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					<b>1</b> New Year's Day May this be the year of release for those suffering in North Korea	<b>2</b> May this be a blessed year for the community of Jesus Abbey and the Three Seas along with The River of Life School.
<b>3</b> 'When did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?'... when you did it to one of these brothers of Mine... you did it to Me.' Mt. 25:39-40	<b>4</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un change his attitude completely and release those whom he has caused to be imprisoned.	<b>5</b> Pray for the people of North Korea who live with increasing uncertainty in spite of improvement in the economy.	<b>6</b> Pray for the release of Pastor Heon Soo Lim soon this year. (1 <sup>st</sup> picture above)	<b>7</b> Pray for wisdom for the Canadian government as they seek the release of Pastor Hyeon Soo Lim from NK.	<b>8</b> Pray for the students of the River of Life School that they may have a restful and profitable vacation.	<b>9</b> Pray for everyone at Jesus Abbey and the Three Seas as they take up new responsibilities for this year.
<b>10</b> Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. 2Cor. 3:17	<b>11</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un be brought under the conviction of the Holy Spirit and come to know the Lord.	<b>12</b> Pray for the people of North Korea to come to know the true liberty that comes only through Jesus Christ.	<b>13</b> Pray for the release of Kevin and Julia Garratt soon this year. (2 <sup>nd</sup> picture above)	<b>14</b> Pray for wisdom for the Canadian government as they seek the release of Steve and Julia Garratt from China.	<b>15</b> Pray for the families of The River of Life School that they grow closer together during this vacation time.	<b>16</b> Pray for preparations to resume construction at the Three Seas in the spring.
<b>17</b> The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me, because the LORD has anointed me to... proclaim liberty to captives and freedom to prisoners. Is. 61:1	<b>18</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un come to understand that his protection is not in bunkers and tunnels but in repentance.	<b>19</b> Pray for the end of all threats of punishment for those in NK who enjoy South Korean entertainment.	<b>20</b> Pray for the release of Pastor Jeong Wook Kim soon this year. (3 <sup>rd</sup> Picture above)	<b>21</b> Pray that there be international efforts to seek the release of the three South Korean pastors imprisoned in NK.	<b>22</b> Pray for the faculty of The River of Life School that their vacation may be a time of rest and renewal.	<b>23</b> Pray for the River of Life School teachers hoping to move to the Three Seas this year once the new buildings are built.
<b>24</b> To proclaim the year of release and the day of vengeance of our God; To comfort all who mourn... Isaiah 61:2	<b>25</b> Pray that North Korea allow their overseas workers greater freedom and to keep the money they earn.	<b>26</b> Pray for all North Koreans working abroad that they be treated well and be able to care for their families.	<b>27</b> Pray for the release of Pastors Kook Ki Kim and Choon Gil Choi soon this year. (4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> pictures)	<b>28</b> Pray for relations between North and South Korea to improve throughout this year.	<b>29</b> Pray for the new teachers needed for the coming River of Life School year.	<b>30</b> Pray for good health for the Jesus Abbey community, including the Three Seas and the livestock there.
<b>31</b> To grant those who mourn in Zion, giving them a garland for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning... Isaiah 61:3	<i>The Fourth River Project: Preparing for the opening of North Korea Jesus Abbey's Three Seas Ranch and Center: A place of preparation for the opening of North Korea through labor and instruction The Three Seas Community: Men and women committed together to this work The River of Life School: Preparing the Unification Generation.</i>					

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	<b>1</b> Pray that the NK authorities will release all Americans and South Koreans who are in custody.	<b>2</b> Pray for Pastor Kim Dong Chul who was recently arrested in North Korea.	<b>3</b> Pray for American college student Otto Warmbier who was arrested in January in Pyongyang.	<b>4</b> Pray that the final US NK sanctions bill not prevent medical and other help going to people in need.	<b>5</b> Pray for the need for teachers for The River of Life School in science and history.	<b>6</b> Pray for repairs needed at the Three Seas Ranch because of high winds and bitter cold in January.
<b>7</b> The LORD is my light and my salvation; Whom shall I fear? The LORD is the defense of my life; Whom shall I dread? Ps. 27:1	<b>8</b> <b>KPA Foundation Day</b> Pray that North Korea will come to know that their only sure defense is in Jesus Christ.	<b>9</b> Pray for the 15 teenagers in NK put on public trial for viewing American movies.	<b>10</b> Pray for wisdom at the UN, in South Korea and in the US Congress in dealing with North Korea.	<b>11</b> Pray for all NGOs working in North Korea, that they be able to carry on their vitally important work for those who suffer.	<b>12</b> Pray that the students and teachers of The River of Life School have a restful and productive vacation.	<b>13</b> Pray for all the systems at Jesus Abbey and the Three Seas Ranch during this difficult winter.
<b>14</b> The LORD is their strength, And He is a saving defense to His anointed. Ps. 28:8	<b>15</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un acknowledge God as the supreme authority over him and over all people.	<b>16</b> <b>Kim Jong Il's Birthday</b> Pray for end of the idolization of the "Paektu bloodline."	<b>17</b> Pray for the Lausanne NK Congress being held this week.	<b>18</b> Pray for safety for all who travel to North Korea.	<b>19</b> Pray for preparations for the new school year at The River of Life School beginning March 2 <sup>nd</sup> .	<b>20</b> Pray for preparations for renewed construction in the spring at the Three Seas.
<b>21</b> For by You I can run through a troop; And by my God I can leap over a wall. Ps. 18:29	<b>22</b> Pray that apparent divisions within the North Korean leadership lead to greater freedom.	<b>23</b> Pray for courage for the people of North Korea to continue working for freedom and democracy.	<b>24</b> Pray that people around the world, in all churches pray diligently for North Korea.	<b>25</b> Pray for all those who work in North Korea providing medical and other humanitarian assistance.	<b>26</b> Pray for The River of Life School students, teachers and families retreat at Jesus Abbey this week.	<b>27</b> Pray for all at Jesus Abbey and the Three Seas community to have a unified heart concerning the work of preparation.
<b>28</b> As for God, His way is blameless; The word of the LORD is tried; He is a shield to all who take refuge in Him. Ps. 18:30	<b>29</b> Pray that North Korea end all work on nuclear weapons and belligerent rhetoric.			<b>Celebrating Kim Jong Il's Birthday</b>		

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 <p><b>Signing the Korean Declaration of Independence on March 1, 1919</b></p>		<p><b>1</b></p> <p><b>Sam-il Jeol (March 1<sup>st</sup>)</b> Commemoration of the March 1, 1919 independence movement.</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>Pray for freedom for all those in prison in North Korea for their faith, both North Koreans and those from the US, Canada and South Korea.</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>Pray that the Six Party Talks resume and that North Korea respond well to the other nations.</p>	<p><b>4</b></p> <p>Pray for The River of Life School beginning the new school year. May it be the best yet!</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>Pray for the removal of all hindrances to moving ahead with construction at the Three Seas.</p>
<p><b>6</b></p> <p><b>Restore us to Thee, O Lord, that we may be restored; Renew our days as of old.</b> Lamentations 5:21</p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>Pray that Kim Jong Un come to realize that his security does not depend on killing people but in Christ who died for him.</p>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p>Pray for the people of North Korea to not be cowed by fear but be able to speak with a united voice.</p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p>Pray that sanctions on North Korea related to nuclear tests not prevent needed aid reaching the people.</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>Pray for wisdom for the leaders of South Korea, China, Japan, Russia and the USA in relation to North Korea.</p>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p>Pray that this new school year be one when students, teachers and parents draw ever closer together.</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>Pray that preparations for the spring restart of building at the Three Seas go well.</p>
<p><b>13</b></p> <p><b>The fervent prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much.</b> James 5:16</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>Pray for Kim Jong Un to back off from his nuclear ambitions and seek true peace for his nation.</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p>Pray for the people of North Korea to be warm and to have the food and rest they need.</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>Pray for real progress in NK in curing multiple drug resistant TB and hepatitis B.</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>Pray for the various NGOs working in North Korea to bring food, medical care and encouragement to the people.</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p>Pray that all academic needs for this school year at The River of Life School be met.</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>Pray for spring repairs and other needs at Jesus Abbey as well as preparation for spring planting.</p>
<p><b>20</b></p> <p><b>You who remind the Lord, take no rest for yourselves and give Him no rest until He establishes and makes Jerusalem a praise in the earth.</b> Isaiah 62:6,7</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>Pray that Kim Jong Un come to value the people and genuinely seek their good.</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>Pray for the reopening of the Kaesong Industrial Complex that it benefit both North and South Korea.</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>Pray for the South Korean businesses with factories in the Kaesong Industrial Complex.</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>Pray for more opportunities for Christians to work in North Korea through business and to share Christ's love.</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>Pray that the Lord be with the growing number of River of Life School alumni in college, the army and working.</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p>Pray for the new 68<sup>th</sup> class of postulants at Jesus Abbey to be blessed deeply and also to bless others this spring.</p>
<p><b>27</b></p> <p><b>Feast of the Resurrection</b> <b>Be not afraid. You seek Jesus of Nazareth who was crucified. He has risen.</b> Mark 16:6</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>Pray for Kim Jong Un and the NK leadership to come to know the risen Lord Jesus Christ.</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>Pray that the Good News of Christ's death and resurrection penetrate deeply into North Korea as of old.</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>Pray for all those working to share the love of Jesus Christ and the Gospel in North Korea, that they be wise.</p>	<p><b>31</b></p> <p>Pray for all believers in the Risen Lord to be one in heart and mind, serving Him without division.</p>		

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<p>The "Great Sun" Rising</p> <p>KPA Foundation Day Parade</p>					1 Pray for The River of Life School to continue to grow into a strong community of learning.	2 Pray for construction at the Three Seas starting up again with the coming of Spring.
3 And you shall teach your children... when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way... Deut. 11:19a	4 Pray that Kim Jong Un set free foreigners sentenced to prison in North Korea.	5 Pray for the people of North Korea facing the "barley hump."	6 Pray for Otto Warmbier sentenced to 15 years at hard labor in North Korea for a college prank.	7 Pray for Joy Yoon running on Sunday in the Pyongyang 10K race to raise money for the spine rehab center.	8 Pray for wisdom about the River of Life School's role in the summer labor schools.	9 Pray for the Three Seas Community to discern their responsibilities in relation to summer labor school.
10 But unto you that fear my name shall the Sun of righteousness arise with healing in his wings. Mal. 4:2	11 Pray that Kim Jong Un end his strong response to the annual Foal Eagle maneuvers in South Korea.	12 Pray for the people of North Korea forced into heightened war preparations.	13 Pray that all nations exercise great wisdom in dealing with North Korea.	14 Pray that the US and South Korea cut back on the annual Foal Eagle military maneuvers.	15 <b>Great Sun Day</b> Birthday of DPRK founder Kim Il Sung May they know the true Sun of Righteousness.	16 Pray for spring planting at The Three Seas Ranch and at the Jesus Abbey Mother House.
17 In the light of a king's face is life, And his favor is like a cloud with the spring rain. Prov. 16:15	18 Pray for Kim Jong Un to give up his nuclear ambitions and bring peace to all Korea.	19 Pray for everyone caught up in the new "70 Day Battle" as North Korea responds to new sanctions.	20 Pray that the international sanctions in place against North Korea be effective so that they can end soon.	21 Pray for the US and South Korean governments as they deal with North Korea.	22 Pray for strong bonds to form among students, teachers and parents at The River of Life School.	23 Pray for safety for the workmen coming to build at the Three Seas throughout the project.
24 The LORD is my strength and song, and he is become my salvation: Ex. 15:2a	25 <b>Korean People's Army Foundation Day</b> May they know that their strength is to be found only in God.	26 Pray for the young people of North Korea forced into service in the Army.	27 Pray for a clear decrease in military tension on the Korean Peninsula.	28 Pray for renewed overtures of peace between North and South Korea.	29 Pray for the students at The River of Life School to grow well intellectually, physically and spiritually.	30 Pray for the funds needed in May and June to complete the first new building at the Three Seas.

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1 Remember the prisoners, as though in prison with them, and those who are ill-treated, since you yourselves also are in the body. Heb. 13:3	2 Pray that Kim Jong Un release South Koreans, Canadians, and Americans now held in NK.	3 Pray for those who are in prison in China and North Korea for their faith.	4 Pray that Canadian, US and South Korean governments do what they can to seek the release of their citizens from NK.	5 Pray that the Church in Canada, the US and South Korea join in calling on God for the release of those held in NK.	6 Pray that the River of Life School students continue to grow as intercessors for those in prison.	7 Pray that Jesus Abbey join in united intercession for those who are in prison in North Korea.
8 [Jesus] answered them, "My Father is working until now, and I Myself am working." John 5:17	9 Pray that God have His way with the leadership of North Korea and the 7 <sup>th</sup> Workers' Party Congress.	10 Pray for the workers of North Korea who have been laboring long hours and under great strain preparing for the Congress.	11 Pray that the 7 <sup>th</sup> Party Congress not generate greater tension between North and South Korea.	12 Pray for those throughout the world focusing on the 7 <sup>th</sup> Party Congress to be wise in their responses to it.	13 Pray for the students of the River of Life School to gain a deeper understanding of their nation, both North and South.	14 Pray that Jesus Abbey, as a house of Prayer, grow in greater unity in intercession for the nation.
15 You are my hiding place; You preserve me from trouble; You surround me with songs of deliverance. Ps. 32:7	16 Pray that Kim Jong Un and the leadership of North Korea change their attitude towards those who flee.	17 Pray that North Korean workers in China and other countries be allowed greater freedom and receive good wages.	18 Pray for the NK restaurant workers who came to SK recently, that they be free of fear and pressure as they settle in their new home.	19 Pray for those in South Korea who work with North Koreans who come, that they may have understanding, wisdom and compassion.	20 Pray that the River of Life School students grow in awareness and understanding of those who are different and lonely.	21 Pray that Jesus Abbey and The Three Seas be always open to those who come in need.
22 And He will judge between the nations, And will render decisions for many peoples; And they will hammer their swords into plowshares	23 Pray that Kim Jong Un turn away from his nuclear weapons ambition and seek true peace.	24 Pray that the people of North Korea not be caught up in military preparation but work outwardly towards peace.	25 Pray that China be able to exert good influence on North Korea to reduce military preparation.	26 Pray that the US South Korea have confidence that they can safely reduce military preparation and tension.	27 Pray for the faculty of the River of Life School to grow into deeper relationship and community with one another.	28 Pray for the successful completion of the new building at The Three Seas that it be a community home to the teachers.
29 and their spears into pruning hooks. Nation will not lift up sword against nation, And never again will they learn war. Isaiah 2:4 (above and here)	30 Pray that Kim Jong Un reach out to the leadership of China, Japan and South Korea in peace, not belligerence.	31 Pray that God's peace reign throughout all of North East Asia.	 <p>6th Workers' Party Congress, 1980</p> <p>Military elects Kim Jong Un as delegate to 7<sup>th</sup> Workers' Party Congress</p> 			

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Count Down to the end of the 70 Day Battle			1 Pray for Canadian Christians Kevin Garratt held in China and the Rev. Hyeon-soo Lim held in North Korea.	2 Pray for South Korean Christians held in North Korea: Jeong Wook Kim, Kook Ki Kim and Choon Gil Choi.	3 Pray for housing for The River of Life School teachers to be completed without trouble.	4 Pray for all funds needed to complete the current construction at the Three Seas that will house some of the teachers.
5 For the word of the LORD is upright, And all His work is done in faithfulness. Psalm 33:4	6 Pray for Kim Jong Un to realize that the best thing for him and NK is not to repeat the past but open up to the world.	7 Pray for strength for the people of North Korea as they face still another enormous labor effort, the "Rice-Planting Battle"	8 Pray for Americans held in North Korea: Pastor Dong-chul Kim and Univ. of Virginia student Otto Warmbier.	9 Pray for the family of Pastor Han Chung-Ryeol and for the Changbai Church that he pastored until his martyrdom in April.	10 Pray that the faculty of The River of Life school be faithful to their students.	11 Pray for all those at work on the Three Seas construction that they work together well.
12 He loves righteousness and justice; The earth is full of the lovingkindness of the LORD. Psalm 33:5	13 Pray for Kim Jong Un to end the harsh response to people fleeing from North Korea.	14 Pray for all those In NK who had been helped by Pastor Han Chung-Ryeol over the years that they not be persecuted.	15 Pray for the restaurant workers who have fled to South Korea, that they enjoy freedom and do well.	16 Pray that more South Korean churches reach out with the understanding and love of Christ to North Korean refugees.	17 Pray that the students of The River of Life School be faithful to God, to one another and to their teachers.	18 Pray that the wind turbine project for the ridge above Jesus Abbey be canceled.
19 By the word of the LORD the heavens were made, And by the breath of His mouth all their host. Ps. 33:6	20 Pray that Kim Jong Un stop forcing people to work exhausting hours and unsafely.	21 Pray that the Word of God spread across the land of North Korea bringing hope and joy.	22 Pray for those in China who reach out to and help North Korean refugees that they do so with love, wisdom and honesty.	23 Pray for the churches of South Korea to come together in true unity and with a united voice intercede before God for the nation--North and South.	24 Pray for strong unity within The River of Life School and that all be intercessors for the nation.	25 Pray for God's guidance to the members of Jesus Abbey and an ever deepening unity in intercession.
26 Let all the earth fear the LORD; Let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of Him. Psalm 33:8	27 Pray that Kim Jong Un and the leadership of North Korea acknowledge the Lord of the whole earth.	28 Pray for Christians in North Korea that they be bold in their testimony and be living witnesses for Christ.	29 Pray for pastors who care for North Koreans in North Korea, in China and in South Korea.	30 Pray for God's people throughout the world to join in prayer for North Korea.	Every one to the Rice-Planting Battle!	



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3 'When did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?'... when you did it to one of these brothers of Mine... you did it to Me.' Mt. 25:39-40	4 Pray that Kim Jong Un change his attitude completely and release those whom he has caused to be imprisoned.	5 Pray for the people of North Korea to have rest and strength in the face of ever increasing demands on them.	6 Pray for the release of Pastor Heon Soo Lim soon this year. (1 <sup>st</sup> picture above)	7 Pray for wisdom for the Canadian government as they seek the release of Pastor Hyeon Soo Lim from NK.	8 Pray for the River of Life School faculty as they finish up the first semester. May they have a great vacation.	9 Pray for the funds needed to finish up the 1 <sup>st</sup> Three Seas Center residence now under construction.
10 Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. 2Cor. 3:17	11 Pray that Kim Jong Un be brought under the conviction of the Holy Spirit and come to know the Lord.	12 Pray for an end to violent crime by soldiers in North Korea and corruption among cadres.	13 Pray for the release of Kevin and Julia Garratt soon this year. (2 <sup>nd</sup> picture above)	14 Pray for wisdom for the Canadian government as they seek the release of Steve and Julia Garratt from China.	15 <b>Start of Summer Break</b> Thank the Lord for a good first semester at The River of Life School.	16 Pray for Ben and Liz Torrey who return to Jesus Abbey this week (Thursday)
17 The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me, because the LORD has anointed me to... proclaim liberty to captives and freedom to prisoners. Is. 61:1	18 Pray that Kim Jong Un come to realize that the way to honor is not through coercion and oppression but through love.	19 Pray for the students of North Korea whose studies have been constantly interrupted by State priorities.	20 Pray for the release of Pastor Jeong Wook Kim soon this year. (3 <sup>rd</sup> Picture above)	21 Pray that there be international efforts to seek the release of the three South Korean pastors imprisoned in NK.	22 Pray that summer vacation be a time of spiritual renewal as well as physical rest.	23 Pray for Jesus Abbey as they receive all the summer guests. (Vacation season is the busiest for the Abbey household.)
24 To proclaim the year of release and the day of vengeance of our God; To comfort all who mourn... Isaiah 61:2	25 Pray for an end to the brutal punishment meted out to NK's who flee from labor sites in Russia.	26 Pray that North Korea stop counterfeiting US and Chinese money and selling drugs abroad.	27 <b>Fatherland Liberation War Victory Day</b> NK term for the signing of the armistice ending the fighting.	28 Pray for real peace in Korea and a true and final end to the Korean War.	29 Pray for the families of The River of Life School that parents and students have special times together.	30 Pray that this summer be a summer of peace and blessing to the whole Jesus Abbey/Three Seas Community.
31 To grant those who mourn in Zion, giving them a garland for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning... Isaiah 61:3	<p><i>The Fourth River Project: Preparing for the opening of North Korea</i>  <i>Jesus Abbey's Three Seas Ranch and Center: A place of preparation for the opening of North Korea through labor and instruction</i>  <i>The Three Seas Community: Men and women committed together to this work</i>  <i>The River of Life School: Preparing the Unification Generation.</i></p>					

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	<b>1</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un end his efforts to build nuclear weapons.	<b>2</b> Pray for true peace on the Korean Peninsula and in North East Asia.	<b>3</b> Pray for relations among China, North Korea and South Korea.	<b>4</b> Pray for wisdom for the United States and South Korea in relation to the security of the region.	<b>5</b> Pray for a science teacher for The River of Life School.	<b>6</b> Remembering Fr. Archer Torrey, Founder of Jesus Abbey. 1918-2002
<b>7</b> Some trust in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the name of the LORD our God. Ps.20:7	<b>8</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un understand how to allow the economy of North Korea to grow.	<b>9</b> Pray for the people of North Korea who have been suffering from the 200 Day Battle and other policies.	<b>10</b> Pray that China would be used by God to bring peace and stability to the region.	<b>11</b> Pray that the United States and Russia pursue wise policies in relation to all Korea.	<b>12</b> Pray for the 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester of The River of Life School starting next Wednesday.	<b>13</b> Pray for the funds needed to complete current construction at the Three Seas.
<b>14</b> If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed. John 8:36	<b>15</b> <b>Fatherland Liberation Day</b> Korea's liberation from Japanese occupation.	<b>16</b> Pray for the people of North Korea to experience true freedom from all oppression.	<b>17</b> Pray for wisdom for the international community in the application of sanctions to North Korea.	<b>18</b> Pray for those who are bringing medical, food and other humanitarian assistance to North Korea.	<b>19</b> Pray that this semester be a wonderful time of learning and building community at The River of Life School.	<b>20</b> Pray for Ben and Liz Torrey returning to Jesus Abbey following delay because of illness.
<b>21</b> And he answered, Fear not: for they that be with us are more than they that be with them. 2 Kings 6:16	<b>22</b> Pray for the leadership of North Korea to seek strength and peace through non-military means.	<b>23</b> Pray that the people of North Korea have greater communication outside the country and that without fear.	<b>24</b> Pray for complete freedom of movement throughout all North East Asia.	<b>25</b> <b>Songun Day</b> Celebrating the Military First policy	<b>26</b> Pray for the students, faculty and families of The River of Life School.	<b>27</b> Pray for strength and unity for the community at the Three Seas Ranch.
<b>28</b> ...the LORD opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire... 2Kings 6:17	<b>29</b> Pray that the eyes of Kim Jong Un and the leadership of NK be opened to see that God, not the army, is their protection.	<b>30</b> Pray for a good growing season throughout all of North Korea.	<b>31</b> Pray for North Korean re-settlers in South Korea, that they be able to adjust well and have good lives.	<b>Korean People's Army senior leaders celebrating Songun Day</b> 		

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<p><b>Celebrating National Foundation Day (9/9) in Pyongyang</b></p> 				<p><b>1</b></p> <p>Pray for South Korea and the U.S.A. to exercise great wisdom during the joint military exercises.</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>Pray for The River of Life School to be a place that raises up true servants and lovers of both God and the nation.</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>Pray that the new housing at the Three Seas Ranch be completed soon.</p>
<p><b>4</b></p> <p>The heavens are Yours, the earth also... You have founded them. The north and the south, You have created them. Ps. 89:11-12a</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>Pray that Kim Jong Un stop using belligerent and provocative language.</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p>Pray for North Korean workers in China and elsewhere to be safe from the demand to raise foreign currency.</p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>Pray for North Koreans who seek freedom to be able safely to travel to the country or their choice.</p>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p>Pray for wisdom for President Park Geun-hye as she pursues policy in relation to North Korea.</p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p><b>National Foundation Day</b> Pray for a new unified Korea founded on Christ, the solid Rock.</p>	<p><b>10</b></p> <p>Pray for wisdom for the Three Seas Ranch in the face of a number of market related issues that have arisen.</p>
<p><b>11</b></p> <p>Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes and look on the fields, that they are white for harvest. John 4:35</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>Pray that the North Korean regime remove all the land mines recently laid in the DMZ.</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>Pray for greater equality among those who live in Pyongyang and those who live in the provinces.</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>Pray for North Koreans in South Korea who long to with their families especially at Chuseok.</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p><b>Chuseok Fall Harvest Festival</b> Pray for plentiful harvests throughout the land.</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>Pray for The River of Life School students at home with their families for the Chuseok holidays.</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>Pray that the community of Jesus Abbey and the Three Seas have a wonderful Chuseok holiday.</p>
<p><b>18</b></p> <p>“The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore beseech the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest.” Lk 10:2</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>Pray for North Korea to end its nuclear weapons and SLBM programs.</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>Pray for a total end to the narcotics trade from North Korea to China and elsewhere.</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>Pray for North Koreans who have settled in South Korea to be accepted and to integrate well into the society.</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>Pray for good partnerships and cooperation among organizations working for the people of North Korea.</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>Pray for a science teacher for The River of Life School.</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>Pray for needed provision for the Jesus Abbey community.</p>
<p><b>25</b></p> <p>O Judah, there is a harvest appointed for you, when I restore the fortunes of My people. Hosea 6:11</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p>Pray for the leadership in North Korea to allow citizens to travel and trade freely.</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>Pray that North Korean youth not be seen as a population to be exploited by the government and the elite.</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>Pray for official efforts to enable North Korean resettlers to connect better with South Koreans.</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>Pray for organizations actively providing humanitarian assistance in NK to be able to work freely and easily.</p>	<p><b>Postage stamp commemorating 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of founding of the nation.</b></p> 	

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<p>Praise God! Kevin Garratt is back home! Shown here reunited with his wife, Julia.</p> 					<p><b>Female North Korean MiG21 pilots at the Wonsan air show.</b></p>	<p><b>1</b> We praise God for the release of Kevin Garratt from prison in China and his return to his family!</p>
<p><b>2</b> I was naked, and you clothed Me; I was sick, and you visited Me; I was in prison, and you came to Me. Mt.25:36</p>	<p><b>3</b> Pray that the NK authorities will focus on the needs of the people as they rebuild from the flood.</p>	<p><b>4</b> Pray for North Korean workers abroad that they may get real news about NK and other countries.</p>	<p><b>5</b> Pray for wisdom for the UN as they deal with North Korea's nuclear and missile program.</p>	<p><b>6</b> Pray for all the NGOs working to help North Koreans in their need.</p>	<p><b>7</b> Pray for the River of Life School seniors who are applying to colleges at this time.</p>	<p><b>8</b> Thank the Lord that we are still able to work on the new building at the Three Seas.</p>
<p><b>9</b> For I was hungry, and you gave Me something to eat; I was thirsty, and you gave Me something to drink; Mt. 25:35a</p>	<p><b>10</b> Pray that the NK government spend money on food and housing rather than missiles and displays of power.</p>	<p><b>11</b> Pray for all those struggling to rebuild from the floods as they struggle with government imposed priorities.</p>	<p><b>12</b> Pray for the International Red Cross and the World Food Program as they seek to help the people of NK.</p>	<p><b>13</b> Pray that international efforts to help with floods and loss of food be effective.</p>	<p><b>14</b> Pray for River of Life School parents, students and teachers to pray together frequently.</p>	<p><b>15</b> Pray that God provide the funds needed to complete the new building at the Three Seas this year.</p>
<p><b>16</b> I was a stranger, and you invited Me in; Matt. 25:35b</p>	<p><b>17</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un care for his people rather than his image and his power.</p>	<p><b>18</b> Pray that the smuggling of weapons and related materials into North Korea be stopped.</p>	<p><b>19</b> Pray for the international community as they deal with North Korea's weapons program</p>	<p><b>20</b> Pray that God bring true peace to the Korean peninsula and North East Asia.</p>	<p><b>21</b> Pray for River of Life School preparations for next year and the recruiting of a new 1<sup>st</sup> year middle school class.</p>	<p><b>22</b> Pray for the funds needed to build another residential building and the prayer house at the Three Seas next year.</p>
<p><b>23</b> When did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You? Matt. 25:39</p>	<p><b>24</b> Pray that North Korean authorities stop oppressing refugees who have been repatriated.</p>	<p><b>25</b> Pray for a complete end to the illegal drug industry in North Korea.</p>	<p><b>26</b> Pray for North Korean refugees in China, that they be able to live safely and not be sent back.</p>	<p><b>27</b> Pray for those bringing medical help to people in North Korea and to NK refugees.</p>	<p><b>28</b> Pray for a science teacher for the River of Life School for next year.</p>	<p><b>29</b> Pray for the community at Jesus Abbey preparing for winter.</p>
<p><b>30</b> The King will answer and say to them, "Truly I say to you, to the extent that you did it to one of these brothers of Mine... you did it to Me." Mt.25:40</p>	<p><b>31</b> Pray that the government of North Korea demonstrate true care for the needs of the people rather than glorifying the Kim family.</p>	<p><b>The Fourth River Project: Preparing for the opening of North Korea</b>  <b>Jesus Abbey's Three Seas Ranch and Center: A place of preparation for the opening of North Korea through labor and instruction</b>  <b>The Three Seas Community: Men and women committed together to this work</b>  <b>The River of Life School: Preparing the Unification Generation.</b></p>				

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		<b>1</b> Pray for the people in North Hamgyong Province suffering from the floods, that they may have good houses to live in.	<b>2</b> Pray for efforts being made by the Red Cross and others to provide aid to the flood victims along the Tumen River.	<b>3</b> Pray for excellent cooperation among the various organizations providing humanitarian assistance to North Korea.	<b>4</b> Pray for a good first year middle school class for next school year as seven seniors graduate from The River of Life School.	<b>5</b> Give thanks to God for the new influx of funds that have enabled us to restart construction at the Three Seas Center.
<b>6</b> Thou art my hiding place; thou shalt preserve me from trouble; Psalm 32:7a	<b>7</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un show he truly cares for the flood victims along the Tumen River and provide good housing for them.	<b>8</b> Pray that the army deployed to build housing along the Tumen River not steal from or threaten the people.	<b>9</b> Pray that Chinese authorities will look with mercy on those fleeing from North Korea because of hardship.	<b>10</b> Pray for the health of Canadian Pastor Hyeon Soo Lim and efforts to get him released from North Korea.	<b>11</b> Pray for safety at The River of Life School and for all vehicles as winter with its ice and snow approaches.	<b>12</b> Pray that all that is needed be provided so that we be able to complete the new building before the end of the year.
<b>13</b> ...thou shalt compass me about with songs of deliverance. Psalm 32:7b	<b>14</b> Pray for North Korea to end its missile tests and lay aside its nuclear ambitions.	<b>15</b> Pray that funds directed toward the nuclear weapons programs and projects in Pyongyang be spent for those in real need.	<b>16</b> Pray for North Koreans in China that they be protected from harm and find freedom.	<b>17</b> Pray for protection for the three South Korean pastors, the American pastor and college student, Otto Warmbier, all in prison in NK.	<b>18</b> Pray for curriculum development for next year and God's wisdom as The River of Life School explores new possibilities.	<b>19</b> Pray for winter preparations at the Three Seas Ranch and that all cattle, especially new calves, do well through the winter.
<b>20</b> ...surely in the floods of great waters they shall not come nigh unto him. Psalm 32:6b	<b>21</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un bring an end to the Kim family cult and his own personality cult.	<b>22</b> Pray that North Koreans trading in China be relieved from the burden of "loyalty gifts" for construction projects.	<b>23</b> Pray for the children of North Korean women married to Chinese men who receive no refugee benefits in South Korea.	<b>24</b> Pray for the unity within Christ's Church that is the necessary precursor to unity between the North and the South	<b>25</b> Pray for the Intercessory Prayer Pilgrimage that Ben and Liz are leading to Israel which will include some from The River of Life School.	<b>26</b> Pray for two new families to join the Three Seas Community with a long-term commitment to the ranch and center.
<b>27</b> He who trusts in the LORD, loving-kindness shall surround him. Psalm 32:10b	<b>28</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un come to acknowledge Jesus Christ as the supreme ruler of the universe and his own savior.	<b>29</b> Pray that North Koreans may increasingly be able to access South Korean and other foreign media.	<b>30</b> Pray for North Koreans in South Korea to be able to adjust well to South Korean society and find good jobs.	<b>Right and top: Temporary shelters for North Korean flood victims.</b>		

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	<b>Kim Jong Suk, first wife of Kim Il Sung and mother of Kim Jong Il with son and as “anti-Japanese Heroine”</b>			<b>1</b> Continue to pray for Christians and other foreigners imprisoned in North Korea.	<b>2</b> Pray for several faculty and students joining Ben, Liz and others leaving on their prayer pilgrimage to Israel next Tuesday.	<b>3</b> Give thanks for continued progress on the Three Seas Center and River of Life School students helping construction.
<b>4</b> Then in that day The nations will resort to the root of Jesse, Who will stand as a signal for the peoples. Is. 11:1	<b>5</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un and the NK leadership will respond to increasing sanctions and end their nuclear efforts.	<b>6</b> Pray for those who suffered the loss of everything in the floods last Sept., that their new homes be decent homes.	<b>7</b> Pray that new efforts to care for North Korean migrants in South Korea will be a benefit to them.	<b>8</b> Pray for efforts by US, Canadian and South Korean governments to gain the release of those imprisoned in NK.	<b>9</b> Pray for The River of Life School students to enjoy and profit from their last full week of school next week.	<b>10</b> Pray that all funds needed come through to continue construction at the Three Seas to completion.
<b>11</b> With righteousness He will judge the poor, and decide with fairness for the afflicted of the earth. Is. 11:4a	<b>12</b> Pray that increased propaganda both domestically in NK and abroad through social media be ineffective.	<b>13</b> Pray that the people of NK see the political turmoil in SK and political change as a demonstration of real democracy.	<b>14</b> Pray for the North Korean migrants in South Korea who suffer from PTSD and other severe health issues.	<b>15</b> Pray for the governments of the US and SK to go through this time of political transition well.	<b>16</b> Give thanks for the good completion of the school year and our 7 River of Life School students graduating on Tues.	<b>17</b> Pray for the Three Seas Ranch to be well prepared for winter.
<b>18</b> May the King judge Your people with righteousness and Your afflicted with justice. Psalm 72:2	<b>19</b> Pray that Kim Jong Un respond positively to the forces of change in NK and end his tyranny and terror.	<b>20</b> Pray for increasing openness among the people of NK and that more and more people voice their thoughts.	<b>21</b> Pray for churches, schools and other organizations reaching out to NK migrants that they do so with wisdom.	<b>22</b> Pray for international efforts to influence North Korea to change and open up.	<b>23</b> Pray that everyone in The River of Life School will have a blessed Christmas and a good winter vacation.	<b>24</b> <b>Kim Jong Suk’s Birthday</b> Pray that North Koreans turn away from the cult of the ruling family.
<b>25</b> Feast of the Nativity The people who walk in darkness will see a great light; Those who live in a dark land, The light will shine on them. Isaiah 9:2	<b>26</b> <b>Memorial of the Holy Innocents</b> Pray for all infants and unborn children who have been murdered.	<b>27</b> <b>DPRK Constitution Day</b> Pray for the soon coming of the day of a new Korea founded on God.	<b>28</b> Pray for NK refugees in China suffering various types of great hardship and fear.	<b>29</b> Pray for humanitarian organizations providing aid to North Korea to be free to do what they do best and to help people through the winter.	<b>30</b> Pray for wisdom of the leadership of The River of Life School in planning for the new school year that starts in March.	<b>31</b> Give thanks for all of God’s provision and His work throughout the past year of 2016.

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