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"For unto us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

Isaiah 9:6

## PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

- Celebrate with former LPA Next Generation Alliance (NGA) staffer, Betsy Kost and her husband Andy, in the birth of their son, Peter George Kost, November 18th, 2018. Please pray for them as they transition into their new roles as parents. "Children are a heritage from the Lord, offspring a reward from him." Psalm 127:3
- Praise God with us for NGA cabinet members, Alan and Vicki Greene, and Keith and Joan Cook, and NGA members, Mark and Tish Young and Zach Blickens. Even though they were unable to obtain visas in time to travel God opened the door so they were able to teach and preach via live stream to the people of Karachi, Pakistan as well as be broadcasted on Pakistan Shine Star TV. "So they set out and went from village to village, proclaiming good news and healing people everywhere." Luke 9:6
- Praise God that Andrew and team received government approval to travel and minister in China for December, but a change in circumstances prevented them from going. The call remains: "The Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is on me, because the Lord has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners." Isaiah 61:1

## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

- Be fervent in prayer and reverent in submission to the Father, asking for approval by Mr. Ren, the chief editor of China's State Administration for Religious Affairs (SARA), to distribute and obtain the "The Gift of Easter" ISBN number by the end of February at the latest. This would allow adequate time to make plans for distribution at Easter. "He [Jesus] offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission." Hebrews 5:7
- Continue to pray for the newly formed relationships between the NGA team and their new friends in Karachi, Pakistan. "We proclaim to you what we have seen and heard, so that you also may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ." 1 John 1:3
- Please pray for NGA member David Chung. He is traveling to India, Cambodia, and Korea this month to meet with pastors and leaders to explore the possibility of a festival in Asia. "Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and he will establish your plans." Proverbs 16:3
- Pray also for NGA cabinet member, Reid Saunders and his team. He is planning outreaches for 2019
  in Vietnam and the Philippines. "What He opens no one can shut, and what he shuts no one can
  open." Revelation 3:7

As we enter into the Christmas season, let us pause in wonder of the beauty of Christ, God incarnate, coming to earth to live among sinful people. Be blessed...and be a blessing.

Celebrating His Birth,
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