

Thursday



### I Am Very Afraid

"When I wake up every morning, I feel very tired and I do not want to live. I do not know what is the meaning of living? I don't know how to pray. I have been hurt by my original family. I have tried hard together with the people who have the same experiences. I admire those who have grown up in a happy family. I also want to be the same as them. I have not trusted the Lord so much because the Lord has not made me feel His love. I hope that you do not blame me. In fact, I am really scared. I need your help very much so that I can know the Lord again, love the Lord and learn to love others."

(Audience "Looking at the Scenery along the Way")

✂ Please pray for the listener. Ask the Lord to give him the strength and to let him understand that meaning of life. Also pray that the listener will not be indulged in sad mood, and that he will communicate and pray more with other believers.

### Four Seriously Ill

A family in Zhoukou City, Henan Province is extremely unfortunate: the Zhang's, four out of six family members are seriously ill. The 14-year-old elder son suffers from T-lymphoblastic lymphoma; his elderly father got cerebral infarction and is bedridden; his mother has had heart bypass surgery; his younger son is a patient of congenital heart disease and has had surgery. Mr Zhang said they have already spent all savings, and even loans, on medical expenses. In the meantime, he is accompanying his elder son for blood cancer treatment in Beijing while his younger son is taking care of his elderly mother at home. His elder son is saddened to seeing his parents so worried about him and thus asked more than once: "Let's give up and go home, lest more money to spend." The child has also written a last letter on which he wished to donate his organs for the goodness of others.

("DaHe Network Media", August 9, 2019)

✂ The Zhang's, a peasant family, has been working very hard for a living. But the medical expenses on Zhang's four members have terribly taken the family to bankruptcy. Pray that God have mercy and healings onto them, and the general public a helping hand to this needed family.

Friday



### A Christian Family

"When I was still in high school and yet a Christian, I started listening to Radio Liangyou. In the dormitory, I listened your programs every night. It was like listening to stories. Until one night, my radio was confiscated by the patrolling teacher. By that moment, the radio was still on, the teacher also heard the program. I silently prayed, that if our God was real, He would let me have it back. Truly, the teacher returned it to me the day after. In May that year, my father felt very ill, though the medical check-up was negative. My mother asked me what else could we do? I said, 'Believing in Jesus!' Later, dad recovered from the illness and the whole family has turned to the Lord."

(Brother Zhang)

✂ Grateful that Brother Zhang has learned about God through our radio program since his high school. Hope that the experiences of brother and his father can edify others and glorify the Lord.

### Kham's New Generation

The Kham people are an offshoot of Tibetans. They are pious Lama believers distributed throughout western Sichuan, eastern Tibet and Qinghai. Christian ministry began there at the end of the 19th century but there was little effect. God has still loved the Kham people for many years. He has sent servants to serve them devotedly. In recent years, many young Kham Tibetans have received higher education. They have known the gospel through different means. However, the obstacles they have encountered are very big and their spiritual growth is difficult. The believers are driven away by their families. The pastors serving the Kham people also face great pressure. They strive to stay with the young believers to support them with a very cautious attitude.

✂ Please pray for the God's servants among the Kham Tibetans. Ask the Lord to give them the wisdom to train and nurture the Kham youths who have believed in the Lord, and to keep up all their learning activities. May the Lord be graceful to the Kham youths who have left their homeland and gone to the big cities for tertiary study. Ask the Lord to give them the opportunities of hearing the gospel and pray for the radio broadcast for the Kham people.

Saturday



### Lack of Love

"I am a girl who has been left out by my mother who only likes boys. I have lacked love since my childhood. My mother often criticizes me with hurting words. I am 42 years old now. Her hurting words have been remaining in my heart. I got married at the age of 21. I am extroverted but my husband is introverted. Our temper is conflicting. Every time when we talk, we quarrel. We have not communicated and have slept separately for seven or eight years. Recently I have known an internet friend. We have fallen in love and even lived together after a short period of time. I am very painful. I don't know how to let go of this affair. His residence is close to me and we often meet. I try to delete him from my WeChat list. But he asks me to contact him and just wants to talk ordinarily. Every time when I delete him, I feel very painful and miss him. I don't know what to do."

(Audience "A Painful Person")

✂ Please pray for "A Painful Person". Ask the Lord to give her wisdom and courage to face the reality, and let her understand which is the most important, her family or her lover. Also pray that she will be resolved not to do regretful things.

### Gospel Broadcasting

1 **Radio Liangyou Anniversary:** The 29th of July was the 70th anniversary of Radio Liangyou. We held a three-hour special program for this celebration. In the first hour, there was a thanksgiving worship which was followed by two hours' live broadcast. During the program, congratulating calls were received from the audience of many provinces and there were also hundreds of messages! The co-workers were very grateful. Pray that the programs of Radio Liangyou will continue to bring the gospel to the compatriots so that their lives can be renewed and changed.

2 **Discipleship Program:** In order to build up more committed believers, we will launch a new discipleship program at the end of October. Please pray for its production co-workers who are working intensively. Also pray for the listeners so that they will become good and faithful servants of the Lord through the program.

## China News and Prayer

Sep/Oct 2019



Dear Warriors in Christ,

It's now September, the weather is still very suffocating. The situation is still tense, just like what a listener has shared recently: "Last Sunday, the church announced that party members and juniors were not allow to go to church any more. The other church in our village has been forced to close. Currently we hold our worship in a pigpen built by a family. The villagers are basically elderly. They have invited me to give a sermon. I am a bit timid and worried that I cannot do it well. I have only finished the diploma program of your theology program."

Persecution has not only happened to churches, but has also gone deep into families and personal life: "The policy here is very strict. Low income households receiving subsistence allowances are not allowed to go to church, otherwise the allowance would be withdrawn."

If you were this listener, what would be your choice? We should not imprudently give advice and draw conclusions. What we can do is not only to pray earnestly for them, but to produce programs which can respond to the situation. Please pray for our discipleship program which will be broadcast at the end of October.

"But the Lord is faithful. [...] We have confidence in the Lord that you are doing and will continue to do the things we command. May the Lord direct your hearts into God's love and Christ's perseverance!" (2 Thessalonians 3:3-5). No matter how disturbing the situation, the giant wheel of time is still taking us forward. Please pray that the Lord will help us take a rest in the fall and that we can be renewed and continue to work hard in the next stage.

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Sunday



### The Best Blessing Ever

"In 1998, I spent RMB 300 for a short-wave radio in order to listen to international radio broadcasts. Inadvertently, I ran into Radio Liangyou while I was scanning through the newly bought. But as a non-Christian that time, I simply whipped over to the next channel. Deeply thankful to the brothers and sisters of Radio Liangyou, later in about 2001 I met the Lord through your program. Despite some perplexing moments in life thereafter, God keeps me with Him. Thus, from my heart, knowing God and become His children is the greatest blessing ever since. May the Lord's love and grace be always with us."

(An Audience)

✝ Grateful that this audience got to know about the Lord in the airwaves. It is all by grace. May he be better equipped on the path of faith to serving the Lord.

### Strict Accountability

The in-charge of the Ministry of Finance announced that the financial departments and their staff members would be held accountable for fraudulent gain of the poverty alleviation fund by means of trickery. No matter which level the financial departments belong to and which cadre, they must be strictly held accountable once they were involved in the fraudulence. In light of the problems of financial abuse found currently in the management of the poverty alleviation fund, the person-in-charge introduced the "measures". In accordance with the "Budget Law of the PRC" and "Financial Disciplinary Punishment Regulations", provisions of the "measures" were sorted out: 1. To gain poverty alleviation funds by trickery; 2. To make the funds idle by delaying the disbursement without a reason; 3. corruption, misappropriation of the funds; 4. Unauthorized changes in the fund usage plans; 5. Forgery, alteration and destruction of proofs. Penalties will be imposed strictly on all these.

("China News", August 9, 2019)

✝ In order to prevent the poor from getting poorer and the rich from getting richer, the government must investigate the accountability for all abuses of power which were done to seek personal advantages. Please pray that the measures can be implemented and ask for the mercy of Lord.

Monday



### Mother's Health

"Mother is 75 years old. But after an illness in January, she lost much of her weight. She lost her appetite too, getting a bit weak to walk, complaining about her abdominal pain whole day. The pain disappeared after the treatment and her appetite slightly resumed. However, her recovery is rather slow. Seeing my mother's feebleness really broke my heart. I thus beg for the Lord's mercy upon my mother who is a devout Christian and has believed in the Lord for more than ten years. May the Lord add her strengthen by every experience in the Lord. In His arms, that my mother is embraced and blessed!"

(Sister Feng)

✝ Pray for God's healing on Sister Feng's mother. May the Lord stop her pain and grant her peace, and by experiencing God's healing she glorifies the name of the Lord.

### Fair Admission

The Eighth Kindergarten in Lianhu District of Xi'an was established in 2018 and its first ever enrollment was completed in four hours last year, leaving those parents who didn't line up in time disappointed. Thus, Mr. Zhang always kept an eye on any news about the enrollment progress and he said, "Since July, the family went every day to check for any updates." On August 1, the long-awaited notice was posted and the enrollment was starting this month, no specific time enlisted though. "Early next morning, a cluster of parents lined up at the entrance of the kindergarten lest we missed the time. Finally, the security guard told us that there would be no enrollment that day." To everyone's surprise, the very next morning there posted a note stating that all quota had been filled. Mr. Zhang was shocked and queried if they had the enrollment launched during midnight? It is a public kindergarten, meaning that everyone should have an equal opportunity! Operational formality in disguise could only make those who complies a fool."

("Shaanxi Headlines", August 8, 2019)

✝ The Discipline Inspection Team of the Education Bureau is investigating the incident. Pray that the norm and fairness on school admissions is to resume to meet the expectation of the society.

Tuesday



### I Don't Advocate

"I don't advocate that my daughter give up her job and attend basic theology program organized by the church. My daughter works for rehabilitation in a hospital. She is deeply adored by the majority of patients. I have told her that she should not act rashly when she is not clear about the guidance of God. But she has been influenced by the local pastor! In fact, my husband does not want our daughter to study theology. She has been maintaining a good habit of spiritual devotion for many years. She often listens to the radio programs from which she obtains a lot of help in her life. I hope that God will let her know His will through your advice and encouragement. I want to especially bring this matter to God and ask God to care for the children He loves."

(A Sister)

✝ Please pray for the sister's daughter to make her seek the will of the Lord wholeheartedly. Also pray that she will be clear about her guidance by the Lord and that the Lord will lead her way.

### Veteran's Search

Veteran Pei Haiqing, who originated from Shuangliu in Chengdu, fought across Wuhan, Guangzhou, Changsha and Daixi; and lastly, he settled in Nuijiang of Yunnan where he once fought, got married and raised children after his retirement. This 97-year-old anti-war veteran had a humble wish of returning home to see his younger brother and relatives, and most of all, pay tribute to his parents before their graves. Veteran Pei visited his hometown once 30 years ago, but returned with empty hands. In 2017, some good-hearted launched a campaign on Internet where the old man finally linked up with his Chengdu family. Veteran Pei eventually met his younger brother, brother's children and grandchildren at hometown after decades of separation. In this trip of hometown re-visit, Veteran Pei was super excited amid the family of eleven people. Now, he has no regret in life.

("China News", August 8, 2019)

✝ In the old days, these adorable veterans self-dedicated their youth for the wellbeing of their posterity. Pray that such spirit of self-dedication will be passed on to their junior followers.

Wednesday



### I Am Disfavored

"My in-laws are bossy and have been controlling our family: I am not allowed to work at my hometown where I can join them and my two children. I was unwelcomed when I returned. My mother-in-law would get mad at me when I don't comply. For my husband, he is still a mama's boy. He would only seek advice from his parents, but seldom with me. We quarrel a lot. They don't know God; they only worship money. I had got depression and several times I wanted to commit suicide. By overcoming many difficulties, I have now recovered from depression, but they treat me the same. Shall I be under their control and bullying for the rest of my life? Save me now!"

(Sister Zhao)

✝ Pray for Sister Zhao that our Lord will keep her and strengthen her. May the Lord help her deal with her unsatisfactory marriage, putting aside her hard feeling but communicating with her husband's family with an open heart.

### The Missing Boy

Ms. Li of Shiyan, Hubei, whose 8-year-old son has been reported missing in Hailuogou, Sichuan Province for seven days. The search for the boy has been proceeding but in vain. At noon on August 2, the trio of Ms. Li's went to Hailuogou Forest Park to tour around. Her son ran into a turn in front and was out of her sight. He disappeared since then. The boy was wearing a yellow top, jeans and rain boots. More than 200 people had started a thorough search and rescue at the site. Yet, no trace of the boy was found. It is suspected that the child might have left the scenic spot instead of being lost in the Red Rocky Beach. "Perhaps the child didn't turn left at the exit (going along the river beach), but to the forest on the right." The rescue dog suspected of smelling the child at the scene. Once the child walks into the forest, the danger increases. "If he can't figure out the direction, and walks in panic, it is easier to get lost."

("Huaxi City Daily", August 8, 2019)

✝ The person in charge of the scenic spot reported that the search and rescue team had more than 500 people participating in the operation. May the Lord keep the boy and bring him back to his family.