBBEAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1975

### DAY 38

*"Blessed is every one who fears the LORD,  
who walks in His ways. When you eat  
the labor of your hands, you shall be happy,  
and it shall be well with you"*

Psalms 128:1, 2.

#### TODAY'S READING

"He who would become a child of God must receive the truth that repentance and forgiveness are to be obtained through nothing less than the atonement of Christ. Assured of this the sinner must put forth an effort in harmony with the work done for him, and with unwearied entreaty he must supplicate the throne of grace, that the renovating power of God may come into his soul" (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, pp. 32, 33).

#### Their special project:

- The St. Eustatius Church has been under construction for the last nineteen years. We ask for your prayers to be able to complete this project quickly and be able to dedicate this church to the glory of God.

#### Their challenges:

- The financial viability of the St. Croix school that goes from Kindergarten to Grade 12.
- The transition without complications of our territory since five of our fifteen islands will soon be changed into a new field. We need your prayers so that this transition can take place without problems.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God because the tropical storm did not greatly affect us but passed over us. We only suffered minor damage.

#### The reason for their gratitude:

- God helped us baptize more than 900 precious souls.
- Our finances have not been low, but have remained stable.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Thursday April 7, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST MEXICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1975

DAY **39**

*“If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness”*

1 John 1:9.

## TODAY'S READING

“These scenes are to be repeated, and with greater power. The outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the day of Pentecost was the former rain, but the latter rain will be more abundant” (*Christ's Object Lessons*, p. 121).

### **Their special project:**

- We are going to carry out a special program of evangelization intended to impact the important city of Guadalajara.
- We are also planning the construction of a church building representative of our church in that city.

**Their challenges:** The financial matters of our field represent our greatest challenge. We ask for your prayers so that the Lord may give us a more solid financial base for greater institutional development.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God in our field for allowing us to see an important number of baptisms this year. We believe that only He deserves the credit for this.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the team of workers that our field has, pastors who take care of our greatest treasure, which is the members of the church.

Today, **Friday April 8, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOCONUSCO, CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1979

DAY **40**

*“Then those who gladly received his word were baptized; and that day about three thousand souls were added to them”*

Acts 2:41.

## TODAY'S READING

“The great work of the gospel is not to close with less manifestation of the power of God than marked its opening. The prophecies which were fulfilled in the outpouring of the former rain at the opening of the gospel are again to be fulfilled in the latter rain at its close” (*The Great Controversy*, pp. 611, 612).

**Their special project:** By the grace of God, we are going to baptize 5,000 precious souls on January 30, 2011.

**Their challenges:** Reorganization of our territory for the creation of a new mission is a great challenge that we would like to achieve with the help of God in June 2011.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for all the blessings given our field during the past year and for the constant protection over each one of His children because He was leading His church in victory in the midst of all types of circumstances.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our gratitude to God for having helped us distribute 130,000 copies of the book *Signs of Hope*, thus bearing the message of salvation to thousands of people.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Monday April 11, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE GRENADA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1983

### DAY 41

“Now therefore, our God, We thank You And praise  
Your glorious name . . .  
For all things come from You,  
and of Your own we have given You”  
1 Chronicles 29:13, 14.

#### TODAY’S READING

There is a time coming when those who have wasted their time and opportunities will wish they had sought Him . . . He wants you to keep in the line of reason, and in the line of labor. He wants you to institute meetings for those outside of the churches, that they may learn the truths of this last message of warning” (True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need, pp. 93, 94).

#### Their special project:

- Completion of the campsite.
- The great need to build a plant to house the Adventist primary school of St. George.

#### Their challenges:

- Resolution of the undefined situation of negotiation between the conference and the Hillsborough Church in Carriacou.
- Financial recovery of the Adventist Book Center.

#### The reason for their praise:

- The donation of approximately 16,000 square feet of land by a member in Ottawa, Canada to establish a church in the south of the island. We found one place, but were not able to purchase it because of the high cost of the land.
- The incredible recuperation of the health of Pastors Charles Gittens and Joseph Bowen after their serious illnesses.
- The decision of the government of Grenada to give us property and a modern building for the Adventist primary school of Mt. Rose.

#### The reason for their gratitude:

- For three new beginning ministers for next year.
- For the success of the mega celebration of youth evangelism from November 28 to December 4.
- For the establishment of a solid church in Chantimel and Davie.

Today, **Tuesday April 12, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST COLOMBIAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1985

### DAY 42

“You are worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor  
and power; for You created all things,  
and by Your will they exist and were created”  
Revelation 4:11.

#### TODAY’S READING

“A revival of true godliness among us is the greatest and most urgent of all our needs. To seek this should be our first work” (True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need, p. 9).

**Their special project:** They are asking for prayer for the reorganization of their field.

**Their challenges:** Reaching 20 municipalities with our message where there is no Adventist presence.

**The reason for their praise:** The blessings received in souls, churches, groups, and institutions during this past quadrennium.

**The reason for their gratitude:** The success in the *Caravan of Hope* evangelistic program, which was attended by more than 60 percent of the membership.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Wednesday April 13, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH DOMINICAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1986

DAY **43**

*"I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God,  
that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy,  
acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service"*

Romans 12:1.

## TODAY'S READING

"We must no longer remain upon the enchanted ground.  
Let every soul inquire, How do I stand before God?" (*True  
Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 13).

**Their special project:** The mission needs the facilities of a camp for its activities. We ask for prayer for the acquisition of property adequate for this project.

**Their challenges:** Establishing an Adventist presence in several large cities in our territory.

**The reason for their praise:** Our mission praises God for His providential protection during this year that spared us from all types of natural phenomena and calamities that battered nearby areas.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks be to our God for His unchanging love and especially, for the blessing of material provisions in the midst of the financial crisis.

Today, **Thursday April 14, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST VENEZUELA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1987

DAY **44**

*"For I am the LORD, I do not change;  
therefore you are not consumed,  
O sons of Jacob"*  
Malachi 3:6.

## TODAY'S READING

"It is not alone the most talented, not alone those who hold high positions of trust, or are the most highly educated from a worldly point of view. Whom the Lord uses to do His grand and holy work of soulsaving. He will use simple means; He will use many who have had few advantages to help in carrying forward His work" (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 16).

**Their special project:** Organizing a commission to plan strategies for evangelizing the upper classes of the east part of Caracas

**Their challenges:** In this east part of the city of Caracas, there is an upper class population that we would like to evangelize. It is our challenge to create methods and find resources to reach this type of people in our territory.

**The reason for their praise:** A week's campaign for the upper class took place with more than 200 people attending. More than 20 accepted the call to be baptized and another 20 agreed to study the Bible.

**The reason for their gratitude:**

- We give thanks to God because we are operating in the new headquarters of our newly-formed mission.
- In the last committee of the Inter-American Division, the formation of the East Central Venezuela Conference was officially voted.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Friday April 15, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH VERACRUZ CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1988

### DAY 45

*“Be merciful to me, O Lord, for I cry to You all day long. Rejoice the soul of Your servant, for to You, O Lord, I lift up my soul. For You, Lord, are good, and ready to forgive, and abundant in mercy to all those who call upon You”*

Psalm 86:3–5.

#### TODAY’S READING

“The worker for God needs strong faith. Appearances may seem forbidding; but in the darkest hour there is light beyond. The strength of those who, in faith, love and serve God, will be renewed day by day” (*Gospel Workers*, p. 262).

**Their special project:** In our field, we continue to complete the construction project of our camp.

At the present time, the specific project is the construction of the Camp Auditorium. Please pray for us!

**Their challenges:** The growth of our field is a great challenge for us. With the help of God, we would like to organize 40 churches and enter 20 new locations in our territory.

**The reason for their praise:** We join all of Inter-America to give glory to our God for His protection, His constant blessings and for the growth of the church among us.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We raise vows of gratitude to God for the constitution of our Mission that is an unequivocal demonstration of His direction and care.

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Today, **Monday April 18, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE OAXACA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1988

### DAY 46

*“Blessed be the LORD God, the God of Israel, who only does wondrous things! And blessed be His glorious name forever! And let the whole earth be filled with His glory. Amen and Amen”*

Psalm 72:18, 19.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Those who live nearest to Jesus discern most clearly the frailty and sinfulness of humanity, and their only hope is in the merit of a crucified and risen Saviour” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 24).

**Their special project:** It is very important in our territory to be able to count on the facilities of a camp that can serve all our congregations. We ask for the prayers of our division for this project.

**Their challenges:** To continue growing and giving better pastoral care to our membership, it is necessary to organize new districts. This represents a great challenge and we put it in prayer before our God.

**The reason for their praise:** Blessed be the name of our God because He already blessed us with property for our camp that we were able to purchase through His grace.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For the financial support for our brethren of the Oaxaca Conference by the Inter-American Division and the Inter-Oceanic Union in times of disaster.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Tuesday April 19, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE BAY ISLANDS CONFERENCE, HONDURAS**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1988

DAY 47

*“Do not lift up your horn on high; do not speak with a stiff neck. For exaltation comes neither from the east nor from the west nor from the south”*

Psalm 75:5, 6.

## TODAY'S READING

“And will God be pleased with anything less than the best we can offer? Said Christ: ‘Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart.’ Those who do love God with all the heart will desire to give Him the best service of their life, and they will be constantly seeking to bring every power of their being into harmony with the laws that will promote their ability to do His will” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 26).

**Their special project:** In our conference, the main project at this time is the construction of a multi-purpose building on the property of the conference “Mega-Building.” We ask for your prayers!

**Their challenges:** Because our conference needs to increase its income through tithes, we have the challenge of achieving the goal of tithes that we have proposed in the whole territory with the help of God. Thanks for helping us by praying!

**The reason for their praise:** We were recently able to see the presence of God among us and His powerful hand working for His people during an evangelistic campaign that we held under a tent. Every night, we had an average attendance of almost 1,000 people. We attribute all this to our God.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give infinite thanks to God because He helped us reach our goals of growth last year for the expansion of His work in our territory.

Today, **Wednesday, April 20, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE BAJA CALIFORNIA CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1988

DAY 48

*“Oh come, let us sing to the LORD!  
Let us shout joyfully to the Rock of our salvation.  
Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving;  
let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms.  
For the LORD is the great God,  
and the great King above all gods”*

Psalm 95:1-3.

## TODAY'S READING

“If ever it has been essential that we understand and follow right methods of teaching and follow the example of Christ, it is now” (*Evangelism*, p. 53).

**Their special project:** To strengthen the medical work for our church members and to give better service to the community, our field is planning the establishment of a medical dispensary.

**Their challenges:** The strengthening of finances and the increase of faithfulness and giving of the church represent our greatest challenges as a field.

**The reason for their praise:** Our God has been manifested in many ways that have been visible for us all. Two of the most outstanding are reaching the goal of souls that we set last year and that the Lord miraculously healed two of our workers. We praise God for all this!

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give many thanks to our God for the spirit of unity that we enjoy among the team of workers and also for the blessing of the small groups that exist in our field.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Thursday April 21, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST CUBA DELEGATION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1989

DAY **49**

*“I will bless the LORD who has given me counsel;  
my heart also instructs me in the night seasons.  
I have set the LORD always before me;  
because He is at my right hand I shall not be moved”*  
Psalm 16:7, 8.

### TODAY’S READING

“The condemning power of the law of God extends, not only to the things we do, but to the things we do not do. We are not to justify ourselves in omitting to do the things that God requires. We must not only cease to do evil, but we must learn to do well. God has given us powers to be exercised in good works; and if these powers are not put to use, we shall certainly be set down as wicked and slothful servants” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, pp. 40).

#### **Their special project:**

- The direction of the Holy Spirit during this quadrennium.
- The legalization of house churches.
- The ministerial body and their families.
- The finances of the delegation.

#### **Their challenges:**

- Among the challenges, we have been able to count on a place of worship.
- Legalization of all denominational properties.
- Construction of the Cárdenas Church, the Pinar del Río Apartments, and the Cidra Church.

**The reason for their praise:** The organization of 12 new congregations.

**The reason for their gratitude:** God has sustained us in the midst of the economic crisis.

Today, **Friday April 22, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST CUBA DELEGATION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1989

DAY **50**

*“I will love You, O LORD, my strength.  
The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer;  
My God, my strength, in whom I will trust;  
my shield and the horn  
of my salvation, my stronghold”*  
Psalm 18:1, 2

### TODAY’S READING

“Obedience to the law is essential, not only to our salvation, but to our own happiness and the happiness of all with whom we are connected. ‘Great peace have they which love Thy law: and nothing shall offend them’ (Ps. 119:165), says the Inspired Word” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 40).

**Their special project:** Praying for the parsonage of Jobaba in Las Tunas province, which was confiscated because of an expansion, that the Lord might give the best solution.

**Their challenges:** As a field, we have the challenge of creating the necessary conditions for building and furnishing about 40 congregations and churches that do not have places to worship.

**The reason for their praise:** The organization of the new field in our territory.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give many thanks to God and the Inter-American Division for the economic help approved by our conference in order to solve the housing problem as much in our conference as in the Eastern Mission that is the new field that was formed a short while ago.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Monday April 25, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL CUBA DELEGATION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1989

DAY 51

*“I will sing of the mercies of the LORD forever; with my mouth will I make known Your faithfulness to all generations. For I have said, ‘Mercy shall be built up forever; Your faithfulness You shall establish in the very heavens’”* Psalm 89:1, 2.

## TODAY’S READING

“The law of God is simple, and easily understood. There are men who proudly boast that they believe only what they can understand, forgetting that there are mysteries in human life and in the manifestation of God’s power in the works of nature—mysteries which the deepest philosophy, the most extensive research, is powerless to explain. But there is no mystery in the law of God. All can comprehend the great truths which it embodies. The feeblest intellect can grasp these rules; the most ignorant can regulate the life, and form the character after the divine standard” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 39).

**Their special project:** For faithfulness to God in our congregations in this difficult time in which we live.

**Their challenges:** For preaching the gospel in places where there is still no Adventist presence.

**The reason for their praise:** We have many reasons for thanks, but among them is the miracle God worked for a mother, who wept a lot because her young son had decided to leave the country. She thought he had drowned in the ocean. She began attending the prayer club in the Fomento Church and asked for prayer for this situation and God answered immediately. The month she began praying to know something about her son, she received his first call and since then, a surprise visit from him.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for the celebration of the Youth Congress in our conference, which an average of 1,200 young people attended. We thank God for the desire of the pastors and young people to participate in the prayer corner “Soldiers of Prayer” where they attended in the form of a prayer chain, praying all the time during this celebration. The results were visible as they heard the messages, music and inspired seminars. Thanks be to God for this opportunity to count on His presence.

Today, **Tuesday April 26, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH PACIFIC CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1989

DAY 52

*“Righteousness and justice are the foundation of Your throne; mercy and truth go before Your face. Blessed are the people who know the joyful sound! They walk, O LORD, in the light of Your countenance. In Your name they rejoice all day long, and in Your righteousness they are exalted. For You are the glory of their strength, and in Your favor our horn is exalted. For our shield belongs to the LORD, and our king to the Holy One of Israel”*

Psalm 89:14–1.8

## TODAY’S READING

“Walk continually in the light of God. Meditate day and night upon His character. Then you will see His beauty and rejoice in His goodness. Your heart will glow with a sense of His love. You will be uplifted as if borne by everlasting arms. With the power and light that God imparts, you can comprehend more and accomplish more than you ever before deemed possible” (*The Ministry of Healing*, pp. 514).

**Their special project:** For years we have been developing the installations of our conference camp. Now we are planning the construction of an auditorium for our camp! Raise us up in your prayers!

**Their challenges:** Twenty-one years from its beginning, the South Pacific Conference needs to reorganize its territory to bring about the formation of a new mission. Our challenge is to achieve this in 2012.

**The reason for their praise:** We give glory to God for the conquest of new locations for Christ, for having reached our objectives in winning souls, and for having reached our tithe objective in spite of the economic crisis.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We are thankful to God for the financial recovery of our field. One year ago, we were 45 percent behind and now we are 45 percent ahead. Thank You, Lord!





## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Wednesday April 27, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE HIDALGO VERACRUZ CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1989

### DAY 53

*“Whom have I in heaven but You? And there is none upon earth that I desire besides You. My flesh and my heart fail; but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever”*

Psalm 73:25, 26.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Every practice that weakens physical or mental strength unfits man for the service of his Creator” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 26).

**Their special project:** Our conference needs new facilities in the offices to be able to take care of needs that come from our territory. The construction of new offices is the project for which we request your prayers.

**Their challenges:** We believe that reorganizing the territory of our conference will stimulate the growth of our church here much more. We have made the formation of a new mission our principal challenge because the territory is so vast.

**The reason for their praise:** We give honor, glory and praise to our God because the conference has recovered financially and now we have healthy finances and have formed new districts.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for all the blessings He has given us and for the health of the pastors and their families. To Him be glory and honor forever!

Today, **Thursday April 28, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH VERACRUZ CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1989

### DAY 54

*“LORD, You have been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever You had formed the earth and the world, even from everlasting to everlasting, You are God”*

Psalm 90:1, 2.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Perseverance in prayer has been made a condition of receiving. We must pray always if we would grow in faith and experience. We are to be ‘instant in prayer,’ to ‘continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving.’ Peter exhorts believers to be ‘sober, and watch unto prayer.’ Paul directs, ‘In everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.’ ‘But ye, beloved,’ says Jude, ‘praying in the Holy Ghost, keep yourselves in the love of God.’ Unceasing prayer is the unbroken union of the soul with God, so that life from God flows into our life; and from our life, purity and holiness flow back to God” (*Steps to Christ*, p. 97, 98).

**Their special project:** We ask for your prayers for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on Family Ministries.

**Their challenges:** We also ask that you help us by praying for the spiritual revival of the youth of the church.

**The reason for their praise:** We give glory to God for each one of the employees who work in the schools and for the students.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for the colporteurs who have and do a great work every day in our field.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Friday April 29, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH CHIAPAS CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1989

DAY **55**

*“In everything give thanks; for this is  
the will of God in Christ Jesus for you”*

1 Thessalonians 5:18.

## TODAY’S READING

“To praise God in fullness and sincerity of heart is as much a duty as is prayer. We are to show to the world and to all the heavenly intelligences that we appreciate the wonderful love of God for fallen humanity and that we are expecting larger and yet larger blessings from His infinite fullness” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, p. 299).

**Their special project:** Our field is concentrating on financial consolidation and increasing enrollment in the colleges in the field. Thank you for praying for us!

**The reason for their praise:** We have noted the growth and better attention of our members through the Dynamic Cells since they are giving greater unity among the members and more study of the Word of God. Thus, we are witnesses of a greater attendance of interests to these spiritual meetings. For all this, we give praise and glory to the name of God.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Gratitude to our God today and always because our field reached and surpassed its proposed objectives, the membership has increased, because of the number of new districts and because the care of the church members has improved.

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Today, **Monday May 2, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST DOMINICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1990

DAY **56**

*“For thus says the LORD to the house of Israel:  
‘Seek Me and live’ ”*

Amos 5:4.

## TODAY’S READING

“God has left to every man his work; every one has a part to act, and we cannot neglect this work; every one has a part to act, and we cannot neglect this work except at the peril of our souls” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 14).

**Their special project:** Construction of conference offices and the central church of San Pedro de Macoris, which is the main church in the field. The capacity of the church will be 1,500. All this is on the same property. We already have the property; we need the economic resources.

**Their challenges:** Many of our brethren are losing their jobs, some because of the financial situation, others because of their faithfulness to the Sabbath as a day of rest. Thus, one of our challenges is to pray for those members so that the Lord will continue to strengthen them and in spite of the trials, that they will remain faithful.

**The reason for their praise:** Blessed be the name of God for the acquisition of property for the offices in the very center of the city of San Pedro de Macoris. It is the best property for the glory of God.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For the pastoral leadership, for the provisions of God in the economic situation in spite of the crisis, for souls won, and for the desire of the members to work for God.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Tuesday May 3, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST PANAMA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1990

### DAY 57

*“The LORD is in His holy temple, the LORD’s throne is in heaven; His eyes behold, His eyelids test the sons of men. The LORD tests the righteous, but the wicked and the one who loves violence His soul hates. Upon the wicked He will rain coals; fire and brimstone and a burning wind shall be the portion of their cup. For the LORD is righteous, He loves righteousness; His countenance beholds the upright”*

Psalm 11:4-7.

#### TODAY’S READING

“It is an easy matter to idle away, talk and play away, the Holy Spirit’s influence. To walk in the light is to keep moving onward in the direction of light. If the one blessed becomes negligent and inattentive and does not watch unto prayer, if he does not lift the cross and bear the yoke of Christ, if his love of amusements and strivings for the mastery absorb his power of ability, then God is not made the first and best and last in everything, and Satan comes in to act his part in playing the game of life for his soul” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 73).

**Their special project:** Our field is concentrating on the construction of 20 new churches in the city of David, Chiriquí in 2011.

**Their challenges:** In order to continue growing, we need to open four pastoral districts in the city of Santiago, Veraguas. We ask for your prayers!

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for the support of the members in the plan of work in the first year of existence as a conference.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks be to the Lord for the donation of properties for the construction of churches.

Today, **Wednesday May 4, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH MEXICAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1991

### DAY 58

*“Return to the LORD your God, for He is gracious and merciful, slow to anger . . .”*

Joel 2:13.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Let the church arise, and repent of her backslidings before God. Let the watchmen awake, and give the trumpet a certain sound. It is a definite warning that we have to proclaim. God commands His servants, ‘Cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy voice like a trumpet, and shew my people their transgression, and the house of Jacob their sins’ (Isaiah 58:1) . . .

“The church must arouse to action. The Spirit of God can never come in until she prepares the way. There should be earnest searching of heart. There should be united, persevering prayer, and through faith a claiming of the promises of God” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, pp. 13, 14).

**Their special project:** With the help of God, the mission plans to construct a community center in Ciudad Juárez in 2011.

#### **Their challenges:**

- Making small groups a lifestyle for the church.
- Organizing 10 new churches in 2011.
- Baptizing 1,200 souls in the month of April.
- Strengthening the faithfulness of the church members concerning their stewardship.

#### **The reason for their praise:**

- For the souls we have reached for Christ.
- For the churches organized and new Sabbath Schools we have established.

#### **The reason for their gratitude:**

- For the powerful testimonies we have heard from the members as a result of witnessing with the book *Signs of Hope*.
- For the continued 63 percent of operating capital.
- For the small groups that have brought health in retaining and winning souls.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Thursday May 5, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST CENTRAL VENEZUELA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1992

DAY 59

*“God be merciful to us and bless us, and cause His face to shine upon us. Selah That Your way may be known on earth, your salvation among all nations”*

Psalm 67:1, 2.

## TODAY'S READING

“The Christian will feel the promptings of sin, but he will maintain a constant warfare against it. Here is where Christ's help is needed. Human weakness becomes united to divine strength, and faith exclaims: ‘Thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ’ (1 Cor. 15:57)” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 23).

**Their special project:** For the construction of seven new churches and the extension of the Metropolitan College.

**Their challenges:** That the Lord may give resources for the projects and we may reach new objectives.

**The reason for their praise:** We thank the Lord because during the quadrennium, we have not suffered any tragedy in the ministerial body.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We are thankful for the opportunity to enjoy an office where the Lord is praised.

Today, **Friday May 6, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST VENEZUELA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1992

DAY 60

*“Let the peoples praise You, O God; Let all the peoples praise You. Oh, let the nations be glad and sing for joy! For You shall judge the people righteously, and govern the nations on earth”*

Psalm 67:3, 4.

## TODAY'S READING

“Those who experience the sanctification of the Bible will manifest a spirit of humility. Like Moses, they have had a view of the awful majesty of holiness, and they see their own unworthiness in contrast with the purity and exalted perfection of the Infinite One” (*True Revival, the Church's Greatest Need*, p. 23).

**Their special project:** The construction of new headquarters for our field, including an auditorium. The organization of a new mission in the territory of the state of Trujillo (Zones VIII and IX of our field). The organization of a region in the territory of the state of Falcón (Zones I and II of our field).

**Their challenges:** That God may allow the resources of the membership to grow as well as their faithfulness so that the tithes for 2011 may increase by 40 percent compared to that of 2010.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God because He made it possible for us to reach our goals of collecting tithes in the churches and touching the hearts of other people who have made important donations for the last two years.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our thanks are for our God for the donation of a property in Ciudad Ojeda for the construction of a church.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Monday May 9, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST CENTRAL COLOMBIAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1995

DAY **61**

*“Praise God in His sanctuary;  
praise Him in His mighty firmament!  
Praise Him for His mighty acts;  
praise Him according to His excellent greatness!  
Praise Him with the sound of the trumpet;  
praise Him with the lute and harp!  
Praise Him with the timbrel and dance;  
praise Him with stringed instruments and flutes!  
Praise Him with loud cymbals;  
praise Him with clashing cymbals! Let everything that has  
breath praise the LORD. Praise the LORD!”*  
Psalm 150.

### TODAY’S READING

“A revival need be expected only in answer to prayer” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 9).

**Their special project:** This field asks for prayer for the evangelistic project “Caravan of Hope” with which they hope to win many souls for Christ.

**Their challenges:** This field asks for prayer in facing the great challenges of their educational system.

**The reason for their praise:** This field praises God for the financial strength it has experienced. The Lord has helped them go from 15.9 percent operating capital in 2006 to 188.81 percent at the present time, thus strengthening evangelistic, education, and physical development.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks be to God for the number of people baptized, for God’s care for the pastors, for the help provided by donors for the construction of a church for the city of Quibdó, and finally because these donors have also supported the construction of 15 new churches in Medellín.

Today, **Tuesday May 10, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST EL SALVADOR CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1996

DAY **62**

*“And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature,  
and in favor with God and men”* Luke 2:52.

### TODAY’S READING

“Christ was continually receiving from the Father that He might communicate to us. ‘The word which ye hear,’ He said, ‘is not Mine, but the Father’s which sent Me.’ John 14:24. ‘The Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister.’ Matt. 20:28. Not for Himself, but for others, He lived and thought and prayed. From hours spent with God He came forth morning by morning, to bring the light of heaven to men. Daily He received a fresh baptism of the Holy Spirit. In the early hours of the new day the Lord awakened Him from His slumbers, and His soul and His lips were anointed with grace, that He might impart to others” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, p. 139).

**Their special project:** Acquisition of property and construction of a new building for the central college of San Miguel.

**Their challenges:** Finding the resources to make it a reality.

**The reason for their praise:** For having completed the remodeling of the central church of San Miguel.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For having led 2,200 souls to the feet of Jesus this year.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Wednesday May 11, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTHEAST DOMINICAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1998

DAY 63

*“He has shown you, O man, what is good;  
and what does the LORD require of you  
but to do justly, to love mercy,  
and to walk humbly with your God?”*

Micah 6:8.

## TODAY’S READING

“One is our Master, even Christ. To Him we are to look. From Him we are to receive our wisdom. By His grace we are to preserve our integrity, standing before God in meekness and contrition, and representing Him to the world” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 15).

**Their special project:** This mission is one of the fields with greater growth in all of the Dominican Union. In the immediate future, it is planning the construction of offices for the mission in the southeast of the city of Santo Domingo to give better service to the churches and employees of the organization who work in its territory.

**Their challenges:** The mission has 131 organized churches and more than 55,390 members. Thus it constitutes a real challenge to build 20 new churches as soon as possible for the honor and glory of God.

**The reason for their praise:** The name of our God should be praised and recognized by the recent vote of approval for the change in status of the mission that was taken in the committee of the Inter-American Division. This represents a beautiful testimony of what God has done through the pastors and lay members of this field.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our hearts are filled with gratitude to God because we have seen His powerful hand in the financial recovery of the field.

Today, **Thursday May 12, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL HAITI MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1998

DAY 64

*“Ask of Me, and I will give You the nations  
for Your inheritance, and the ends of the earth  
for Your possession”*

Psalms 2:8.

## TODAY’S READING

“We have no time to lose. We know not how soon our probation may close. At the longest, we have but a brief life-time here, and we know not how soon the arrow of death may strike our hearts. We know not how soon we may be called to give up the world and all its interests. Eternity stretches before us. The curtain is about to be lifted. But a few short years, and for everyone now numbered with the living their mandate will go forth: ‘He that is unjust, let him be unjust still: . . . and he that is righteous, let him be righteous still: and he that is holy, let him be holy still’ (Rev. 22:11)” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 67).

**Their special project:** Our mission is working on the reconstruction of 43 churches and schools for which we ask for your prayers.

**Their challenges:** Evangelism among the privileged classes is one of our greatest challenges. Our field wants to develop a program to meet this task.

**The reason for their praise:** Among the things for which we praise the name of God are the following: His protection during and after the earthquake, the help and gifts received from the world church, the 4,802 people baptized this year and the economic growth of our field.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our gratitude to the Lord for the visit of Pastor Jan Paulsen who was accompanied by the administrators of our division and leaders of other unions, as well as for the construction of 80 one-day churches and a school by Maranatha Volunteers International.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Friday May 13, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTHWEST HAITI MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1998

DAY **65**

*“Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter:  
Fear God and keep His commandments, For this is man’s  
all. For God will bring every work into judgment,  
including every secret thing, whether good or evil”*

Ecclesiastes 12:13, 14.

### TODAY’S READING

“We hear a great deal about faith, but we need to hear a great deal more about works. Many are deceiving their own souls by living an easy-going, accommodating, crossless religion. But Jesus says, ‘If any man will come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me.’—*The Signs of the Times*, June 16, 1890” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 45).

**Their special project:** Our field wants to construct a multi-purpose building in Gonaives.

**Their challenges:** Finding the financial resources for the construction of the multi-purpose building and also to construct homes for several pastoral families.

**The reason for their praise:** We glorify the name of God for the protection He has given us and for 5,287 baptisms in our field.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for His care while Hurricane Tomás passed over the country.

Today, **Monday May 16, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE GULF MEXICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1998

DAY **66**

*“Oh, sing to the LORD a new song! Sing to the LORD,  
all the earth. Sing to the LORD, bless His name;  
proclaim the good news of His salvation from day to day.  
Declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among  
all peoples. For the LORD is great and greatly  
to be praised; He is to be feared above all gods”*

Psalms 96:1–4.

### TODAY’S READING

“To those that ask Him, Jesus imparts the Holy Spirit; for it is necessary that every believer should be delivered from pollution, as well as from the curse and condemnation of the law. Through the work of the Holy Spirit, the sanctification of the truth, the believer becomes fitted for the courts of heaven; for Christ works within us, and His righteousness is upon us” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 34).

**Their special project:** Our most important projects are the organization of 15 new churches, the construction of 15 church buildings, and the construction of a camp for our conference.

**Their challenges:** The fluctuating economy that has generated a crisis everywhere and the uncontrolled violence that affects our territory are two of the greatest challenges of our field. These, as well as the low number of students in our schools and the reduced number of colporteurs we have, are all reasons for asking for your prayers.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God because He has preserved our lives in the midst of so much violence that affects our territory.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We have a debt of gratitude to God for having reached our financial budget in 2010, for having reached our baptismal goal, and for the consolidation of the ministerial team.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Tuesday May 17, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE ST. LUCIA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1999

DAY 67

*“Buy the truth, and do not sell it,  
also wisdom and instruction and understanding”*

Proverbs 23:23.

## TODAY'S READING

“By reason of the sacrifice made by Christ for fallen man, God can justly pardon the transgressor who accepts the merits of Christ. Christ was the channel through which the mercy, love, and righteousness might flow from the heart of God to the heart of the sinner. ‘He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness’ ” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 35).

**Their special project:** We have a project we are presently working on which is the construction of a new primary school. We were just hit by a hurricane and this has delayed our goal of completing this school by 2011. Please, pray for our success in this endeavor.

**Their challenges:** Financing Christian education is a great financial challenge. The expenses have been much greater than what had been budgeted to the degree that it makes our solvency vulnerable. Support from the members in sending their children to this school is not very great. This needs to improve. Please help us by praying for this.

**The reason for their praise:** The attitude of a very militant former Adventist group has been changing according to what was practiced in St. Lucia. The division existing between laity and pastors has been broken. There has been a great improvement in the way the pastor and laymen operate.

**The reason for their gratitude:**

- There has been a growth of more than 20 percent in evangelism.
- We have received good financial aid from the government.
- There is still a multimillion-dollar project still in the planning stage.
- We give thanks to God for this progress.

Today, **Wednesday May 18, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST GUATEMALA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1999

DAY 68

*“Give to the LORD, O families of the peoples,  
give to the LORD glory and strength. Give to the LORD  
the glory due His name; bring an offering, and come into  
His courts. Oh, worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness!  
Tremble before Him, all the earth”*

Salmo 1: 1-3

## TODAY'S READING

“Wherever men neglect the testimony of the Bible, turning away from those plain, soul-testing truths which require self-denial and renunciation of the world, there we may be sure that God’s blessing is not bestowed. And by the rule which Christ Himself has given, ‘Ye shall know them by their fruits’ (Matt. 7:16), it is evident that these movements are not the work of the Spirit of God” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 20).

**Their special project:** Completing the construction of the youth camp in Ipala, Chiquimula.

**Their challenges:** Opening the work in 18 new locations where there is no Adventist presence.

**The reason for their praise:** In the district of San Juan Ermita, 22 members of an evangelical Sunday church learned the Adventist message and were all baptized and gave us the church, which is now an Adventist church.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for the faithfulness of the members in their stewardship, for more than 2,000 souls baptized, and for more than 400 small groups.





## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Thursday May 19, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST GUATEMALA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1999

DAY **69**

“Were there not ten cleansed? But where are the nine?”

Luke 17:17.

### TODAY’S READING

“If we keep the Lord ever before us, allowing our hearts to go out in thanksgiving and praise to Him, we shall have a continual freshness in our religious life. Our prayers will take the form of a conversation with God as we would talk with a friend” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, p. 129).

**Their special project:** We are planning a reorganization of our territory to develop a new mission in the west part of Guatemala.

**Their challenges:** A revival and spiritual reformation in the membership of West Guatemala.

**The reason for their praise:** We thank God for the numerical and economic growth of the mission.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for His protecting care over each one of His children in our mission and because His blessings have never failed us.

Today, **Friday May 20, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH PUERTO RICO MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2000

DAY **70**

“I have called upon You, for You will hear me,  
O You who save those who trust in You from those  
who rise up against them. Keep me as the apple  
of Your eye; hide me under the shadow of Your wings”

Psalms 17:6–8.

### TODAY’S READING

“The period of great spiritual light, if that light is not sacredly cherished and acted upon, will be turned into a time of corresponding spiritual darkness. The impression made by the Spirit of God, if men do not cherish the sacred impression, and occupy holy ground, will fade from the mind. . . . They must never leave the source of refreshment; but with hearts swelling with gratitude and love at the display of the goodness and compassion of God, they must be continually partakers of the living water” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, pp. 76, 77).

**Their special project:** Please pray for our plan to develop five new churches in our field.

**Their challenges:** Since our field is the smallest in Puerto Rico, our greatest challenge is to establish at least eight new congregations.

**The reason for their praise:** We want to praise God for the miraculous way the church of Branderi in Guayama began.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank the Lord for the blessings He has poured on our members in spite of the economic problems at the world level and for the solid and constant economic support from them for our conference, thus allowing us to have an increase in tithes received during the last few years.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Monday May 23, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH PUERTO RICO MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2000

DAY 71

*“It is good to give thanks to the LORD, and to sing praises to Your name, O Most High; to declare Your lovingkindness in the morning, and Your faithfulness every night, on an instrument of ten strings, on the lute, and on the harp, with harmonious sound. For You, LORD, have made me glad through Your work. . . . O LORD, how great are Your works! Your thoughts are very deep”* Psalm 92:1–5.

## TODAY’S READING

“In order to increase our spiritual endowment, it is necessary to walk in the light. In view of the event of Christ’s soon coming, we must be vigilantly working to prepare our own souls, to keep our own lamps trimmed and burning, and to urge upon others the necessity of getting ready for the coming of the Bridegroom. Watching and working must go together; faith and works must be united, or our characters will not be symmetrical and well-balanced, perfect in Christ Jesus” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 80).

**Their special project:** Pray for the construction of an auditorium for spiritual meetings in the conference.

**Their challenges:** Being able to reach our goal of soul-winning in the quadrennium and even surpass it. Also, to be able to meet the goals of the conference.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for the growth and development of our field from being a Mission to being the North Puerto Rico Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We are thankful for the faithful stewards of our conference who support the finances of our fields.

Today, **Tuesday May 24, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE VALLEY MEXICAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2001

DAY 72

*“Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good testimony”*  
Hebrews 11:1, 2.

## TODAY’S READING

“The worker for God needs strong faith. Appearances may seem forbidding; but in the darkest hour there is light beyond. The strength of those who, in faith, love and serve God, will be renewed day by day” (*Gospel Workers*, p. 262).

**Their special project:** We are planning an aggressive program of urban evangelism, Campaign 2011, with which we hope to win at least 500 baptized souls.

**Their challenges:** Our mission asks you to join with us in prayer to ask God to allow us to overcome the challenge of the construction of new administrative offices.

**The reason for their praise:** One of the areas where we have without a doubt seen the hand of God working for us is in education. We publicly praise the name of God for the significant increase in the enrollment in our educational institutions.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We also give sincere thanks to our God because He helped us reach the objective set for new members.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Wednesday May 25, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTHEAST VENEZUELA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2001

### DAY 73

*“Therefore by Him let us continually offer the sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of our lips, giving thanks to His name”*

Hebrews 13:15.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Reformation will not bring forth the good fruit of righteousness unless it is connected with the revival of the Spirit. Revival and reformation are to do their appointed work, and in doing this work they must blend” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 15).

**Their special project:** We ask all our brothers and sisters in Inter-America to pray that God will allow us to carry out the project of completing the construction of a building for our offices.

**Their challenges:** We intend to reach the goal we have set to have 300 or more colporteurs for the month of November and establishing new churches in all our pastoral districts. We want to experience a new revival and reformation that begins with us as leaders of this church.

**The reason for their praise:** In our field, we have seen the hand of God working in many ways. One of them was the situation that was resolved that prevented the remodeling of the headquarters of our conference. We give Him the glory for this.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks be to God for the financial growth that took place through the faithfulness of the membership in spite of the general crisis in our country and also for the response of the pastoral team and the membership to the celebration of 100 years of Adventist presence in Venezuela.

Today, **Thursday May 26, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE OLMECA CONFERENCE, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2001

### DAY 74

*“He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the LORD, ‘He is my refuge and my fortress; My God, in Him I will trust. . . . He shall cover you with His feathers, and under His wings you shall take refuge; His truth shall be your shield and buckler. . . .*

*I will deliver him and honor him. With long life I will satisfy him, and show him My salvation”*

Psalm 91.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Whatever may be man’s intellectual advancement, let him not for a moment think that there is no need of thorough and continuous searching of the Scriptures for greater light. As a people, we are called individually to be students of prophecy. We must watch with earnestness that we may discern any ray of light which God shall present to us” (*Gospel Workers*, p. 300).

**Their special project:** At this time, our main project consists in starting four new pastoral districts in 2011.

**The reason for their praise:** God has been good to His children in the Olmecca Conference. He has blessed us, spared us from danger and kept our congregations functioning without major inconveniences for His glory.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We glorify the name of God for all that He is doing for us in this field. We give special thanks for the development of our camp.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Friday May 27, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTHWEST HONDURAS CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2001

DAY 75

*“Restore us, O LORD God of hosts;  
cause Your face to shine, and we shall be saved!”*

Psalm 80:19

## TODAY'S READING

“While the Christian’s life will be characterized by humility, it should not be marked with sadness and self-depreciation. It is the privilege of everyone so to live that God will approve and bless him” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 27).

**Their special project:** The main educational institution in our field is Adventist Educational Center. Thus, our special project consists in raising the image, quality and status of AEC.

**Their challenges:** We need to strengthen our educational program with the construction of new schools. Thus we ask that you help us with your prayers for a property to construct an educational complex.

**The reason for their praise:** Our God deserves only recognition, glory and praise because in spite of the financial crisis, we in the Northwest Honduras Conference continue on by His grace.

**The reason for their gratitude:** There are many reasons for giving thanks to our God, but one in particular that we share with all of you is the baptism in our field of 2,500 souls in 2010. Thank you, Lord.

Today, **Monday May 30, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH CENTRAL VENEZUELA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2002

DAY 76

*Jesus said to him, “You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.”  
This is the first and great commandment”*

Matthew 22:37.

## TODAY'S READING

“God calls for a spiritual revival and a spiritual reformation. Unless this takes place, those who are lukewarm will continue to grow more abhorrent to the Lord, until He will refuse to acknowledge them as His children” (*True Revival*, p. 15).

**Their special project:** The construction of a health center has become an enormous challenge for the conference. We know this will not be easy. But we trust in the promises of God and today we put our projects in His hands.

**Their challenges:** For the territorial division of our field and the creation of a new mission in the south of our territory.

**The reason for their praise:** We are thankful for the opportunity to take the gospel to the farthest regions of the Venezuelan Amazon and share the truth with our indigenous brothers and sisters.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For the ministerial families, for the growth of the church and for gaining souls, and for the initiation of the revival and reformation program.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Tuesday May 31, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH JAMAICA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2002

### DAY 77

*“When you make a vow to God, do not delay to pay it; for He has no pleasure in fools. Pay what you have vowed—better not to vow than to vow and not pay”*

Ecclesiastes 5:4,5.

#### TODAY’S READING

“No one can be justified by any works of his own. He can be delivered from the guilt of sin, from the condemnation of the law, from the penalty of transgression, only by virtue of the suffering, death, and resurrection of Christ. Faith is the only condition upon which justification can be obtained, and faith includes not only belief but trust.” (*True Revival*, p. 29).

**Their special project:** The establishment of a health and wellness center—a project with a double purpose, which is to accommo-

date our program related to health and the health foods establishment. We also have plans to relocate the high school to this site, since there is not enough room at its current location.

**Their challenges:** The greatest challenge is of a financial nature. We need to obtain the necessary funds to bring about and to support this project in such a way that it is accomplished without any complications. Thank you for your prayers in our favor of this.

**The reason for their praise:** We can count on our personnel who offer support, cooperation, and who are highly spiritual. Our prayer coordinator is doing a good job and the association is enjoying a solid focus on prayer.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We have had a prayer gathering sponsored by the conference in which we’ve had a baptism as a result. The brethren appreciated very much what came before and this had led to the celebration of various similar gatherings in different parts of the island. We praise God for the inspiration that the attendants of these gatherings receive.

Today **Wednesday June 1, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SINALOA MEXICAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2002

### DAY 78

*“For it is the God who commanded light to shine out of darkness, who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ”*

2 Corinthians 4:6.

#### TODAY’S READING

“It is the privilege of everyone so to live that God will approve and bless him. It is not the will of our heavenly Father that we should be ever under condemnation and darkness. There is no evidence of true humility in going with the head bowed down and the heart filled with thoughts of self. We may go to Jesus and be cleansed, and stand before the law without shame and remorse . . . Through Jesus the fallen sons of Adam become ‘sons of God’ ” (*True Revival*, p. 27).

**Their special project:** The purchase of a piece of land for the base camp of our field and the purchase of a building to establish a clinic in Mochis (the state). For God to strengthen our church in the south of the city of Sinaloa with the purpose of forming a new district.

**Their challenges:** To help the survival of Guamuchil College going through a financial crisis with few students enrolled. To increase the finances of the field in order to be able to give a greater impulse to the development of the church in general.

**The reason for their praise:** Our praises and recognitions are to the God that has protected us from difficult situations in the midst of the violent crime that is lived in our territory. Also we thank Him for the provisions given, and because we have not lacked the financial resources necessary to continue moving forward.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Forever we are thankful to God for the 754 souls won for Him, for Christian education, and for the faithfulness of our brethren in returning their tithes and offerings.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Thursday June 2, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH BAHAMAS MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2003

DAY 79

*“And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance”*

Acts 2:2-4.

## TODAY'S READING

“Before the final visitation of God’s judgments upon the earth there will be among the people of the Lord such a revival of primitive godliness as has not been witnessed since apostolic times” (*The Great Controversy*, p. 464).

**Their special project:** We are scheduled to begin operating a radio station in the first quarter of 2011. We have been promised a tower that will send signals throughout our area. We are waiting that it comes to us through our donor. Pray for us so that this dream of ours can become a reality.

**Their challenges:** We need divine intervention to help us find the right person to fulfill our need of a treasurer in our Treasury department. We also need someone who will be divinely impacted to provide our need of a director of Children’s Ministries.

**The reason for their praise:** Sister Lynn Smith, was taken to the emergency room finding out that she was bleeding on the left side of her brain. The doctors performed an emergency cranial surgery. It was discovered that she had more blood accumulated than what the scan had revealed and that her brain had been displaced so far to the right, that her cranium had begun to move into her neck. If her brain had continued down this route, it would have been fatal. We say: “To God be the glory!”

**The reason for their gratitude:** Recently, we have joined with our immediate superior organization and with the West Indies Union with respect to the accreditation of our high school in the North Bahamas Mission. We are very happy with the recommendation made by the committee of the Inter-American Division to grant our school accreditation for four years. To God be the glory!

Today, **Friday June 3, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CARIBBEAN COSTA RICA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2003

DAY 80

*“And you are witnesses of these things. Behold, I send the Promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high”*

Luke 24:48, 49.

## TODAY'S READING

“The great outpouring of the Spirit of God, which lightens the whole earth with his glory, will not come until we have an enlightened people, that know by experience what it means to be laborers together with God. When we have entire, whole-hearted consecration to the service of Christ, God will recognize the fact by an outpouring of his Spirit without measure; but this will not be while the largest portion of the church are not laborers together with God”

**Their special project:** We are asking for your prayers for God to help us strip from the hands of the enemy 1,215 souls for the kingdom of Christ in the year 2011. And for this field to be converted into a conference, in accordance with our strategic plan.

**Their challenges:** That God will bless us with the human, material, and economic resources so that this can become a reality.

**The reason for their praise:** A couple that are educators were returning to their home after meeting with a small group. They were making their way towards their homes and were very happy to be able to meet with the small group, when all of a sudden, two tires came off a trailer on the road, making their way towards the couple, and in a sudden moment, one of the tires became suspended in the air by an invisible hand, the other hit the car a little, but the occupants of the car came out practically unscathed. Afterwards, the couple, who were professional educators, and were not Adventists, asked to be baptized. They understood that Satan did not want them to accept Jesus Christ and they quickly moved forward in giving their lives to God. Today we have two new members in the faith, thanks to the power of Jesus Christ.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God because He helped us this year to bring 737 souls to the feet of Jesus.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Monday June 6, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH COSTA RICA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2003

### DAY 81

*“For this reason we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to ask that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding”*

Colossians 1:9.

#### TODAY’S READING

“There are three watchwords in the Christian life, which must be heeded if we would not have Satan steal a march upon us; namely, Watch, Pray, Work” *Christian Service*, p. 106.

**Their special project:** That every church in our mission can fulfill on time the requirements of the government in the executive decree 33872. For this, 1,000,000 colones are required to fix up each church according to the law.

**Their challenges:** To be able to fulfill the change of status from mission to conference and to create a new region in the North Pacific of Costa Rica in the year 2012.

**The reason for their praise:** We glorify the name of God for doubling the number of small groups from 213 to 426 in the year 2010.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give much deserved thanks to God for allowing us to receive the donation of properties on which we can to establish new churches.

Today, **Tuesday June 7, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTHWEST VENEZUELA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2003

### DAY 82

*“Blessed be God, who has not turned away my prayer, nor His mercy from me!”*

Psalm 66:20.

#### TODAY’S READING

“The followers of Christ are to become like Him—by the grace of God to form characters in harmony with the principles of His holy law. This is Bible sanctification” (*True Revival*, p. 23).

**Their special project:** Our field is working towards the construction of a camp that can be of service to all the churches and to serve as a place for youth activities.

**Their challenges:** At this time, our greatest challenge consists of increasing the finances of the field in order to fulfill a greater growth.

**The reason for their praise:** Glory to God for the acquisition of properties and for the recovery of gaining souls in the last two years.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our thanks to God for His blessings and for the unconditional support of the church members in our events.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Wednesday June 8, 2011**, our division is praying for

## **THE TOBAGO MISSION**

ESTABLISHED IN 2004

DAY **83**

*“The law of the LORD is perfect, converting the soul;  
the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple;  
the commandment of the LORD is pure,  
enlightening the eyes”*

Psalm 19:7-9.

### TODAY'S READING

“God has the richest blessing for His people; but He cannot bestow it until they know how to treat the precious gift in showing forth the praises of Him who has called them out of darkness into His marvelous light. Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that we set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.” *True Revival*, p. 82.

**Their special project:** A construction project that involves large-scale renovation of the Harmon School of S.D.A. We need to acquire more funds to move the project along quickly. Please pray for us to be able to accomplish this goal.

#### **Their challenges:**

- The financing of our education program.
- Our members divorcing without any biblical base for a divorce. We hope to bring about a biblical conference in the coming year, with the hopes of helping others understand this problem.

**The reason for their praise:** Last month we lacked the funds to pay our teachers. It was already the 25th of the month and the funds were not sufficient. We then remembered the words of Mrs. White that tell us that every difficulty is a call to prayer. We decided to gather together and fervently pray for God to intervene in this matter and to come to our rescue. And God did. The next morning we received \$150,000 on behalf of the Assembly House of Tobago and we were able to pay our teachers. This is a reason for praise to the all-powerful God we serve.

Today, **Thursday June 9, 2011**, our division is praying for

## **THE BAJIO MEXICAN MISSION**

ESTABLISHED IN 2004

DAY **84**

*“Now faith is the substance of things hoped for,  
the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders  
obtained a good testimony”*

Hebrews 11:1, 2.

### TODAY'S READING

“The worker for God needs strong faith. Appearances may seem forbidding; but in the darkest hour there is light beyond. The strength of those who, in faith, love and serve God, will be renewed day by day” (*Gospel Workers*, p. 262).

**Their special project:** The purchase of an extension of land to the Adventist school in the city of Leon, in the state of Guanajuato, with a value of MEX \$2,500,000 (two million five hundred thousand Mexican pesos) to be able to open the preliminary school and be able to build an evangelistic hall with multiple uses. We are also planning the metropolitan evangelism campaign for 2011, with a goal of baptizing 500 souls.

**Their challenges:** To establish work in cities where there is no Adventist presence, such as Sahuyao and San Luis de la Paz, to mention a couple.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for the faithfulness of the members of this mission, which has allowed us to obtain solid and sustainable finances.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the missionary commitment of His Church in this mission with a result that at this point in time the goal of souls won for 2010 has been reached above and beyond. We refer to the objective of new members attained.





## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Friday June 10, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTHEAST DOMINICAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2004

DAY **85**

*“For I desire mercy and not sacrifice,  
and the knowledge of God more than burnt offerings”*

Hosea 6:6.

### TODAY’S READING

“The work is before us; will we engage in it? We must work fast, we must go steadily forward. We must be preparing for the great day of the Lord. We have no time to lose, no time to be engaged in selfish purposes” (*True Revival*, p. 14).

**Their special project:** The northern mission of the Dominican Republic has a membership of 21,538 members throughout 59 organized churches and they are praying for the special project of building 15 churches in this area of the country.

**Their challenges:** To acquire more better and more financial resources for Vega college. By the grace of God, in the next 3 years, to establish 75 new congregations. Between the year 2011 and the year 2012, to be able to establish 750 small groups.

**The reason for their praise:** For being able to sustain the mission through tithes, offerings, and collections, and a great growth in the gaining of souls.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our main reason for thanks is for the growth and the strengthening of Vega High School. We give thanks to God for the support received from Global Mission and Share Him for this mission project.

Today, **Monday June 13, 2011**, our division is praying for

**THE NORTH CENTRAL VENEZUELA CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2004

DAY **86**

*“Make a joyful shout to God, all the earth! Sing out the honor of His name; make His praise glorious. Say to God, ‘How awesome are Your works! Through the greatness of Your power Your enemies shall submit themselves to You. All the earth shall worship You and sing praises to You; they shall sing praises to Your name’ ”* Psalm 66:1-4.

### TODAY’S READING

“The first step in reconciliation to God is the conviction of sin. ‘Sin is the transgression of the law.’ ‘By the law is the knowledge of sin’ (1 John 3:4; Rom. 3:20). In order to see his guilt, the sinner must test his character by God’s great standard of righteousness. It is a mirror which shows the perfection of a righteous character and enables him to discern the defects in his own” *True Revival*, p. 21.

**Their special project:** The construction of a building for Maranatha High School in Valencia.

**Their challenges:** For God to help us find the resources for the construction of the college.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for the environment of unity in ministerial family of the conference.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Thanks to God for the sustained growth of our field.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Tuesday June 14, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE AZTECA MEXICAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2005

DAY 87

*“Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God”* Philippians 4:6.

## TODAY’S READING

“Perseverance in prayer has been made a condition of receiving. We must pray always if we would grow in faith and experience. We are to be ‘instant in prayer,’ to ‘continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving.’ Romans 12:12; Colossians 4:2. Peter exhorts believers to be ‘sober, and watch unto prayer.’ 1 Peter 4:7. Paul directs, “In everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.” Philippians 4:6. ‘But ye, beloved,’ says Jude, ‘praying in the Holy Ghost, keep yourselves in the love of God.’ Jude 20, 21. Unceasing prayer is the unbroken union of the soul with God, so that life from God flows into our life; and from our life, purity and holiness flow back to God” (*Steps to Christ*, pp. 97, 98).

**Their special project:** Our mission is situated in the challenging federal district of Mexico and therefore, our most important project is to establish 50 new congregations in our territory.

**Their challenges:** We are working and we also ask for your prayers in facing the challenge of building a new school in the municipality of Ecatepec, which is the municipality that is the most populated in the world with more than 3,000,000 inhabitants, situated in the state of Mexico. We also ask for your prayers for God to help us acquire the resources for the construction of churches.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God because He is blessing our project of a change of status of the mission in converting into a conference at the end of 2011, if it is His will. Another reason for praise is that the Lord is opening doors for His church with the authorities of the government in an effort to acquire land for the school in Ecatepec.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our God deserves all our gratitude for allowing us to advance financially. This has been possible by the faithfulness of our members and the trust they have put in their organization.

Today, **Wednesday June 15, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH GUATEMALA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2005

DAY 88

*“Then you will call upon Me and go and pray to Me, and I will listen to you”*  
Jeremiah 29:12.

## TODAY’S READING

“The prayer meetings should be the most interesting gatherings that are held, but these are frequently poorly managed. Many attend preaching, but neglect the prayer meeting. Here, again, thought is required. Wisdom should be sought of God, and plans should be laid to conduct the meetings so that they will be interesting and attractive. The people hunger for the bread of life. IF they find it at the prayer meeting they will go there to receive it . . . . Let the Spirit of God into your hearts, and it will sweep away all dry formality” *Testimony Treasures*, pp. 456, 457.

**Their special project:** We ask that you pray for our field, for there to be growth of the small congregations.

**Their challenges:** For the 3,000 souls to be baptized the following ecclesiastical year and for the construction of 20 churches under the project “20 Churches in 1 Day.”

**The reason for their praise:** The special testimony that we want to share was realized in March when Pastor Alejandro Bullón brought about the Caravan of Hope throughout the territory of our mission, in which 650 souls were baptized for Christ.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the health of the pastoral body and for the willingness of the members to evangelize.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Thursday June 16, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL GUATEMALA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2005

DAY **89**

*“But he who looks into the perfect law of liberty  
and continues in it, and is not a forgetful hearer but  
a doer of the work, this one will be blessed in what he does”*

James 1:25.

### TODAY’S READING

“There is no evidence of genuine repentance unless it works reformation. If he restore the pledge, give again that he had robbed, confess his sins, and love God and his fellow men, the sinner may be sure that he has found peace with God” (*True Revival*, p. 18).

**Their special project:** We ask for your prayers for the development of a spiritual revival program for 40 mornings. And to reach the souls with the gospel in the municipality of Comalapa, because there is no Adventist presence there.

**Their challenges:** For the protection of God over our pastors and brethren in the face of so much violence and uncertainty that the country lives under. We want 500 students enrolled in El Progreso High School and 90 students in the Florida High School. For there to be a true spiritual revival among the small groups, as well as in the whole church.

**The reason for their praise:** The blessing of helping more than 400 families with bags of groceries and the presence of Pastor Alejandro Bullón in a mega campaign in the capital of Guatemala.

**The reason for their gratitude:** The dedication of a beautiful church in Chimaltenango, valued at \$100,000.00. Despite the financial crisis, God blesses His people with resources.

Today, **Friday June 17, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH BAJA CALIFORNIA REGION, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2005

DAY **90**

*“It is good to give thanks to the LORD,  
and to sing praises to Your name, O Most High;  
to declare Your lovingkindness in the morning,  
and Your faithfulness every night”*

Psalms 92:1, 2.

### TODAY’S READING

“The great storehouse of truth is the word of God—the written word, the book of nature, and the book of experience in God’s dealing with human life. Here are the treasures from which Christ’s workers are to draw. . . . And the mysteries connected with God’s dealings with men, the depths of His wisdom and judgment as seen in human life—these are found to be a storehouse rich in treasure” (*Christ’s Object Lessons*, pp. 125, 126).

**Their special project:** In our field we are projecting the construction of new churches and the evangelizing of new places. We appreciate your prayers!

**Their challenges:** Since we are a region under full development, our greatest challenge is to be self-sustaining. We need your prayers for God to help us obtain the financial resources necessary to operate.

**The reason for their praise:** We exalt the name of God because despite the situation, we have attained the resources as planned in this year, which has only been possible by the blessing and power of God.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For the faithfulness and the missionary work of the church. We also thank God for the willingness and the self-sacrifice of the pastoral body.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Monday June 20, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL COLOMBIAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2005

DAY 91

*“Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and forevermore! From the rising of the sun to its going down the LORD’s name is to be praised”*

Psalm 113:2, 3.

## TODAY’S READING

“We must enter upon the work individually. We must pray more, and talk less” (*True Revival*, p. 10).

**Their special project:** The construction of 4 representative churches in the most important cities of the mission, which are Pereira, Manizales, Armenia, and Tulua, during this five-year period.

**Their challenges:** To reach the upper class of people in the 4 previously mentioned cities, through clubs of professional people, established toward this goal.

**The reason for their praise:** The Sabbath that falls on November 6, in the city of Cartago, a program of great impact was first developed on behalf of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, and in the name of UNAC, “How To Prevent Violence Within The Family,” and 1,838 people attended. At the end of the conference, we prayed for these people and invited them to the evangelistic conferences that continued at the same place and throughout the whole week. A great number of them continue to attend the campaign that we are developing during this week.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for the strength of finances in the Central Mission, despite the economic crisis that many of our brethren are facing in the region that is known as the coffee center of Colombia.

Today, **Tuesday June 21, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE UPPER CHIAPAS MISSION, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2005

DAY 92

*“For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God”*

Ephesians 2:8.

## TODAY’S READING

“The faith that is unto salvation is not a casual faith, it is not the mere consent of the intellect, it is belief rooted in the heart, that embraces Christ as a personal Saviour, assured that He can save unto the uttermost all that come unto God by Him. To believe that He will save others, but will not save you is not genuine faith; but when the soul lays hold upon Christ as the only hope of salvation, then genuine faith is manifested” (*True Revival*, pp. 30, 31).

**Their special project:** We are involved in a program of development for the “Los Sauces” campsite of our field.

**Their challenges:** We have the great challenge of evangelizing the cities of San Cristobal, Chiapas, and Comitán de Domínguez, in the state of Chiapas.

**The reason for their praise:** We give praise and honor to God for the advances in matters of religious liberty as we face with greater success the religious intolerance during the year 2010.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For us, it is a reason for special thanks to God that the Adventist brethren of Yajalon (the city or state) did not suffer human casualties due to the eruption of the rivers caused by abundant rains in the month of October.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Wednesday June 22, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH GUATEMALA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2006

### DAY 93

*"I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go;  
I will guide you with My eye"*  
Psalm 32:8.

#### TODAY'S READING

"As His representatives among men, Christ does not choose angels who have never fallen, but human beings, men of like passions with those they seek to save. Christ took upon Himself humanity, that He might reach humanity. Divinity needed humanity; for it required both the divine and the human to bring salvation to the world. Divinity needed humanity, that humanity might afford a channel of communication between God and man" (*The Desire of Ages*, p. 296).

**Their special project:** Our mission wants to notably strengthen the ministry through the radio. We are ready to begin the proclamation of the gospel through our relay stations, situated in the communities of Canchacan, Caoba and Mission, in the north of Guatemala.

**Their challenges:** Our schools represent a great challenge for our field. Help us pray for a great support of Christian education.

**The reason for their praise:** One of the dreams of the North Mission was to place relay stations for the expansion of the proclamation of the gospel. Thanks to our God as a Benefactor, we have been able to put them in place. We would not have accomplished this without the unconditional help of the faithful brethren and the notable support of the Guatemala Union that supported the proclamation of the gospel through our relay stations in Canchacan, Caoba, and North Mission.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We raise our gratitude to God for the advancement that the church in our mission is experiencing, for opening the doors to our radio ministry, and for the protection of our church members and the workers who labor for His cause.

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Today, **Thursday June 23, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST EL SALVADOR MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2006

### DAY 94

*"If Your Presence does not go with us,  
do not bring us up from here"*  
Exodus 33:15.

#### TODAY'S READING

"Nothing is apparently more helpless, yet really more invincible, than the soul that feels its nothingness and relies wholly on the merits of the Saviour. By prayer, by the study of His word, by faith in His abiding presence, the weakest of human beings may live in contact with the living Christ, and He will hold them by a hand that will never let go" (*The Ministry of Healing*, p. 182).

**Their special project:** To obtain a better level of education, as well as to attain a more worthy salary for our teachers and reach our enrollment goal.

**Their challenges:** To be able to obtain funds to build 25 churches.

**The reason for their praise:** Thanks to God, we have been able to acquire 22 plots of land for churches.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We praise the holy name of God and are thankful for the blessing of being able to reach in this quarter 25 percent of our goal of winning souls for Christ.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Friday June 24, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CARIBBEAN COLOMBIAN MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2006

DAY 95

“Give ear to my words, O LORD, consider my meditation.  
Give heed to the voice of my cry, my King and my God,  
. . . . O LORD; in the morning I will direct it to You,  
and I will look up”

Psalm 5:1–3.

## TODAY’S READING

“Jesus was often found in prayer. He resorted to the lonely groves or to the mountains to make His requests known to His Father. When the business and cares of the day were ended, and the weary were seeking rest, Jesus devoted the time to prayer. . . . Fervent and effectual prayer is always in place, and will never weary. Such prayer interests and refreshes all who have a love for devotion” (*Testimonies for the Church*, vol. 2, p. 582).

### **Their special project:**

- The strengthening of the small groups and missionary couples.
- Revival and reformation for the entire membership of the church.
- To maintain our missionary spirit.

### **Their challenges:**

- To be able financially sustain the mission.
- To be able to evangelize our new territories.
- The renovation of our campsite.

**The reason for their praise:** In Colombia, many have lost crops, homes, tools, animals, and even their lives. A large part of our mission has been sunk into this wintery tragedy. But we give thanks to God that the faithfulness of the brethren in these places has been maintained. In many of these places, incredibly, the percentage of tithes has been maintained and some have increased. Despite many being isolated because of the inundated roads, the evangelistic campaigns have been held and many souls have been converted.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks for our pastoral body, for our church members, and for the divine company that has been with us at all times.

Today, **Monday June 27, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE SOUTH COLOMBIAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2006

DAY 96

“The LORD takes pleasure in those who fear Him,  
in those who hope in His mercy. Praise the LORD,  
O Jerusalem! Praise your God, O Zion!”

Psalm 147:11, 12.

## TODAY’S READING

“Guided by the teachings of God’s Word, with the manifestation of His Spirit, in the exercise of sound discretion, those who attend our meetings will gain a precious experience, and returning home, will be prepared to exert a healthful influence” (*True Revival*, p. 9).

**Their special project:** To develop an evangelistic program that will allow us to reach the upper class of society in our territory with the gospel.

**Their challenges:** To obtain more financial resources that will allow us to employ more workers to attend to their churches.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God because even in the midst of poverty and scarceness, our brethren have been abundant in devotion and generosity, and because in the midst of armed conflict, our members and pastors move forward in the preaching of the gospel and in attending to their churches.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks for having reached and surpassed our baptismal goal of the previous five years and for the 1,300 new souls that by the grace of God were baptized last May.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Tuesday June 28, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE QUINTANA ROO MISSION, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2006

### DAY 97

*“But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth”*

Acts 1:8.

#### TODAY’S READING

“The gospel invitation is to be given to the rich and the poor, the high and the low, and we must devise means for carrying the truth into new places, and to all classes of people” (Evangelism, p. 549).

**Their special project:** With the help of God, we are going to build an auditorium in the facilities of the campsite of our mission.

**Their challenges:** We ask for your prayers so that the authorization for the general project of our campsite is granted.

**The reason for their praise:** For the growth of the mission from 13 districts to 27 districts in 4 years, praise God.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks for the strengthening of the church in Quintana Roo Mission; for the notable growth in infrastructure, churches, schools, homes for pastors, and campsites; and for the notable blessings from our God.

Today, **Wednesday June 29, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE PARACENTRAL EL SALVADOR MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2007

### DAY 98

*“And I will delight myself in Your commandments, which I love. Your testimonies also are my delight and my counselors. The law of Your mouth is better to me than thousands of coins of gold and silver.*

*How sweet are Your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth!*

*Your word is very pure; therefore Your servant loves it. I rejoice at Your word as one who finds great treasure”*

Psalm 119:47, 24, 72, 103, 140, 162.

#### TODAY’S READING

“The whole Bible is a revelation of the glory of God in Christ. Received, believed, obeyed, it is the great instrumentality in the transformation of character. And it is the only sure means of intellectual culture” (Testimony Treasures, p. 605).

**Their special project:** The construction of offices for the Central Mission.

**Their challenges:** To reach two hundred thousand dollars for the construction of offices for the Central Mission and for us to be able to hand out ten thousand copies of *Steps to Christ* in the Central Mission.

**The reason for their praise:** We were able to hand out ten thousand copies of the book *Steps to Christ* in the Central Mission.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God despite the difficult circumstances of the country, because He has brought us through and the brethren have demonstrated their faithfulness.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Thursday June 30, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL PANAMA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2007

DAY 99

*“Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in Your sight, O LORD, my strength and my Redeemer”*

Psalm 19:14.

## TODAY’S READING

“Divine intelligences cooperate with human agencies as they seek to magnify the law and make it honorable. The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul. It is in the converted soul that the world sees a living testimony (*True Revival*, p. 82).

**Their special project:** The finishing of our mission offices.

**Their challenges:** To be able to reach the ability to sustain ourselves 100 percent.

**The reason for their praise:** In the face of the great challenges that we have had as a mission, and for being a new mission, God has sustained us in a providential way. Just to illustrate: from \$16,000.00 that we as a region reached each month, we are now reaching more than \$45,000.00 a month. We praise His name because up to this point God has sustained us.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks because we have been able to grow in membership, in churches, and in new members, being able to organize a musical group of youth in the mission. We have groups of paramedics (GARI) that serve the government in cases of need. Our students at the Chorrera Adventist school have stood out at the district level and national level, and one of our students is the president of the Youth Appointed Assembly.

Today, **Friday July 1, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE ARUBA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2007

DAY 100

*“God be merciful to us and bless us, and cause His face to shine upon us. Selah. That Your way may be known on earth, Your salvation among all nations”*

Psalm 67:1, 2.

## TODAY’S READING

“The Scriptures plainly show that the work of sanctification is progressive. When in conversion the sinner finds peace with God through the blood of the atonement, the Christian life has but just begun. Now he is to ‘go on unto perfection;’ to grow up ‘unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ’ ” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 23).

**Their special project:** Aruba is a beautiful island in the Lesser Antilles, northeast of Venezuela and in the south Caribbean. Since it is basically a tourist location, our project is to develop the work of the Seventh-day Adventist Church among the residents of the island in order to reaffirm and consolidate our church in the country. This means more church buildings, more educational work, and more faithfulness on the part of the church members.

**Their challenges:** There are many challenges we are praying for, but we will mention those that are most outstanding: the establishment of a radio station, which will begin operating by Internet until it becomes an official radio station on the island.

**The reason for their praise:** Our reason for praise is the growth of the mainly Hispanic “Vida Abundante” (Abundant Life) group.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our prayer of gratitude is for the establishment of the work of the Adventist church in spite of the multiple socio-cultural difficulties.





## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Monday July 4, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE ISTHMUS MISSION, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2008

### DAY 101

*“Blessed be the Lord, Who daily loads us with benefits,  
the God of our salvation! Selah Our God is the God  
of salvation; and to GOD  
the Lord belong escapes from death”*

Psalm 68:19, 20.

#### TODAY’S READING

“There can be no self-exaltation, no boastful claim to freedom from sin on the part of those who walk in the shadow of Calvary’s cross. They feel that it was their sin which caused the agony that broke the heart of the Son of God, and this thought will lead them to self-abasement” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 24).

**Their special project:** We ask for your prayers today for two special projects in our field: the construction of a camp and parsonages that will better serve all the churches.

**Their challenges:** Our mission began a short time ago. It is growing little by little and continues to develop. We need to maintain the operating capital and liquidity higher than the required 100 percent. Help us by praying for this challenge.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise the name of God for the birth and growth of our Isthmus Mission. We recognize that all this is thanks to the power and grace of God.

**The reason for their gratitude:** Our gratitude is for the permanent and faithful love of God for all His children in this territory and for saving His church from the many floods that we have had recently.

Today, **Tuesday July 5, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CENTRAL EL SALVADOR MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2008

### DAY 102

*“But to You I have cried out, O LORD,  
and in the morning my prayer comes before You”*

Psalm 88:13.

#### TODAY’S READING

“Those who will put on the whole armor of God and devote some time every day to meditation and prayer and to the study of the Scriptures will be connected with heaven and will have a saving, transforming influence upon those around them. Great thoughts, noble aspirations, clear perceptions of truth and duty to God, will be theirs. They will be yearning for purity, for light, for love, for all the graces of heavenly birth” (*Testimonies for the Church*, vol. 5, pp. 112, 113).

**Their special project:** We need to purchase a property for the Adventist College of New San Salvador.

**Their challenges:** Finding the economic resources (\$600,000) to finalize this project.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God for having obtained the economic resources to purchase a mobile medical unit for social assistance.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God that we have baptized 2,500 souls and reached \$20,000 in the annual collection this year.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Wednesday July 6, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE BELIZE UNION OF CHURCHES MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2008

DAY 103

*“To everything there is a season,  
a time for every purpose under heaven”*

Ecclesiastes 3:1.

## TODAY’S READING

“Repentance is no less the gift of God than are pardon and justification, and it cannot be experienced except as it is given to the soul by Christ. If we are drawn to Christ, it is through His power and virtue. The grace of contrition comes through Him, and from Him comes justification” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 30).

**Their special project:** Demolition of the old Santa Clara church building and construction of a very much needed, new, safe and adequate place of worship for the brethren.

### **Their challenges:**

- We wish to establish a permanent camp for our youth who are always growing in number. Someone gave us some land, but this

person died and the documents were not in order so the land was not put in the name of the mission. We are working on this matter and would appreciate your prayers for it.

- We wish to have an auditorium and to construct a substation to benefit our members in the south so that they do not have to come to the central headquarters in the old capital—a four-hour trip by bus.

**The reason for their praise:** We thank God for the new secondary school we have opened in the south with 40 Mayan children who are attending. The school is in a good location for those children. The school will offer good opportunities for evangelization. The government gave us 50 percent of the monetary funds needed to make the school function, for which we praise God.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We praise God for our present clinic. We are currently renting the location, but the government has we still do not have the documents, but we believe that the proposal of the government will soon materialize and we will have our own land and building. Thanks be to God!

Today, **Thursday July 7, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTHEAST COLOMBIAN CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2008

DAY 104

*“Sing to the LORD a new song, and His praise in  
the assembly of saints. Let Israel rejoice in their Maker;  
let the children of Zion be joyful in their King”*

Psalms 149:1, 2.

## TODAY’S READING

“A revival of true godliness among us is the greatest and most urgent of all our needs. To seek this should be our first work” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 9).

**Their special project:** This field wishes to establish new churches in new locations by the grace and power of God.

**Their challenges:** Finding volunteer workers and the necessary resources for the development of this new project (new churches).

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God because volunteer families have already come to us to offer their services to make this wish come true. Five Adventists who had left the church from loneliness have begun to meet together thanks to the project.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank the people God has placed in each location who are crucial for the work to advance.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Friday July 8, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST CHIAPAS MISSION, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2008

### DAY 105

“Then I saw another angel flying in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach to those who dwell on the earth—to every nation, tribe, tongue, and people—saying with a loud voice, ‘Fear God and give glory to Him, for the hour of His judgment has come; and worship Him who made heaven and earth, the sea and springs of water’” Revelation 14:6, 7.

#### TODAY’S READING

“The advent movement of 1840–44 was a glorious manifestation of the power of God; the first angel’s message was carried to every missionary station in the world, and in some countries there was the greatest religious interest which has been witnessed in any land since the Reformation of the sixteenth century; but these are to be exceeded by the mighty movement under the last warning of the third angel” (*The Great Controversy*, p. 611).

“I saw that this message will close with power and strength far exceeding the midnight cry” (*Early Writings*, p. 278).

**Their special project:** Construction of the multi-purpose auditorium on the land acquired for our mission’s camp.

**Their challenges:** Working during the 2010–2011 school year to make our church schools financially self-sufficient.

**The reason for their praise:** A very special reason for which we give thanks to God is the recovery of Pastor Martin Ramirez’s health. He had cancer and according to the latest medical report, he has overcome it by the blessing of God.

**The reason for their gratitude:** *In our mission, we are unanimous in gratitude to God for the following:*

- The achievement reached in thank offerings in 2009.
- The 2,820 new church members in 2009–2010.
- The construction of 18 new churches in our territory.

Today, **Monday July 11, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE ATLANTIC HONDURAS CONFERENCE**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2009

### DAY 106

“Your way, O God, is in the sanctuary; who is so great a God as our God? You are the God who does wonders; You have declared Your strength among the peoples.

You have with Your arm redeemed Your people,  
the sons of Jacob and Joseph”

Psalm 77:13–15.

#### TODAY’S READING

“It is the privilege and the duty of every Christian to have a rich and abundant experience in the things of God . . . The bright beams of the Sun of Righteousness shine upon the servants of God, and they are to reflect His rays” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 27).

**Their special project:** We have in our conference a radio station, “Gala Estéreo,” that is a great blessing for us. Our special project is to clear the financial commitment we made when we bought it.

**Their challenges:** Once we manage to pay off the remaining money for the purchase of the radio station, our challenge is to expand the radio station’s reach so that it covers the whole territory of the conference.

**The reason for their praise:** The achievement of having established our radio station is, at the same time, a powerful testimony of the power of God for His people. Through this whole process, we recognize that only God opened the way for it to be a reality today. All the glory be to Him!

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks and more thanks to our God for helping us achieve all our goals in 2010.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Tuesday July 12, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EXPERIMENTAL SOUTHEAST HONDURAS MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2009

DAY **107**

“Among the gods there is none like You, O Lord;  
nor are there any works like Your works. All nations whom  
You have made Shall come and worship before You, O Lord,  
and shall glorify Your name. For You are great,  
and do wondrous things;  
You alone are God”

Psalm 86:8–10.

## TODAY'S READING

“Only the work accomplished with much prayer, and sanctified by the merit of Christ, will in the end prove to have been efficient for good” (*The Desire of Ages*, p. 362).

“They must give themselves time to think, to pray, to wait upon God for a renewal of physical, mental, and spiritual power” (*Education*, pp. 260, 261).

**Their special project:** We ask for your prayers for the construction of a model college in the city of Choluteca. It will have the capacity of 1,200 students.

**Their challenges:** We are working and praying to find \$80,000 to finance the construction of this project. Thank you for joining with us!

**The reason for their praise:** We give glory and praise to God because He is always with us and convincing proof of this was the way He worked for us to be able to reach our goal of baptizing 10,000 souls in 2010. The glory is only His!

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks in a very special way to our God and Lord for the 700 baptisms in one week in the evangelistic campaigns with APEEC (Adventist Philanthropic, Evangelistic, Educational, and Health Center).

Today, **Wednesday July 13, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTH TAMAUlipas MISSION, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2009

DAY **108**

“Your word is a lamp to my feet And a light to my path”  
Psalm 119:105.

## TODAY'S READING

“While the people are so destitute of God’s Holy Spirit they cannot appreciate the preaching of the Word; but when the Spirit’s power touches their hearts, then the discourses given will not be without effect. Guided by the teachings of God’s Word, with the manifestation of His Spirit, in the exercise of sound discretion, those who attend our meetings will gain a precious experience, and returning home, will be prepared to exert a healthful influence” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 9).

**Their special project:** Construction of a 4,512 square meter school in Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas. They are making plans to begin the 2011–2012 school year.

**Their challenges:**

- Above all, the lack of safety which has meant that many church members have left our territory to return to their places of origin.
- The need for new church buildings.
- The consolidation of small groups in the whole field.

**The reason for their praise:** Sincere praise to our God because He has protected His church in the midst of border violence.

**The reason for their gratitude:**

- For the faithfulness of the church.
- For having reached our baptismal goals.
- For the unity of the church.
- Because resources have arrived and the programs of the church have not stopped.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Thursday July 14, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTHWEST MEXICAN REGION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2009

### DAY 109

*“Oh, love the LORD, all you His saints! For the LORD preserves the faithful, and fully repays the proud person. Be of good courage, and He shall strengthen your heart, all you who hope in the LORD”*

Psalm 31:23, 24

#### TODAY’S READING

“Those who are really beholding Christ will be changed into His image, even by the Spirit of the Lord, and will grow up to the full stature of men and women in Christ Jesus. The Holy Spirit of God will inspire men with love and purity; and refinement will be manifest in their characters” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 83).

**Their special project:** Purchasing land and building an office building.  
**Their challenges:**

1. Consolidating the finances of the region with 100 percent operating capital and 100 percent liquidity.
2. Achieving the status of “mission” in 2013.

#### **The reason for their praise:**

1. For giving us a comfortable temporary office.
2. For the more than 300 baptized souls up to October 2010 (in addition to the 100 who were baptized in December 2009 and were part of the first stage of the region’s “Evangelism 2010” plan but were still counted in the West Mexican Conference.

#### **The reason for their gratitude:**

1. For the opportunity to be part of this project of faith.
2. For the surrender, passion, and commitment to the blessed cause by the churches in Zacatecas, Durango, and Coahuila.
3. For the dedication of our pastors, colporteurs, teachers, and office personnel who, without thinking about time and effort, have become a great work team.
4. For those district pastors who support the departmental tasks in addition to their church responsibilities that are so demanding.
5. For the unconditional and decisive support, not only moral, but financial, that our beloved North Mexican Union has given this baby of our organization.

Today, **Friday July 15, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE COLOMBIAN LLANOS AND BOYACA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2009

### DAY 110

*“Give heed to the voice of my cry, my King and my God, for to You I will pray. My voice You shall hear in the morning, O LORD; in the morning I will direct it to You, and I will look up”*

Psalm 5:2, 3.

#### TODAY’S READING

“We have far more to fear from within than from without. The hindrances to strength and success are far greater from the church itself than from the world” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 10).

**Their special project:** The mission plans to carry out a strong program of developing the seven high schools that are in the territory.

**Their challenges:** In 86 percent of the municipalities of the Boyacá District (exactly 106 municipalities), there is no Adventist presence and we plan to go to all of them.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise the Lord for Álvaro Herrera Niño who decided to go the Colombian jungle to find an indigenous tribe to evangelize. The seed fell on good ground and at the end of six months, Pastor Arcesio Duarte, minister in the district of San José del Guaviare had the joy of baptizing 16 indigenous people and helping to construct a chapel where more than 100 people are presently meeting and are in the process of preparing for baptism.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for the protection of His children and for the decisions for Christ that have been made in the midst of the social crisis and the risks the church faces in this part of Colombia.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Monday July 18, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE EAST TABASCO MISSION, MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2009

DAY **111**

*“In You, O LORD, I put my trust; Let me never be ashamed; deliver me in Your righteousness. Bow down Your ear to me, deliver me speedily; be my rock of refuge, a fortress of defense to save me. . . . Into Your hand I commit my spirit; You have redeemed me, O LORD God of truth”*

Psalm 31:1–5

## TODAY’S READING

“I warn you to be careful. Sow not one expression of doubt. God has wrought for you, bringing sound doctrines of truth into actual contact with the heart. Blessing was given you, that it might produce fruit in sound practices and upright character” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 84).

**Their special project:** Construction of administrative offices at the high school and university on the campus of Parrilla and acquiring land and constructing five new churches in the city of Villahermosa.

**Their challenges:** Evangelizing and organizing 10 new church groups in the city of Villahermosa during this quadrennium.

**The reason for their praise:** Along with the brethren of the Central Tabasco Conference, we praise God because Nicanor González Mendoza College was chosen by the Secretary of Health of the state of Tabasco as a model school that teaches and practices the principles of health in its program of certification (“The Healthy School”). We also benefit from their services.

**The reason for their gratitude:** During the months of September and October 2010, the neighboring states of Veracruz, Oaxaca, and Chiapas suffered drastically from floods and landslides. All the forecasts said that we would have similar floods to those of 2007, but today we express gratitude to God because the effects were minimal.

Today, **Tuesday July 19, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE WEST LOS LLANOS VENEZUELA MISSION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2009

DAY **112**

*“By the word of the LORD the heavens were made, and all the host of them by the breath of His mouth. He gathers the waters of the sea together as a heap; He lays up the deep in storehouses. Let all the earth fear the LORD; let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of Him. For He spoke, and it was done; He commanded, and it stood fast”*

Psalm 33:6–9.

## TODAY’S READING

“A wrong conception of the character, the perpetuity, and the obligation of the divine law has led to errors in relation to conversion and sanctification, and has resulted in lowering the standard of piety in the church. Here is to be found the secret of the lack of the Spirit and power of God in the revivals of our time” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 20).

**Their special project:** Create and maintain four Adventist programs for local television and establish an Adventist presence in 150 new locations in the quinquennium.

**Their challenges:** For a revival and reformation in the personnel of the administration, mission departments, and ministerial families through the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in an individual and collective way.

**The reason for their praise:** For the positive impact that has created a pleasant image of the church in the community with the following strategies: Bible Caravan, Kindness Day, Image Day (to enhance the image of the church in the community) and ADRA.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For the devotion of an army of laymen who are constantly capable of fulfilling the mission of the church: children, youth, women, and men. We are thankful because the 4,000 souls who were baptized and form 69 percent of the membership have remained in the church and testify of the love of the Lord.



## Constant in Prayer

Today, **Wednesday July 20, 2011**, our division is praying for

### **THE EAST CUBA MISSION**

ESTABLISHED IN 2010

#### DAY 113

“LORD, who may abide in Your tabernacle? Who may dwell in Your holy hill? He who walks uprightly, and works righteousness, and speaks the truth in his heart; He who does not backbite with his tongue, nor does evil to his neighbor, nor does he take up a reproach against his friend; in whose eyes a vile person is despised, but he honors those who fear the LORD . . . He who does these things shall never be moved” Psalm 15.

#### TODAY'S READING

“In order to have the benefits of God’s grace, we must do our part; we must faithfully work, and bring forth fruits meet for repentance. We are workers together with God. You are not to sit in indolence, waiting for some great occasion, in order to do a great work for the Master. You are not to neglect the duty that lies directly in your pathway; but you are to improve the little opportunities that open around you” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 42).

**Their special project:** Growth and consolidation of the mission.

**Their challenges:** Our greatest challenge is finding a location appropriate for the establishment of our offices and homes for the administrators.

**The reason for their praise:** We praise God because in spite of the precarious financial situation of our parishioners, God has provided what was necessary to sustain the work.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We thank God for the increase in our membership. We began the year with one Adventist in every 209 inhabitants and we finished the year with one Adventist in 190.

Today, **Thursday July 21, 2011**, our division is praying for

### **THE NORTHEAST JAMAICA CONFERENCE**

ESTABLISHED IN 2010

#### DAY 114

“Nothing is better for a man than that he should eat and drink, and that his soul should enjoy good in his labor. This also, I saw, was from the hand of God”

Ecclesiastes 2:24.

#### TODAY'S READING

“No man of himself can repent, and make himself worthy of the blessing of justification. . . . We cannot take a step toward spiritual life save as Jesus draws and strengthens the soul, and leads us to experience that repentance which needeth not to be repented of” (*True Revival, the Church’s Greatest Need*, p. 30).

#### **Their special project:**

- This is a project through which we will encourage the members to attack poverty and difficult times through projects of effort and self help. We invite businessmen to an exposition where their success demonstrates to the members how they could help themselves.
- The construction project of the Nehemiah Church.

**Their challenges:** We should pray for those who are hurting and could even lose their spiritual fervor because of the results of the Conference session.

**The reason for their praise:** The northeast field began on weak and shaky ground and many people predicted the failure of this venture. The membership was asked to pray constantly and they adopted and changed the motto from “Positioning, Progress and Repositioning” to “The Wings of Prayer.” The Lord heard our prayers and answered in a very dynamic way. He gave this field the status of conference in record time.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We praise God that tithes and offerings have grown steadily in spite of the economic challenges and that the departments are led by young, enthusiastic, brilliant and consecrated workers. Our laymen promote the programs of the church with dedication, especially in the areas of evangelism and stewardship. Also, our youth carry the flag of the Adventist church forward proudly and bravely in our field and even further. Christian education has maintained its presence in the form of institutions located in Portland and St. Mary.

# Constant in Prayer



Today, **Friday July 22, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE NORTHWEST NICARAGUA REGION**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2010

DAY 115

*“This poor man cried out, and the LORD heard him,  
and saved him out of all his troubles”*

Psalm 34:6

## TODAY’S READING

“Earnest, self-sacrificing men and women are needed, who will go to God and with strong crying and tears plead for the souls that are on the brink of ruin” (*Gospel Workers*, p. 26).

**Their special project:** Since we ourselves are a special project of development, we are concentrating on multiplying at the present time and strengthening small groups to achieve rapid growth. We also need to construct offices to take care of matters of the church in this territory.

**Their challenges:** We hope, with the help of God, to become a mission in the month of February. From then, our challenge will be to work to reorganize our territory into two missions: West and Atlantic.

**The reason for their praise:** We give glory and praise to God because we are experiencing numerical, financial, and institutional growth in our field.

**The reason for their gratitude:** For the acquisition of a new property for the construction of a hospital, for the growth of the radio and television program in the region, and for the spiritual and physical health of the workers and members of the church.

Today, **Sabbath July 23, 2011**, our division is praying for  
**THE CAMPECHE MISSION, SOUTH MEXICO**  
ESTABLISHED IN 2010

DAY 116

*“And I, brethren, when I came to you, did not come with excellence of speech or of wisdom declaring to you the testimony of God. For I determined not to know anything among you except Jesus Christ and Him crucified”*

1 Corinthians 2:1, 2.

## TODAY’S READING

“Christ, his character and work, is the center and circumference of all truth, he is the chain upon which the jewels of doctrine are linked. In him is found the complete system of truth” (*Review and Herald*, August 15, 1893).

“Lift up Jesus, you that teach the people, lift Him up in sermon, in song, in prayer. Let all your powers be directed to pointing souls, confused, bewildered, lost, to ‘the Lamb of God,’” *Gospel Workers*, p. 160).

**Their special project:** To develop a plan to evangelize the city of Campeche where there are 400,000 inhabitants and 2,100 church members.

**Their challenges:** To construct offices for the mission in 2011.

**The reason for their praise:** The name of God has been glorified among us through the work carried out by the “Jesus is Coming” ministry led by Brother Ricardo Sosa and his evangelistic team. Up to the present time, he has baptized 94 souls in this area that is one of the more difficult in the union to evangelize.

**The reason for their gratitude:** We give thanks to God for having given the mission property for the 110-hectare camp for only \$32,000.