



**Scripture Union**  
God's Big Story transforming young lives

# Global Prayer News

October to December 2021

[www.scriptureunion.global](http://www.scriptureunion.global)

*I urge you, brothers, and sisters, by our Lord Jesus Christ and by the love of the Spirit,  
to join me in my struggle by praying to God for me.  
Pray that I may be kept safe from the unbelievers in Judea  
and that the contribution I take to Jerusalem may be favourably received by the Lord's people there,  
so that I may come to you with joy, by God's will, and in your company be refreshed.*

Romans 15:30-32

Dear praying friends,

Amazing, isn't it? The apostle Paul is asking the Christians in Rome to participate in his ministry, who are - with a few exceptions - complete strangers to him. As he is travelling from place to place to preach the good news of Jesus, he relies on the Christian church in Rome to do their part in the Great Commission.

His ministry was not very easy. The number of Christians was vanishingly small. There were not people joyfully accepting the Good News everywhere. There was criticism, resistance, hostility, and sometimes personal disappointment. Basically, the situation Paul found about 2000 years ago was hardly different from what some of our SU teams are experiencing today.

So how did Paul deal with this situation? He asked the Christians in Rome for prayer support. He told them: *"Listen, I really need you guys. Yes, we are separated by more than 2000 kilometres, but because we are members of the body of Christ together and connected through the Holy Spirit, you can help me. The distance is not an issue at all. We don't have email, telephone, and airplanes yet. But there is still much you can do."*

For Paul, collaboration in the Great Commission by prayer is taking part in a spiritual battle. The Bible makes it very clear that God's adversary, Satan, is doing everything he can to prevent the Kingdom of God from growing. Ministry workers can easily get tired, discouraged, beaten, or hurt. That is why it is important to know: I am part of a larger team. My team may not be physically near, but we are connected through the Holy Spirit. I am not fighting alone. In South Africa, Vietnam, Germany, the UK or wherever else – I have brothers and sisters who are fighting with me.

The SUI Global Prayer News is a regular and constant invitation to step up in prayer for the global ministry of Scripture Union. However, every year in November we take some extra time for prayer. To connect with each more intentionally. To listen to God together and pray.

I would like to invite you to reserve the first full week of November as a movement or as individuals and to join our global prayer events. Because we need each other!

Warmest greetings and blessings,

Monika Kuschmierz  
International Director



**Scripture Union International**

Lytchett House, 13 Freeland Park, Wareham Road, Poole, Dorset, BH16 6FA, United Kingdom

[www.scriptureunion.global](http://www.scriptureunion.global)



This year our Global Week of Prayer, will explore the book of Zechariah and what it means to be 'prisoners of hope' (Zech 9:12). What does this ancient book have to say about this present moment? Zechariah is a book rich with imagery, some of it quite unusual and confronting! This book seeks to help the community of Israel to look beyond their exile and captivity towards the fulfilment of the Kingdom of God. The prophet calls them to repentance and a renewed commitment to their covenant with God. He describes a vision of all that God has in store for the community of faith. There is much in this book for us to explore and find inspiration in as we gather to pray.

We particularly invite you to read and meditate on Chapter 8 and the wonderful vision that God lays before His people. Picture the streets filled once again with old men and women. Hear the children playing. Watch people coming from the East and West, a multitude of languages and nations, living in faithfulness and righteousness. Crops growing and vines laden with fat, juicy grapes.

What a wonderful vision to be captured by!

Zechariah calls the people to be 'prisoners of hope', a juxtaposition of terms. It is a great way to think about how we are to live. Bound by hope, captured by hope, inspired to live with a 'lock us up and throw away the key' kind of hope.

As we gather to pray for what God has done over the past year and look ahead to what God will do in the future, we can be people of hope. We can look above the chaos and look forward to the coming of the Kingdom and God's ultimate restoration.

This year we invite you to join the Global SU family in praying together. We invite people of all ages to get involved in a series of events. This will include:

- an international launch event on 7 November at 7:00 pm London time – sign up [here](#)
- a daily prayer guide, with a specific focus for each day
- a range of creative prayer activities
- an international 24 hour Zoom prayer event which starts at 13 November at 6:00am Auckland time (which is 5:00pm London time on 12 November) – sign up [here](#)



# Global Prayer News

## October to December 2021

### 1-3 OCTOBER

- ❑ **Scripture Union International**  
The third in a series of six Bible Engagement Round Tables will take place today. Pray that there will be robust discussions that would help us to rethink and reimagine Bible Engagement across the SU Global Family.
- ❑ **Scripture Union International**  
The Global Board will be meeting from 1-3 October. It was planned to be in France so time could be taken to get to know the new members of the Board, but it will now be held virtually due to ongoing travel difficulties and restrictions. Pray there will be bonding and unity, despite the physical distance between members.
- ❑ **Russia**  
Praise God for the Teens' camp we had 13-15 August. We went kayaking on the river, read the Gospel, talked about Jesus and Peter, cooked food on fire and learned to cope with the difficulties together.



### 4-10 OCTOBER

- ❑ **Germany**  
During the summer we were able to carry out some beach outreaches and some camps despite the pandemic. We are grateful for God's protection for our activities and staff, even during the flood disaster we experienced.
- ❑ **Tonga**  
We request your prayers for our Annual Camp and for our Campsite project.
- ❑ **New Zealand**  
Please pray for 'Pōnui Spring Adventure', a new SUNZ intermediate-age camp running from 6-9 October and for our Team Leader. The camp is the first of new camps designed to help bridge the gap between SUNZ children's camps and SUNZ youth camps.

- ❑ **Estonia**  
We are grateful for the blessed camps this summer: for the window opened in COVID-19 regulations that allowed us to hold events for almost 400 campers - whose lives were changed. We are thankful that God was very close to touch young people's hearts. Please pray for our Camps' Coordinator as she had a very tough summer - that she would be inspired to continue.
- ❑ **Hong Kong**  
Praise the Lord that our youth notes 'Soaring High in You' which has won the Best Editing Series Prize in this year's Golden Book Award, organized by the Hong Kong Association of Christian Publishers. The award ceremony will be held 8 October. Pray that the Notes would help teenagers to know God and build up a relationship with Him through daily Bible reading and prayer. Pray for the App version which should be released next year.



- ❑ **Macau**  
Pray for the physical meeting of Annual Christian Teachers' Conference on 9 October. We are thankful that the speaker and the venue are confirmed. Please pray for more teachers to join the conference and be blessed by the Word of God.
- ❑ **Peninsular Malaysia**  
The Vineyard e-Camp is a children's camp for subscribers to our quarterly Chinese language Vineyard magazine. Pray for the children to be blessed in their hearts, and the preparations of the camp speaker, volunteers, and camp coordinators in making this online event fun and impactful.

## 11-17 OCTOBER

### Malawi

Thank God for the 'Smooth Stone Sport' project on leadership mentoring skills for young people held in June 2021. Pray for the implementation of the program in two areas - Mtsiliza and Area 36, Lilongwe. We are thankful for Life Skills Youth Training in August and the Church Leaders Conference in September that included updates on SU ministry.



### Scotland

With a school holiday mid-October, this provides a further opportunity for face-to-face ministry with young people. Give thanks we can hold five separate residential events for ages 10-18 and a discipleship conference for 16-18-year-olds. Pray for those leading each of these events and that young people will be challenged to go deeper with God and follow Him more closely.

### Nepal

VBS (Vacation Bible School) children day camps with 100 children and 10 volunteer teachers each will be held in three places in the Gandaki province 12-13 October and three places in the Lumbini province 14-15 October. Please pray that the camps will be effective.

### Austria

In between 12-14 October the three Directors of the German speaking SU movements will meet for ministry updates. Please pray that this gathering will encourage and strengthen our partnership and help with our projects.

### Serbia

Please pray for the activities we are planning to do in the autumn and for the Lord to give us wisdom regarding the changes that come with COVID-19 measures. Please pray for the seminar that is planned for October. We would like to encourage our volunteers to take care of themselves while serving others.



### Northern Ireland

Give thanks for the 20 missions, 13-day camps and 5 'It's Your Move' events that took place across Northern Ireland during July and August, with over 500 volunteers and thousands of children and young people. Please pray for SUNI's Schools Team in this first term of the new academic year. Pray that any ongoing restrictions would still allow for face-to-face visits to schools from staff and volunteers. Please pray for our three team members as they start new roles in this term.



### Sri Lanka

Please pray for Sri Lankan children who have been affected by COVID-19. The number of child abuse cases reported in the country has been increasing. Pray for our country leaders to provide justice to such cases to mitigate and safeguard the children.

## 18-24 OCTOBER

### FSR Community Group

Please pray for the Former Soviet Republics Community Group online meeting that will be taking place today and tomorrow. Pray for the time of celebration, encouragement, and support for our attendees. Pray for the wisdom and courage while grasping God's vision for us as a Group and for each individual country as we think about the future.

### Hungary

We would like to give thanks for all the camps we held in July. Although we couldn't get any volunteers from the UK this year, God provided us with just enough local English helpers to carry out our programs.



☐ **Canada (English speaking)**

Praise the Lord for the growth of the SU Canada 'School of KidsMin'. There are 60 animated and live-action videos now available in the library, with new training workshops added monthly.

☐ **France**

Pray for the Madagascar section of SU in France, as their current chair, Solo Randriamahefa, passed away suddenly after surgery on 7 August at the age of 72. He was a pillar of the SU movement in France as a whole, not just in the Madagascar section. He will be sorely missed. Now, others must try to fill in for his formal responsibilities.

☐ **Angola**

We give thanks that our National Director has recovered from COVID-19, and that now she is in good health.

☐ **Honduras**

Pray for all Hondurans to be vaccinated against COVID-19. Pray for the health of our staff and volunteers. Pray for finances to develop the ministries and the operational and administrative expenses.

☐ **Bulgaria**

The pandemic crisis is slowing down in Bulgaria which allowed us to have camps this summer. We hope to resume our 2 weekly Bible clubs in our SU office this new school year and to have one more group as well. Please pray for more volunteers willing to lead these groups.

**25-31 OCTOBER**

☐ **Greece**

Our new Counselling and Psychotherapy Centre 'Eunice' is about to open its doors. We thank God that the facilities in downtown Athens are almost ready. Please pray that this new ministry will be a blessing to families and individuals. Our Elderly Care Unit 'Lois' is still under strict COVID-19 measurements. Pray for the elderly and the staff, as they both need strength and patience in this difficult and stressful period.



☐ **Japan**

'CSK Group Devotion' meets online for forty minutes on Sunday afternoons once a month. We inform churches in Japan about our online groups to let their young people join. Pray for more young people to be nourished and sustained by the Word during these difficult times.

☐ **Finland**

Please pray for wisdom in different possibilities to publish new material for Bible reading – that we would put our effort to those materials that would really help people to read and understand the Bible.

☐ **Vietnam (Hanoi)**

Praise the Lord for the pastor who had the QT (Quiet Time) training from SU and saw the results of this when he introduced it to some other churches. Pray that God may raise more trainers for us, and that God may help us to connect with more churches and organizations to train QT.

☐ **South Sudan**

Thank God for the successful training of 29 volunteers to lead the work in Nimule, Kuajok and Wau towns. Praise God for the participants of the Family Conferences in Nimule, Juba and Yei in August and September.



☐ **Laos**

Praise God for the Bible online programs, for the volunteers and Christians involved. While having lockdown in the country because of COVID-19, we use this chance to proclaim the Good News to the families and create the online lesson for them.

☐ **Ethiopia**

Our country is passing through many security challenges. The war is transforming into a civil war. People leave their homes and go to the neighbouring towns or countries. Many women and children became victims of this situation. Our country government needs wisdom and God's favour to bring peace.

**1-6 NOVEMBER**

☐ **Scripture Union International**

The fourth Bible Engagement Round Table will take place today. Pray for the ongoing discussions.

☐ **Denmark**

Pray for our meeting 1 November with the leaders from other Christian organizations who are engaged with Bible engagement in Denmark. The topic is 'Christian Digital Communication' with General Secretary of SU Sweden, Olof Brandt.

## □ Northern Ireland

Please pray for our SHINE project which is a 3-week resource that seeks to equip pupils to live for God at school and allow people the opportunity to explore the Christian faith for themselves. It is being released for November and the theme this year is 'influencers'.

## □ Nepal

VBS (Vacation Bible School) children day camps will be held in three places in the Bagmati province 4-5 November. We are expecting 100 children and 10 volunteer teachers at each camp. Please pray that the camps will be effective.

## □ Australia

Praise God for the recent launch of four new SUPA (Scripture Union Primary Age) Clubs in local primary schools. Pray that God will provide more volunteer leaders so our SUPA program can continue to meet the high demand for them in our schools.

## □ India

Pray for the new initiatives in the Churches, for Bible Reading Notes promotion, for Vision Camp of Promotion Department, for new avenues for Family ministries.

## □ Germany

We are involved in a nationwide crusade 8-13 November. As a part of this, we are running a programme for children with online streaming and potential broadcast through Christian TV. Many children from churches all over Germany will be included. Please pray for good preparations, many groups participating and that the children we want to reach will be able to respond in their hearts.

## □ Day 1– Repentance

- Pray together, focusing on what repentance looks like for your movement and for SU around the world.
- Spend time lamenting what has been lost or that grieves you, your movement and SU around the world. Commit these to God.
- Listen to what God is prompting you about for the future. What are the opportunities to be found in a new direction? Ask God for wisdom and courage to discern the way ahead and step into it.

## □ Day 2 – Reliance

Pray together for where you can see the walls broken down and in need of repair. What might it look like to experience God's protection and indwelling in each of these places:

- The impact on nations of COVID-19, civil war or natural disasters.
- The rebuilding of communities impacted by violence or apathy.
- Families torn apart by poverty or neglect.
- Churches that have been stunned into silence with the closing of their doors.
- The ministries of Scripture Union that have ceased or been severely impacted by the events of this year.

Pray together for God's direction as to how to respond to each of these seemingly overwhelming realities. Consider what it means to see God's Kingdom reigning from a global perspective and pray the Lord's prayer together - Your Kingdom come!

## □ Day 3 – Renewal

- Pray for the leaders in your SU movement and your local church, considering Zechariah 3&4. Pray the words of 4:6 for them, that they will rely not on their own strength, but on the Holy Spirit.
- Although we may feel like the 'day of small things' (4:10) describes our ministry, pray for a sense of God at work and a renewed perspective on the local and global ministry of SU.
- Spend time as individuals focusing on Psalm 139:23-24 and the image of taking off the filthy clothes to dress anew in God's garments.

## GLOBAL WEEK OF PRAYER



## □ Launch Event

Join us at our 90-minute launch event for the annual Global Week of Prayer. Pray that as we gather, we might all become inspired and engaged for the week ahead. 7 November at 7:00 pm London time – sign up [here](#)

#### □ Day 4 – Restoration

Consider how our churches and communities of faith can best reflect what it means to belong to the Kingdom of God. Spend some time praying about what restoration might look like practically in each of the following areas. Respond to what God might be saying to your SU movement about your role in this.

- Acting with justice and mercy
- Loving your neighbour
- Showing compassion
- Not taking advantage of the vulnerable
- Not plotting and scheming against each other.

#### □ Day 5 – Rejoicing

- Oppression, injustice, war – that God would bring peace.
- Read 9:14-17 and use these words to create a prayer for the children and young people you minister with.
- 10:6-7 paints a picture of renewed communities, where children flourish in faith. Rejoice together for the lives of children and young people who have been transformed by the good news of Jesus. Take this opportunity to pray for movements who work with displaced children and young people - that the good news will help them thrive, not just survive.
- Pray for SU as a global movement, that we would live out being 'prisoners of hope' in such a way that people will be drawn to God and His Kingdom.

#### □ 24-Hour Day of Prayer

Join us as SUI hosts 24 hours of prayer from around the world. Pray that the technology all works and that we can share in a tremendous time of prayer and celebration. Starts 13 November at 6:00am Auckland time– sign up [here](#)

### 14-21 NOVEMBER

#### □ Serbia

Please pray for the Annual Assembly that is planned for November. It is a wonderful opportunity for us to meet and praise God together for all the things He has done during the past year.

#### □ New Zealand

Give thanks that two of three SUNZ 2021 WAY2GO children's ministry training conferences were able to go ahead in-person in Auckland and Dunedin, and the third in Wellington was, at short notice, able to be replaced by successful on-line meetings.



#### □ Australia

Please pray that God would call the right people to fill two job vacancies in our Schools' Ministry and Youth and Training teams in the Australian Capital Territory (ACT). Pray for God's wisdom and guidance as we seek to raise financial support to place remote District Workers in regional and remote South Australian communities.

#### □ Italy

In autumn all the customers who will place an order to the Bible House will receive a copy of the devotional. Please, pray for this campaign that it will bring more subscribers.

#### □ Taiwan

Praise God for faithful ministry partners from churches, seminary, Christian organizations, and media. Pray for unity, healthy and equitable partnerships, and effective collaboration in all Gospel-related activities via media network approaches.

#### □ Sri Lanka

Pray for postponed events for children and children with special needs that we will be able to run those programs in the coming days. May God provide us with a safe travel to fulfil His mission. Pray for our online ministry to reach many children and young adults. Pray for the health and protection of all our board, volunteers, and staff.

## □ Singapore

Praise God our 'WWWC' (Walking with Wounded Children) Module 1 Training the Tutors was completed in July. May the Lord grant favour and wisdom to our Ministry team for Module 2 while we await the easing of COVID-19 safety measures in Singapore.



## 22-28 NOVEMBER

### □ Austria

Our Bible Mobile bus is again on tour this autumn to reach out to the young generation. Pray that schools will open their doors and that we may meet young people with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

### □ India

Pray for the 125th year celebration of SU India in November in Calcutta, where the first SU missionary to India landed.

### □ Estonia

Please pray for the quick and blessed process of development for our Bible-App! We need open doors for international agreements, lots of professional help on a volunteer basis, funds, and wisdom for content development. The release of the first phase was successful in June, but there is still a long way to go!

### □ Peninsular Malaysia

'Camp Legacy' is an Annual Youth Leadership camp that will be held online 26-28 November. Pray that the creative activities, teaching, and workshops will build up our young leaders no matter that they are not able to meet in a physical camp.

## □ England and Wales

In line with COVID-19 guidance, SU England & Wales has been able to run a variety of residentials, day camps and online holidays this summer. Give thanks for the many children and young people who have attended and pray for them as they continue their faith journey.



## □ Eswatini

Currently the country is going through a period of heightened political civil unrest. Please pray that as the people seek for change 'God's Will be done' (Matthew 6:10). Let there be no bloodshed of innocent lives. We also pray for healing and contained transmission of COVID-19.

## □ Angola

Thank God for the children's ministry re-opened by our government. And thank God that many volunteers joined our national movement.

## 29 NOVEMBER – 5 DECEMBER

## □ Singapore

Please uphold the organizing committee for our year-end Youth Camp and SUPA Camp 28 November - 3 December. Pray for an engaging and exciting experience, that campers will receive a fresh and special encounter with the Holy Spirit.

## □ Switzerland (German speaking)

Usually many Bible painting services are held from November to December. At these special events, our worker tells a Bible story (or stories) while his wife presents the story in drawing - with acrylic paints or by painting in the sand. Pray that the situation with COVID-19, which seems to be intensifying again, will allow these services and that a lot of people may hear from Jesus in this way during Christmas Season.

## □ Ethiopia

Although the ministry was started in 1965 in our country, we still do have not any premises. The economic situation in the country is tough - our currency is losing its power day by day. We have applied to our government for sections of land in two places. We need God's favour.



❑ **Scripture Union International**

The fifth Bible Engagement Round Table will take place today. Pray for open and fruitful conversations.

❑ **Bulgaria**

Please pray for our safe return to the mission in the Montana region - our last organised trip was November 2020. We pray that God will be with us and the people there and to guide our actions and thoughts for His glory.

❑ **Canada (English speaking)**

Praise the Lord for the successful development and running of SU Canada's one-day sports camps. This new initiative is designed to help churches get back on their feet with in-person post-pandemic community outreach.

❑ **Pakistan**

Pray for the field ministry that God saves the staff from the terrible situation of COVID-19. Pray for the financial resources for SU Pakistan to increase the salaries of the staff. Ask God to open the doors He has for SU here and to close doors that are not part of His plan.



**6-12 DECEMBER**

❑ **Finland**

Ask God to wake up many Finns to promote Bible reading in their own surroundings. Pray for us and the opportunities to help them in this task. Please pray for our campaign 'Alussa' (In the Beginning) that will take place this month. In January 2022 our Bible reading notes 'Hetkinen' will start the Bible readings from the beginning - Genesis, and the Gospel of John, may this be a good start for those who miss daily bread from God's Word.

❑ **Australia**

Please pray for our Summer Holiday camps, including SU 'Schoolies' in Queensland, GENTS Father & Son camp in South Australia, and our Family Camp for families with children on the autism spectrum in Victoria. Pray for fun, safety, growing relationships and impacting experiences of engaging with Jesus' story.

❑ **Congo (DR)**

Pray for our training of young mothers' program.



❑ **New Zealand**

Please pray for SUNZ's three 'E3' wilderness journeys from 8-17 December. Students in their last two years of high school tramp, mountain bike and kayak or raft through backcountry New Zealand while strengthening their connections with God, others, and creation, and developing leadership skills for life after leaving school.

❑ **Scotland**

Last year under lockdown we were able to create new resources in partnership with SU Ireland for use in schools, to help 10-12-year-olds explore the true meaning of Christmas. Called 'Light up Christmas', the resource was well received. Pray that this month many school chaplains, class teachers and youth workers will gain permission to use the resources and give hundreds of children an opportunity to hear of the significance of Jesus' birth.

❑ **Laos**

Thank God for being able to share the Gospel with more than 500 people and for the 150 who turned to Jesus Christ. Pray for cooperation with local churches, to help to equip communities to protect from COVID-19, for food distribution and to advance of the Gospel. Pray that COVID-19, recedes so that we can continue the ministry.



❑ **Denmark**

Pray for the process of finding a new National Director for SU Denmark, who can help inspire people to engage with God's Word.

## 13-19 DECEMBER

- ❑ **Switzerland (German speaking)**  
The end of the year is always particularly tense because this is when most of our donations arrive. So far, we have been doing well. We thank God for his provision in the past and ask that he may provide us with enough support again this year.
- ❑ **Bulgaria**  
There is a growing interest around the country for our Lego weekends. Please pray for the team and for more opportunities to present our Lord to the young children and their parents.
- ❑ **Canada (English speaking)**  
Pray for the restarting of SU Canada's sports clubs. The clubs were curtailed due to COVID-19. With social distancing restrictions lifted, the clubs are being reintegrated into local church activities.
- ❑ **Japan**  
Pray for the preparation of our annual training workshop for the church youth leaders - we are planning to have it in March next year and it will be devoted to the ministry among teenagers. Pray that we find the right speaker.
- ❑ **Angola**  
Pray for God to provide us with land for to develop our infrastructure.
- ❑ **Hungary**  
We need supporters who would give regularly to our needs to continue our mission.
- ❑ **Australia (NSW)**  
Give thanks that camps have been able to continue. Pray for two new camps – Worship Band Camp and art and craft camps for girls, that young people would be transformed by the Gospel.

## 20-26 DECEMBER

- ❑ **Austria**  
We are developing the program for the coming year. We pray that God will guide this Ministry to be a blessing to many people on our camps and through our outreaches with the 'Holzbauwelt' (wooden building blocks) and the 'Lego-Town'. Pray for a good plan for 2022.
- ❑ **Italy**  
We thank God for all the authors of the Bible notes who are serving on a completely voluntary basis. Pray they will do this work with the inspiration and the joy of the Lord. Keep on praying for an Italian SU movement to be fully established. The main challenge for any potential staff candidate is financial support as the Italian Church is not very mission minded and usually reluctant to support Christian workers.

- ❑ **Taiwan**  
The impact of COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted our ministries and financial planning. Pray for financial breakthrough as we earnestly seek God's favour and provision.
- ❑ **India**  
Pray for our Christmas programmes through which more children of other faiths would understand Jesus's love.
- ❑ **Estonia**  
Please pray for our board. In these quickly changing times pray for their wisdom and open hearts to focus on the right things and for the strategic decisions they need to make.
- ❑ **Christmas Day**  
Pray for the SU community around the world, that our staff and volunteers can be salt and light.
- ❑ **Australia**  
Please pray that God would call the right people to fill our vacant school chaplaincy positions across Australia.

## 27-31 DECEMBER

- ❑ **England and Wales**  
95% of under 18s in England and Wales don't go to church but many are open to faith. Pray for SU England and Wales' Development Hub as they collaborate, develop, and create new resources to equip Faith Guides and local churches.
- ❑ **Switzerland (German Speaking)**  
Due to Corona our strategy-finding process has dragged on a little. But we are on the right track and plan to take the first concrete steps at the end of 2021/beginning of 2022. Please pray for wisdom and that we will find the right people for our new projects!
- ❑ **Hong Kong**  
We will be celebrating our 60th Anniversary in 2022. We praise God for His continual love, grace, and provision upon us and His walk with us throughout the years. May God bless the programme so we can have good celebration to glorify His name.
- ❑ **Ethiopia**  
Praise God! We are running the ministry despite many challenges by His mercy. We can serve students in their fellowship, and children's ministry coordinators and teachers in churches by training and organizing them.
- ❑ **Scripture Union International**  
Give thanks for the Child Protection trainings that have taken place throughout 2021. Pray the training will help National Movements develop and implement their Child Protection and Safeguarding Policies as we go ahead into 2022.