## **Upcoming events to pray for Pastor Dwight:**

Oct. 4, 5:30 pm Celebration Church, Lakeville, MN

Oct. 20, Lehighton Bible Church, Lehighton, PA

Oct. 23-25, MN Correctional Assoc. Conference, Mankato, MN

Nov.2, 10 am, Iglesia De Dios Tabernaiculo Consejero Fiel, Minneapolis, MN

Nov 10, 10 am Combined - Iglesia Cristiana Shekinah & Heritage Foursquare Church, 1700 Mile Hill Dr SE, Port Orchard, WA 98367 Nov. 13-14, PMA Board Retreat, Home office, Port Orchard, WA Dec. 7, 10 am Iglesia Cristiana Fe, Esperanza y Amor en Jesucristo, Inc. Le Sueur, MN

Jan. 4, 10 am Open Door Latino Church, Minneapolis, MN Feb. 1, 10 am Iglesia Cristiana Remanente Escogido por Gracia, St Paul, MN

## **Stories of Changed Lives for the Glory of God!**

"This is an excellent lesson and one that I needed. I thank you for 'Do you understand God's plan for Man.' Booklet. This is excellent also and goes perfectly with this lesson. I gave the tract to a man in here, maybe he will sign up for the Bible course. I thank everyone at PMA for what you do for me. I look forward to the next lesson. Your brother and student in Christ." **L.C**.

Since 1955, Prison Mission Association (PMA) has focused on "Reaching Prisoners for Christ" by providing Bible correspondence courses to over 42,000 inmates in all fifty states and in 28 countries overseas: working to plant self-sustaining church communities in prisons. Students may earn free college credits with Berean Bible Institute (BBI), West Bend, Wisc.

PMA Prayer and Praise Updates – *God's work behind bars!*For more info contact: Pastor Dwight Anderson, 612-423-3457

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## October 2024 Prayer Update

**Praise Points** 

# Pray for outreach at the Green Bay Correctional Institution, Wisc.



Pray for Jean Roskams
as she is teaching a
weekly Bible Study
with our new PMA
lessons based on the
12 Seeds Growing in
Love book.

We appreciate the many folks we partner with to help those in jails and prisons around the country. Here is an update from one of those partners.

"My name is Jean Roskams and I have been doing a weekly Bible study at Green Bay Correctional Institution (GBCI), a Green Bay, Wisconsin men's maximum-security prison for 6 years. GBCI has 950 inmates. My first study there was with Norm Andersen's 12 Seeds for Successful Relationships and I have done 12 Seeds Growing in Love there as well. They have been cracking down on bringing items into the prison, including books. So, I started the Growing in Love Bible study in

September using the new PMA Bible lessons based on the 12 Seeds Growing in Love book and bible study so the chaplain is able to print out the lesson for me each week! Kindest regards, Your sister in Christ, Jean"



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This month the seed to focus on is: *Hope* -

Positive Expectations. "Be joyful in hope, patient in

affliction, faithful in prayer." - Romans 12:12. Each of the 12 Seeds is an Ideal. To discover more about the seed of **Hope**, check out our downloadable tools you can use in classes and discussions at <a href="https://www.prisonmission.org">www.prisonmission.org</a>. Thank you to all who support our book fund that allows us to distribute books.

#### **Prayer Points**

Please pray for our dear friend, **Norm Andersen**, **author of 12 Seeds who has not been feeling well**. He has pulmonary embolism, small blood clots in his lungs. It is hard for him to sleep, and he does not have much energy. He has found a place to live in MN. Praise the Lord!

We are **praying for a Spanish Coordinator** to help train a team to correct lessons so we can expand this area of our ministry.

Keep praying for more local churches to start a local Bible Correspondence Fellowship (BCF) so they can reach out to their local jails and prisons. We now have 61 BCFs including 28 in overseas countries! Each BCF prints, distributes, and corrects lessons to mentor inmates so they can reach more inmates for Christ! We can help you start a BCF to reach out near you.

Pray for Pastor Dwight as PMA Director and Senior Pastor at Bethesda Church, for wisdom. Pray for the need to hire another pastor to serve our North Branch campus and assist at our Prior Lake campus. Our church is focused on Prayer for 2024 so we are making sure everyone is prayed for daily. I'm excited how God has led us to cover everyone every day in prayer. Ask me how we do it. It's a very simple plan to roll out and I can help you do it too! We have seen a big turnaround this year for the glory of God! This year we are celebrating 100 years! 1924-2024. To God be the Glory!