

The MOG report.



Rebound - Brian and Ann Hubbard. The Rebound group remains small, but we've welcomed three more **new starters** this month. We've introduced video material from CAP to facilitate discussion around important **life skills**

Please pray that those who have recently come along will **continue to attend** the meetings. Prayers of thanks that we can provide **practical support** & to pour out God's love on members with physical or emotional **wellbeing** issues. Pray that the Lord will bring to the group more **people in our community** who could benefit. Unsurprisingly, almost all of those who come along are **struggling** with aspects of their lives especially money & mental health; pray that one day soon they will see the **Lord as their friend** & helper.

Prison Ministry - Paul Burgess - Praise the Lord for the most recent course held in one of the local prisons, which went well, with prisons week held last month & prison prayer line which is still going strong.

Prayer please for Angel tree approaching now with donations required and selected presents purchased for our resident's children ready for Christmas. **Please continue** to pray for Chaplaincy staff and Governors, for further easing of restrictions. For more Prison Fellowship volunteers to continue the processes of going back in, as soon as possible, and remembering the families & loved ones missing & concerned about those locked away.

Created Creative (CC) - Emma Cottrell - Thanking God for how He is growing the ministry and touching hearts & bringing His comfort & healing to people. For the sessions over this last month & for bringing a new trustee Mandy Hagon to join the team & oversee a database structure.

Please continue to pray for all the CC team, thanking God for them & that He equips & blesses each one in their role & in all the sessions that are ahead.

Please pray for a church visit to Southampton on Saturday 6 November, where we will be facilitating creativity sessions for them, for God's hand over this.

Please continue to pray our first grant application is well received and for further applications.

Please pray for a new trustee with finance skills to join us.

A short video to help explain better the ministry work of Created Creative has been completed. **Please continue** to pray it reaches those God intends as it is circulated.

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Open Doors – Betsy Kolkea - Libya, in North Africa, is number 4 on the Open Doors' Watch List. With a population of 6.7 million, there are 34,500 Christians but of those only 150 are Libyan with the rest being migrant workers. These courageous Libyan Muslim background believers face intense persecution & pressure to renounce their faith. Islamic militant groups have been known to kill, assault, abduct & use other violent means to persecute these Christian brothers & sisters. Open Doors works with local partners to provide support in training, distributing Christian literature, bringing socio-economic help to those who are often in the poorest segments of society, & advocating on their behalf to try to affect change. **Let's pray: 1. For Libyan Christians** - that they will know God's peace even whilst under such intense pressure **2. That new believers** who are isolated will find others to share with, learn from, and to encourage one another. **3. That those in power** in Libya will find ways to bring peace to the country and to end the proxy civil war.

Prayer for the World - Zena Greig

COP26: **Please pray for** world leaders as they gather in Glasgow this week.

Pray - that God, who cares for the poor & oppressed, will guide leaders to take courageous action & that they will be bold & determined in implementing change. For all those who are suffering hunger, poverty, or displacement because of extreme weather events.

For ourselves, that we may act justly, caring for creation & for those suffering because of climate change. Sudan: **Urgent prayer** is needed for Sudan after the military arrested several members of the transitional government and declared a state of emergency. This is highly disturbing for the country's Christians who have seen positive steps towards religious freedom under the transitional government. **Please pray for peace** & stability for Sudan & for protection for our brothers and sisters in Christ.