



PRAYER FOCUS

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*"No other ministry has had a
greater impact on the Orient."*

~ Billy Graham ~

MAKING FOLLOWERS OF CHRIST THROUGH MEDIA

Cambodia

NOVEMBER 2015

Sun 1 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: FEBC has been ministering in Cambodia since 1957. In 2004, Family FM began broadcasting via a 10-kilowatt transmitter, allowing the station to reach a potential audience of 7 million people, and in September 2014, a new 10 kilowatt Nautel transmitter was installed, allowing Family FM to reach almost 2/3 of Cambodia's population. FEBC Cambodia works to improve the quality of life for the Cambodian people through radio programming, community outreach, radio distribution, family and marriage seminars, child development, water purification, and other compassionate projects. Pray this week for FEBC in Cambodia.

Mon 2 – Family FM, FEBC Cambodia's station in the capital city of Phnom Penh, recently celebrated its 13th anniversary. Praise God for the strong Gospel voice broadcasted over the years and ask His blessing for the future.

Tue 3 – Please pray for Sopheary Hem, our director of FEBC Cambodia, and her dedicated staff. Pray for wisdom, joy and unity so that more people will be reached in this culturally Buddhist nation.

Wed 4 – Praise God for a Muslim fisherman from Cambodia who listens to FEBC when he is on his fishing boat.

"Your programs taught our family to love each other and to be helpful. Krusa FM gives us good advice and teaches us how to live good lives."

Thu 5 – A new program, *Water for Life*, broadcast weekly on Family FM, is offering education to Cambodian families about water and sanitation. Pray that this practical program will make a difference to lives and hearts.

Fri 6 – The ministry of FEBC in Cambodia needs to provide the necessary documents to be fully registered as a non-government organisation. These are fundamental requirements for the ongoing work of the ministry in Cambodia. Please pray that these requirements will be fulfilled without delay.

Sat 7 – Pray for Brigit and Mike, FEBC missionaries who relocated to Cambodia to assist our team with engineering issues, especially as it relates to our new 10 KW transmitter. Pray that, with their help, many more Cambodians will hear our broadcasts.



Central Asia



Sun 8 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: FEBC is broadcasting in Central Asia, particularly the countries of Kyrgyzstan and Kazakhstan. We currently have a new FM station in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan and are planning to extend to Issyk-Kul. About 90% of the locals are culturally Muslim, so the Gospel is not well known. Radio is an efficient way to share the Good News of Christ with the people there. Please pray this week for government approval and more funding from donors.

Mon 9 – Pray for the FEBC Director in Almaty, Kazakhstan, Nurlan Kanatbayev, and the team as they wait for

an FM frequency to be assigned, so that we can launch our broadcasts on an FM station. Until then, we are reaching the people of this nation through our Internet broadcasts.

Tue 10 – Give thanks for an FM license to operate a “relay station” in the Issyk-Kul region of Kyrgyzstan. Pray that this new station will extend broadcasts to an additional 480 000 people.

Wed 11 – Kyrgyzstan has joined the Customs Zone, alongside Russia and Kazakhstan. Pray that, despite the challenges, this will make it easier for FEBC to work in these countries.

Thu 12 – Please pray for Nargiza, who hosts the programme *Good to Know* in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan. “*I use my interviews with influential Christians as a non-threatening way to introduce Christian concepts to our listeners,*” she explained.

Fri 13 – Please pray for Janysh, the manager of our radio station in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan, as well as the staff,

who are eager to see their countrymen come to faith.

Sat 14 – Please pray for wisdom and strength for Rudi Wiens, FEBC’s Central Asia coordinator. Pray that many listeners in Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan will be open to hearing the message of Christ and choose to follow Him.

China

Sun 15 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: FEBC Hong Kong, the major production centre for our China broadcasts, produces over 200 hours of programs monthly in Mandarin, Cantonese and other minority languages. Besides these programs, FEBC has identified

and filled another gap for the Kingdom: China only has a few seminaries for Christians to attend, which led to the launch of FEBC’s LiangYou Seminary. The two-year Bible school curriculum is conducted over the radio entirely, and has taught many



thousands of students over the last 37 years. Since January 2015, we've raised enough to sponsor 15 new students to earn a 2-year theological degree from FEBC's LiangYou Seminary. Pray that this evangelical work in China will blossom further!

Mon 16 – Please pray for FEBC China, as it develops new strategies for reaching people, as well as strong partnerships with local Christian networks. Government scrutiny forces our teams to constantly make changes. Pray for God's wisdom to reveal new ways of reaching people.

Tue 17 – The latest mobile app for use in China is set to be launched. It is linked to a blog and a new program, *Throne of Mercy*. Pray that many more people will be reached.

Wed 18 – FEBC has, since 2010, conducted several radio production training seminars for believers from

China. Pray that these students will use their new-found skills to tell others about Jesus through radio.

Thu 19 – Pray that the Lord will provide pastors who can nurture Kham believers. Also pray for the daily 30-minute broadcast for the Khams and that God will provide co-workers to be involved in the program production.

Fri 20 – Please pray for the believers who are willing to serve in the ministry. They are often lonely and weak. Ask the Lord to let them have enthusiasm and devotion to Gospel broadcasting.

Sat 21 – Pray for our Chinese programs that offer on-air counselling. FEBC Hong Kong takes phone calls from the entire China. Millions listen as advice and prayers are shared. Pray that many seeds will be sown for Christ.

Hong Kong

Sun 22 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: Christian Churches have been sprouting in Hong Kong since the British took control in 1841. About 43 percent of the island's 7.2 million people claim a religion – about 320 000 of them are Protestant Christians. For many years our Hong Kong office has been broadcasting to 7 ethnic groups exceeding several million people, through programs in their own language. Mi-

nority language broadcasts are not only effective at sharing the Gospel, they also help ethnic groups retain their own culture. Pray for FEBC Hong Kong's important work this week.

Mon 23 – Pray for FEBC's radio team in Hong Kong who produces 200+ hours of programs a month in Mandarin, Cantonese, and seven other ethnic languages.

Tue 24 – God recently led a Zhuang believer to participate in broadcasting training in Hong Kong, which has helped her understand how radio works. Please pray she will have the ability and wisdom to serve well in this ministry.

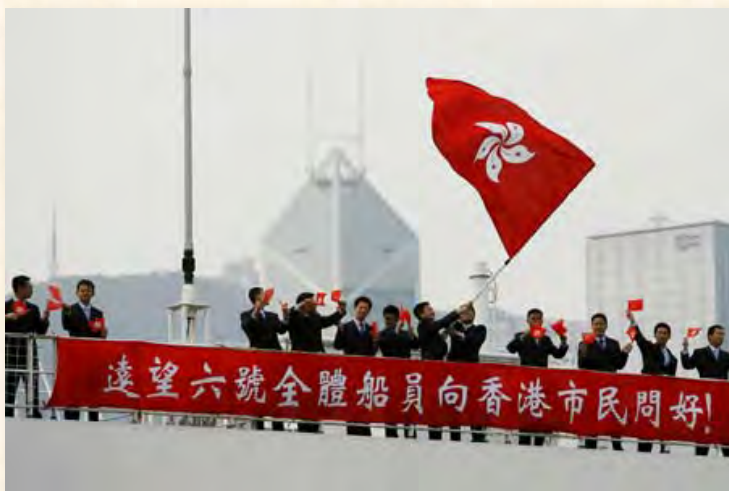
Wed 25 – FEBC Hong Kong also hosts live programming from Hong Kong by Internet connection to the Philippines. Pray that these programs will be effective and reach a large online audience.

Thu 26 – With the opening of Mainland China, FEBC Hong Kong has carefully initiated additional in-coun-

try ministry, such as visiting listeners, distributing radios, CDs, and other materials. Pray that this additional ministry will bear heavenly fruit.

Fri 27 – FEBC Hong Kong also oversees LiangYou Theological Seminary, a 2-year Bible school offered via radio to train pastors and lay ministers. Pray for inspired leadership for this seminary, which currently has over 4 000 active students.

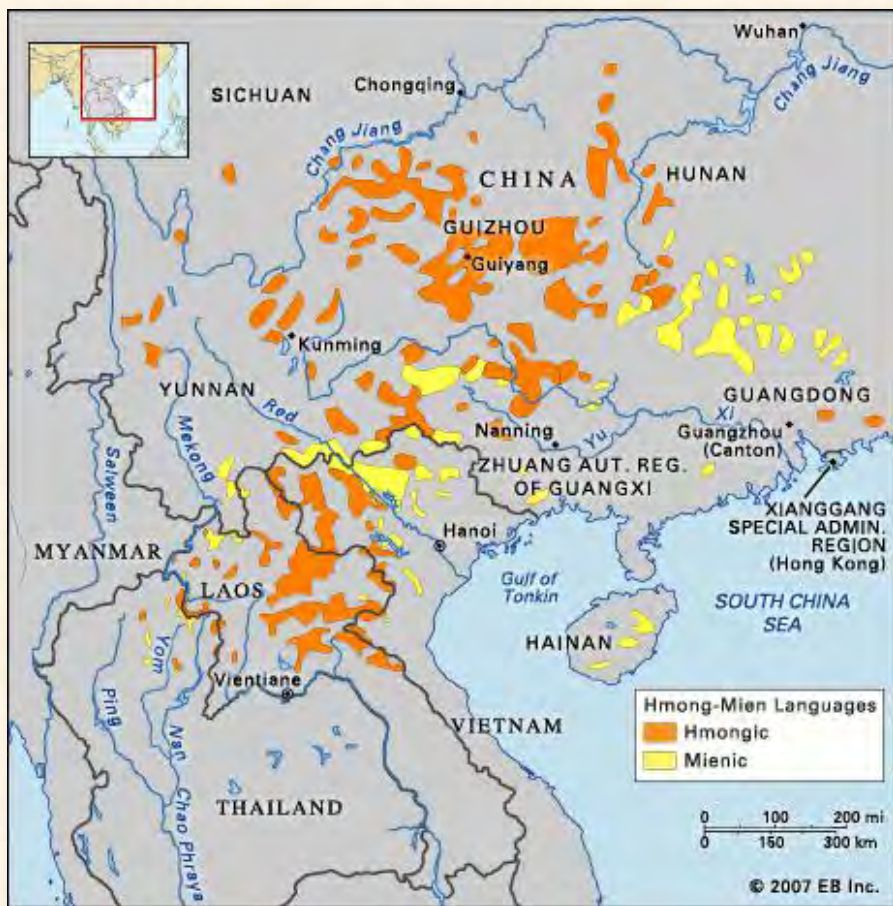
Sat 28 – FEBC Hong Kong receives about 63 000 listener responses from China annually. Praise God for the positive feedback and testimonies of people giving their lives to Christ.



The Hmongs

Sun 29 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: John Lee and his wife Pai escaped Laos when the Communists overtook the country in 1975, walking through the

jungle for 17 days till they reached northern Thailand. They eventually came to California, serving at FEBC, broadcasting the Good News of Christ



to the Hmong of Southeast Asia. It is now known that hundreds of thousands of Hmong committed their lives to Christ as a result of John and Pai's programs. God has moved powerfully through the Hmong of Southeast Asia, with hundreds of thousands coming to faith through FEBC broadcasts! Let's pray for these broadcasts.

Mon 30 – Pray for the ministry's ethnic broadcasters, many of whom face persecution for their work.

Pray, too, for more committed ethnic broadcasters to step forward, so we can reach even more people.

DECEMBER

Tue 1 – For several decades, FEBC has been airing Gospel broadcasts via shortwave to the Hmong people of Southeast Asia. During this time, hundreds of thousands have come to Christ. Thank the Lord for these Hmong believers.

Wed 2 – Please pray for Hmong listeners who just completed Bible training and are preparing to return to their towns and villages to share the Good News and distribute radios. Pray that their words will reach the ears of many and open their hearts to Jesus.

Thu 3 – FEBC’s broadcasts are continually changing Hmong lives. Pray for funding and good broadcasters so that we can continue our programs and that many souls will be saved for God’s Kingdom.

Fri 4 – The Hmong can’t worship God openly. Please pray that the government will open the door for them to worship Him and tell others about Jesus. Right now, the radio is their only source of connecting to God and to know more about the Bible.

Sat 5 – Pray for this Hmong listener in Laos, *“I listen to your programs and accepted Jesus into my heart. Please continue to broadcast to us. I know many listen to your messages daily. We pray for FEBC to continue to send the Good News.”*

Indonesia

Sun 6 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: Radio is critical to our ability to share the Gospel with the people of Indonesia, a country consisting of more than 17 500 islands. Christian broadcasts

can only be aired between 7:00p.m. and 1:30a.m. At other times, we offer call-in counselling programs, music, health and hygiene advice, employment information, marriage/family



advice, etc. Pray this week for FEBC's ministry in Indonesia.

Mon 7 – Pray for the health and safety of our staff in Indonesia. Many travel great distances in the course of their work. Pray that our initial contacts with listeners can be developed into solid relationships.

Tue 8 – At the invitation of the local government, FEBC is at work on Indonesia's Muslim-dominant island of Sumatra. Please pray for the safety and effectiveness of our staff who are committed to reaching the people of Sumatra.

Wed 9 – Our station in the city of Makassar was in danger of going off the air due to lack of funding, but praise God that the necessary funds were provided and the station can stay on air.

Thu 10 – Please pray for the financial resources and distribution pathways to provide more radios throughout Indonesia. There is an immediate need to provide 1 000 radios to people who are unable to afford them.

Fri 11 – Our team in Indonesia airs a Persian-language broadcast (Farsi) to reach the more than 20 000 Iranian refugees living in refugee/detention camps in the Jakarta area. Please pray that many will tune in and respond positively to the Gospel message.

Sat 12 – FEBC Indonesia has embarked on a plan to distribute Audio Gospel Ministry (AGM) speaker boxes to people in districts across the country over the next year. Pray that this project will reap more souls for Christ.

Japan

Sun 13 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: For many people, FEBC is the only "Church" available in Japan! We are the only company who broadcasts only Christian content to the whole of Japan, broadcasting the Gospel to 127 million people in a land where less than 2% of people believe in Jesus Christ. FEBC Japan's programs are aired 75 minutes a day from a high power 300 kW medium wave transmitter on the island of Jeju in South Korea, which is strong enough

to reach all of Japan. This week, we pray for FEBC's broadcasts to Japan.

Mon 14 – Please pray for our team in Japan who works long hours to produce daily broadcasts, respond to listeners and visit Churches. Pray especially for Keiko, who in spite of having retired, still produces her daily program.

Tue 15 – *"Thank you so much for this wonderful program, which I only came across by chance. I had no inter-*

est in Christianity whatsoever, but the content of your program touched my heart. It tells me about the great love, something we cannot live without. Your broadcast is more than a so-called religious program.” Pray that this woman who still isn’t a Christian, will keep on listening and come to know Christ as her Saviour.



Wed 16 – Pray for this nation where less than 2% of the population is Christian. Although this is a challenging environment in which to bring people to Christ, nothing is impossible to God.

Thu 17 – Thank God for FEBC Japan programs transmitted via high power medium wave from Jeju Island in South Korea. Pray for many Japanese to hear FEBC programs on MP3 or CD as well as internet radio.

Fri 18 – Pray for FEBC’s new director in Japan, Mr. Seiji Suzuki, and his team, Takanori and Keiko. Pray the Lord will give them wisdom and stamina for their long days of ministry, producing programs, visiting Churches and maintaining follow-up with listeners.

Sat 19 – A lady who has been listening to FEBC’s broadcasts for a while sent us a letter saying, *“I pray so that I may become Christian and that God’s peace may come to me. I am so fortunate, for I can listen to FEBC every day. Your programs give me courage and strength. Please keep on broadcasting your wonderful program to us all in Japan!”* Pray with us for this listener.

Malaysia

Sun 20 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: For the Christian minority, Malaysia is at a crossroads and 2015 is a decisive year. *Open Doors* reports that observers talk about a quick Islamisation, supported at national level by Najib Razak. Families uphold loyalty to Islam and it is almost impossible for a Malay Muslim to convert to Chris-

tianity. Potential converts experience isolation and pressure to recant their Christian faith, often ending up in a re-education centre. Converts from a Muslim background risk being divorced as well as losing custody of their children and their inheritance rights. Let’s pray for Malaysian Christians this week.

Mon 21 – Islam is more than a religion. It is a way of life shared with others in community. Evangelism requires a serious investment of time. Pray that FEBC will develop genuine relationships, demonstrating a committed Christian lifestyle and then share the Gospel.

Tue 22 – Muslims live under a works-based mind-set in which Allah loves conditionally, judges harshly and cannot be known personally. Pray that FEBC's broadcasts will emphasise God's love, His grace and the assurance of a personal relationship with Him through Jesus Christ.

Wed 23 – Pray that Muslims are open and receptive to the truth and that they will recognise and experience God's forgiveness through FEBC's ministry.

Thu 24 – Ask God to strengthen new believers who pay the price for

their decision to follow Jesus. Pray that believers living in Malaysia will be strong in the faith!

Fri 25 – It's not easy to become a believer if you live in a Muslim country. Many are beaten and cut off from their families. It's a big sacrifice - that is why we need to pray for these people.

Sat 26 – Pray that God will give us a heart of love and compassion for Muslims. Pray that His light will also shine in Malaysia through Christians there!



Myanmar

Sun 27 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: Myanmar is home to 55 million people, 89% of whom are Buddhists. At the moment, FEBC broadcasts are heard in a variety of ethnic languages. The programs air at individual lengths and days every week, and range from 15 minutes to 1 hour in length. Most programs produced locally in Myanmar are done by individual ethnic broadcasters. The content and design

of all the programs are based on individual cultures and their evangelical Christian nature. Pray for FEBC's ministry in Myanmar.

Mon 28 – Please pray for programmers who not only share their faith over the airwaves, but who also travel beyond borders to meet with listeners and new believers. Pray for safety as they travel.

Tue 29 – FEBC Myanmar mainly focuses on non-believers, but also helps Christian listeners connect to other ministries as follow-up and support to their spiritual needs. Pray that the team will strengthen both groups' faith.

Wed 30 – Please pray for strength and a return to good health for Yankee Tun, FEBC's National Director in Myanmar. Give thanks for the support of his family.

Thu 31 – *"We received a radio from FEBC on Father's Day. We are very poor but we praise God for our daily living. Pray that we will live a godly family life."* Please pray for this woman who wrote to our team in Myanmar.



JANUARY 2016

Fri 1 – Please pray for wisdom and vision for FEBC Myanmar and key overseas partners as they constantly work to develop and improve their ministry.

Sat 2 – Pray that the daily broadcasts in this culturally-Buddhist nation will reach the hearts of many, leading listeners to recognise Jesus Christ as their Saviour.

North Korea

Sun 3 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: In 1907, Pyongyang, the capital of North Korea, experienced a Christian revival. Like the South, the North has a long history of Christian involvement in the country. By the 1940's, despite persecution from Japan, North Korea had around 3 000 Churches. Yet, the regime of Kim Il Sung marked the start of an end to religious freedom and a slow death to the Church. Kim Il Sung made his followers vow to follow him, and only him. The penalty of being a Christian under the new leader generally included torture, deportation to a concentration camp, or death. By the

1960's, Pyongyang, the city that was once called "The Jerusalem of Asia," was a shadow of its former self. Pray that the Church of North Korea will rise once again.

Mon 4 – North Korea is the most dangerous place in the world to be a Christian. The state has an iron grip on its citizens. Pray that people will not be suspicious of Christianity, but will be open to hear the Gospel.

Tue 5 – Thousands of Christians are incarcerated in prison camps in North Korea, and while there are many secret believers, they face

arrest, disappearance, torture, or public execution if discovered. Ask for comfort and strength for the thousands of Christians imprisoned, and the isolated believers who worship in secret.

Wed 6 – South Korea now has 11 radio stations and reaches most of Korea, ministering also to Koreans in most of the surrounding countries. The FEBC transmitter located on Jeju Island is one of the Korean continent's most powerful, and broadcasts into North Korea. Pray for the Jeju Island station.

Thu 7 – Despite severe persecution, the Church in North Korea is not only surviving, but growing. Praise God that the Church is very much alive and has a vision to bring the Gospel to the nations.

Fri 8 – It is extremely dangerous for missionaries to enter North Korea,

therefore broadcasting the Good News through airways which cannot be stopped, is a safe and effective way to spread the Gospel. Pray that God will provide funds and opportunities for more antennas and radio stations to broadcast to North Korea.

Sat 9 – North Korean Christians quietly and carefully listening to FEBC broadcasts in their homes, and must always be careful of who might be watching them. The government continues to exert intense pressure on underground Churches. Pray for every North Korean Christian's safety.



South Korea

Sun 10 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: Billy Graham's 1973 crusade in Seoul, South Korea, propelled the fast-industrialising nation into an era of explosive evangelical growth. Since then, the peninsular democracy, once a Buddhist stronghold, has become the world's second-largest missionary-sending nation and a hub for evangelism. Although the nation is bordered by the most heavily fortified

frontier in the world, exposed to the nuclear threats of its northern neighbour and the pressure of a profoundly atheistic working class, it remains a stabilising force in the region and a powerful launching pad for the Gospel in Asia.

Mon 11 – In December 1956, HLKX Seoul (an FEBC station) was established to broadcast the Gospel

to North Korea, China, Russia, and Mongolia: countries where missionaries were not allowed. Since then, FEBC Korea has grown into a major Christian radio network broadcasting to 11 cities in South Korea. Praise God for FEBC Korea and the work they are doing.

Tue 12 – North and South Korea have been seceded for 65 years. On the border between North and South Korea, people leave messages for loved ones on the other side. Pray for these South Koreans whose family members are still trapped in North Korea.

Wed 13 – Second only to the USA, South Korea sends the highest number of missionaries into the world. Pray that God will use FEBC's broadcasts to equip these people to work in God's harvest.

Thu 14 – FEBC Korea broadcasts a total of 260 hours in Korean, 7.25

hours in Chinese, 1 hour in English, 1.25 hours in Japanese, and 30 minutes in Russian each day, from 11 stations. Ask God to bless these stations with increased production and broadcasting hours. Pray for the broadcasters of FEBC Korea.

Fri 15 – We are happy to announce that FEBC Korea has been granted another license to build a new station in Yeosu and in Jeonnam. This will be our 12th and 13th station and cover a potential listening audience of more than one million people. Thank the Lord for the expansion of the ministry in Korea.

Sat 16 – In addition to their broadcasting ministry, FEBC Korea is also involved in the community through marriage and family seminars, counselling, concerts, and children's choirs that serve as international ambassadors, and follow-up with listeners. Please pray for this ground work FEBC Korea is doing.



Philippines

Sun 17 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: The Philippines is already Asia's most predominantly Christian country. As of 2010, it is home to the world's 5th biggest Christian population. When China closed its doors to foreign missionaries in 1948, FEBC moved its Asian base of operations to the Philippines. FEBC's first broadcasts over local station KZAS went on the air on 4 June 1948 in Manila. International broadcasts to China started on 27 July 1949 with the help of Chinese-Filipino Christians and soon expanded to most of Southeast Asia. By the end of 1949, FEBC had 27 languages on the air. FEBC Philippines is now home to both a network of local broadcasting stations and two international transmitter sites at Iba and Bocaue. Please pray for this expanding ministry in the Philippines.

Mon 18 – While Islam will nearly match Christianity in terms of membership, the Pew Research Centre reports that the Philippines will house the world's 4th largest Christian population by 2050. By this time Filipinos will comprise 4.9%, or 143.55 million, of the world's Christian population. Pray that this positive growth will continue.

Tue 19 – FEBC Philippines offers a wide variety of programs, including music, news, children's programs,



medical information, Bible teaching, evangelism and discipleship in twenty different languages. Ask God to further equip the broadcasters and programming staff to inspire their listeners with their Christian faith.

Wed 20 – Five of our nine local stations are also heard online. Our office in the Philippines owns and operates all of these stations throughout the country, in addition to a number of special programs aired in commercial stations to reach specific people groups. Thank God for these stations and airing opportunities.

Thu 21 – Our six shortwave transmitters in two international shortwave broadcast facilities – Iba, Zambales and Bocaue, Bulacan – broadcast programs in more than 60 languages and dialects to China and Southeast Asia for 36½ hours daily. Pray for this ministry from the Philippines.

Fri 22 – FEBC has trained a disaster response team in the Philippines to establish a radio station in 72 hours

which offers life-saving information to survivors of natural disasters or emergencies, as we did during the catastrophic flooding in 2009 and again in 2012. Pray that this ministry will further develop and pray that God will protect the people sent to these disaster areas.

Sat 23 – FEBC Philippines is also involved in outreach efforts, includ-

ing prison visitations, food/clothing relief during emergencies, parenting seminars, as well as occasional radio distribution. Each of the stations also has staff that follow up with listeners through phone calls, letters, emails, text messages, and personal visits. Praise God for the Filipino ministry and pray that God will bless FEBC Philippines.

Singapore

Sun 24 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: FEBA Singapore, a member of FEBC International, was founded in 1962 as a recording studio located in a room in a Tanglin Road flat. The studio moved to larger premises at Jalan Minyak, and later to a second flat, with local Singaporeans playing an active role in radio broadcasting. FEBA Singapore was incorporated as a public company in 1974. Due to the expanding ministry, they moved to the International Plaza in 1979, and in 1988 to Maxwell House. Finally, since 1996 they have been in Skywaves Building near Balestier Road. Thank God that, even though they had to move around a lot, this ministry is still on air 50 years later.

Mon 25 – To date, FEBA broadcasts an average of 130 programs per week through VOG102.3 & HOPE106.5, reaching audiences in Southeast Asia and Greater China. Pray that God will bless this ministry.

Tue 26 – Singapore is the most religiously diverse country in the world, with 33.9% of its population following Buddhism, 18.2% Christian, 14.3% Muslim, 5.2% Hindu, 2.3% adhering to folk religions and 9.7% divided among other religious groups. Pray that Christians will not waver in their faith, but faithfully testify about the one true God.

Wed 27 – Ten people died when a 5.9-magnitude quake struck Mount Kinabalu, Singapore on 5 June 2015. Most of the deceased were children who were on a school hiking trip. Pray for these families and ask God to use this to draw unbelievers to Him.

Thu 28 – On 6 July 2015, the new Sports Hub was awash in a sea of red as a record 51 000 Christians from Churches across Singapore gathered to mark SG50 and pray for the country. The Jubilee Day of Prayer is the largest multi-denominational Christian event

in Singapore's history. Pray that the Christian population in Singapore will continue to grow.

Fri 29 – Located in Southeast Asia, Singapore has a land area of about 710km², making her one of the smallest countries in the world and the smallest in the region. Although small in size, it has a population of about 5 million people. Pray that FEBA Singapore will have the means to reach more people with the Word of God.

Sat 30 – FEBA's goal is to bring the Good News of Christ to those who are hurting and lost. Even though Singapore's economy is good and most people are affluent, their lives are poor without Christ. Pray that God will use FEBA Singapore to reach those people.



Taiwan

Sun 31 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: Taiwan's government is a multiparty democracy, which enables freer choice of religion to its 23.4 million inhabitants. These include a mixture of Buddhism and Taoism (93%), Christian (4.5%) and other religions (2.5%). The languages spoken in Taiwan include Mandarin Chinese (official language), Taiwanese and Hakka dialects. With assistance from FEBC Hong Kong, this ministry was established in February 1988 as a program production centre for our Chinese ministry. Pray that our ministry of 27 years will continue

broadcasting the Good News of Christ for many years to come.

FEBRUARY

Mon 1 – Taiwan is one of six production centres that produce programs for Mainland China. These programs, coordinated by the Chinese Ministry Office of FEBC Hong Kong, are broadcasting into China from the Philippines and Korea. Taiwan currently produces 78 hours of programming a month in Mandarin. Pray that these programs will touch more people's lives.

Tue 2 – Our ministry in Taiwan serves as a bridge between foundations and Churches in remote areas to assist aboriginal students. Various Churches are interested in providing the students with after-school counselling and guidance, but have no access to funds. Please pray for God to open doors, so they can have access to the necessary funds.

Wed 3 – Certain foundations are willing to donate funds, but personnel is needed to oversee the fundraising project. FEBC is helping to connect the two parties, suggesting possible ways for Churches to develop this mission field. Pray that God will guide FEBC in this process and that they will experience God's blessing in helping the community.

Thu 4 – The *Evangelical Program* is a shortwave program aired from

Taiwan which is broadcasted from 3a.m. to 9p.m. Please pray for the broadcasters' work and that these programs will touch people's lives.

Fri 5 – One listener wrote, "*After listening to your program my children and I are enjoying quality family time. Thank you for your family programs, it touched our lives.*" Pray that more families will come to know Christ's love for them through FEBC's programs.

Sat 6 – A listener responded to FEBC's Spiritual Diet Program, "*Thank God, Spiritual Diet's ministry is great! After listening to it, I began to understand that I need to love myself and must be willing to go out and share God's word. I'm so grateful and happy.*" Pray that FEBC Taiwan's programs will touch more lives.



Thailand



Sun 7 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: In 1951, Thai language programs were produced in Northeast Thailand and aired via shortwave from the Philippines. The Christian and Missionary Alliance Mission (C&MA) assigned a couple to do this work with local believers at the request of FEBC. They were murdered in 1952 while participating in a worship service. Today this effective and longstanding ministry is directed by Georgina Stott and her enthusiastic team. FEBC Thailand maintains extensive, consistent and quality follow-up ministry with listeners, in the form of letters, phone calls, emails, text messages and personal

visits to individuals' homes and at listener rallies. FEBC Thailand works closely with local Churches and also offers a Bible correspondence course. 93% of the 36 000 listeners enrolled in this Bible study are from other faiths! A separate online Bible study is also offered. Pray for the Bible correspondence course.

Mon 8 – FEBC Thailand became very involved with emergency broadcasts and radio distribution following the 2004 tsunami and the 2011 Bangkok floods. Programs offering counseling and hope to people living in the affected areas are still being aired. Pray for this ministry.

Tue 9 – FEBC Thailand is also closely involved with shortwave radio ministry to 17 non-geopolitical ethnic languages in the Southeast Asia region. These programs are produced locally at studio in various locations and aired from FEBC Philippines. In addition to this, there are thirteen available websites in 12 languages. Ask God to use this ministry to reach the ethnic people groups.

Wed 10 – Radio is an integral part of Church planting ministries as well as encouragement and growth for scattered believers. Listeners often are people of oral tradition lacking any written Scriptures, or functionally illiterate. Many of them are persecuted for their faith. Pray that the illiterate will have access to the Gospel through radio.

Thu 11 – In March 2015, more than 400 Pakistani Christian immigrants, including children, were arrested and jailed in Bangkok, Thailand. Sympathetic Thai Christians have housed and fed many of them, but since the jailing,

the health and even the lives of some of the Pakistani Christian immigrants are at risk. Pray for these Christians fleeing for their lives, the Christians imprisoned in Thailand and the Thai Christians helping the Pakistanis.

Fri 12 – Mr. S (47) lives with his elderly mother in a very tiny house, with her pension being their main income. Mr. S hasn't been able to find work, as he suffers from brain injuries sustained from a severe beating. During a later visit to their home by FEBC Thailand's programmer and staff, he prayed and received Jesus. Pray for Mr. S and all FEBC's listeners.

Sat 13 – FEBC Thailand has been experiencing some difficulties, amongst which frequent hospitalisation of staff members, floods preventing them from getting to their place of work, children falling ill plus an entire family having to flee from their home because of death threats from a drunk neighbour. Please pray for the Thailand team. Pray for their safety and that the work they do will continue to prosper.

Vietnam

Sun 14 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: Through our radio broadcasts, FEBC has shared Christ and impacted lives in Vietnam (one of the few remaining Communist countries in the world) for the past 60 years. Our influence has continued to grow despite challenges,

reaping an incredible harvest of souls as men and women hear the Good News of Jesus Christ. Vietnamese broadcasting was added to our schedule in April 1951 and in 1966, the first Vietnamese programmers joined the FEBC staff in Manila. In April 1975

South Vietnam was annexed by the North. Our Vietnamese staff were evacuated and relocated to the US, where they established the Vietnamese Department of FEBC. *Nguon Song Radio* has been aired uninterruptedly to Vietnam ever since. Please pray with us for FEBC in Vietnam.

Mon 15 – Vietnamese language programs are produced in the US and aired via shortwave from the Philippines for 1.5 hours each day. Programs have been available on our website since 2001 and broadcast programs and CD's are being developed locally and overseas. Pray for this multi-layered ministry.

Tue 16 – Internet Broadcasts via Mobile Device, launched in 2009, is a new content-delivery system using cell phone memory chips and speaker boxes to deliver Christian messages. It has been very successful in reaching many thousands throughout Vietnam. Praise God for this new media ministry and pray that many more will have access to hear the Gospel of Christ.

Wed 17 – Minority language programs are developed by ethnic programmers for 20 (out of 54) ethnic minority groups. These broadcasts are aired from Manila for 3 hours daily. Please pray that God will send more ethnic programmers, so the remaining groups can also be reached with the Good News about Christ.

Thu 18 – FEBC partners with local Churches on a variety of projects, such

as building homes for the poor, installing clean-water wells, hosting youth camps and distributing radios. In 2011 alone, more than 25 000 radios and MP3 mobile devices were distributed, impacting more than 300 000 lives. Pray that God will bless the work FEBC does in Vietnam.

Fri 19 – Vietnam is one of the few countries that still follow a Communist ideology. Christians are viewed as Western agents and their activities are closely monitored by the government, forcing many house Churches to meet in secret. Converts from Buddhist or tribal religions face pressure from their families and communities to return to traditional faiths. Pray that Christians will keep their faith in God and not grow weary.

Sat 20 – Some Christian members of the minority groups are fleeing persecution from the Central Highlands of Vietnam and seeking asylum in Cambodia. Vietnam ranks no.16 on the Open Doors' 2015 World Watch List. Please pray for Vietnamese Christians' safety.



Mongolia



Sun 21 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: Ever since FEBC launched *Wind FM*, a radio ministry in Mongolia, in 2001, we’ve been sharing the message of Christ with this nation steeped in Buddhism. Since that time, an explosion of people have come to Christ! The Christian population grew from literally a handful, to in excess of 85 000 – the kind of growth seen in the book of Acts! One of the early pioneers committed to sharing the Gospel is Batjargal (Bat) Tuvshintengel, FEBC Mongolia’s Director. Please pray with us for FEBC Mongolia and Director Bat.

Mon 22 – Bat soon received a vision from God, to reach more people through radio, a medium which works very effectively in this nomadic culture. Many who initially responded

to the Good News were young people unencumbered by longstanding cultural traditions. Praise God for the effect radio has on young people.

Tue 23 – *“We exist to build the Church,”* Bat explained, *“because communities are transformed by local Churches. Our broadcasts prepare the soil of a listener’s heart by establishing a positive attitude towards the Gospel, but it’s the Church that most effectively offers long term discipleship that develops spiritual maturity.”* Ask God to bless FEBC’s relationship with local Churches.

Wed 24 – FEBC Mongolia received the funding for three new stations, which, together with our existing five, now puts the entire country within reach of Gospel broadcasting. Pray

that God will provide the necessary funds to keep these stations on air.

Thu 25 – The entire country are in reach of FEBC's broadcasts and with the help of other ministries, the Gospel has spread far and wide over the airwaves. By God's grace the Christian community has grown from 20 people to 3% (almost 85 000 people) of the entire population in just 25 years. Praise God for this growth!

Fri 26 – FEBC Mongolia believes this growth is just the beginning. Their goal is to grow the Christian commu-

nity to 10% of Mongolia's population by the year 2020. Their next challenge is to establish FM stations in rural areas, so that more people can hear the Gospel. Pray that this will become a reality.

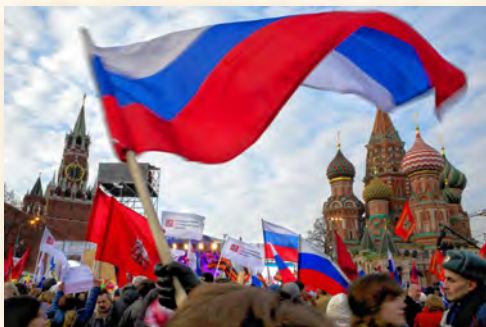
Sat 27 – Families in Mongolia are affected by divorce and drunkenness, they face many problems from day to day. FEBC Mongolia aims to restore families by sharing the love of Christ. Pray that people will listen to FEBC's broadcasts and hear about God's grace, hope and love for them.

Russia

Sun 28 – WEEKLY SUMMARY: Russia is considered to be a culturally Christian country. This means that the vast majority of the population has a favourable opinion of the Bible. Unfortunately, it also means that more than 90% of the people are only vaguely familiar with the Book. That's why we do all we can to help people understand the main message of the Bible. Every day we broadcast two different programs that explain the Bible chapter by chapter. In addition to these two blocks of programming, we invite local pastors to talk to people about the Bible. These are interactive talk shows, where people can ask questions and receive answers right away. Pray that God will bless this

ministry and that more people will learn about God's Word.

Mon 29 – Praise God for a new member of FEBC Russia, Sergey Stepanov. Radio engineer, online radio enthusiast, and a strong Christian. He'll be managing one production centre and two stations in central Russia.



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