



Reaching Out Across the Street and Around the World
Caring, Witnessing, Making Disciples

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Merry Christmas, _____ !

From all your CWM family, we pray that Christ Jesus is born anew in your hearts, and that your experience of His love grows deeper and deeper. This month, we are sharing a family Christmas letter with you, rather than a traditional ministry newsletter. We love you and want you to know how your love and support has made such a difference in our lives.

2019 has been a wonderful, challenging year for our directors' families. Lee Ann's brother, Sam, passed away in March, leaving a big hole in all our family gatherings. Lori's mother has adjusted well in her new living situation, but still misses Chuck terribly, of course. Christian (17) and Ramzy (18) will complete both high school and their Associate's Degrees in May. Christian will actually start welding school this January, and may eventually work toward a degree in engineering, as well. Ramzy will go to Mississippi State University in the fall of 2020, and study Kinesiology, hoping for a career in Athletic Training, Physical Therapy, or Chiropractic Medicine. After a freak injury of her right knee in July, Lee Ann had that knee replaced on September 6, and will have the left one replaced on December 6. Recovery has been brutal, but she is looking forward to being able to go for long walks and hikes again, as she returns to international mission travel again soon. Lori had two stress fractures in her left foot this year and had to wear a boot for a couple of months, but is beginning to get around much better. They are both looking forward to special time and travel with their graduating sons next summer.

PRAYER NOTES & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES:

LOCAL MINISTRIES:

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Friday, 6:30 am

Youth Community Explosion

SPRING: Jan 6 - May 14

Worship at the Claiborne Senior Living
4th Sunday, 4 pm.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Mar 28 Jambalaya Dinner Fund Raiser

PRAYER & PRAISE NOTES:

Amos Williamson – manager of our rental venue; recovery from surgery on Feb 6

On-going opposition/persecution in India, Nepal, Nigeria, Pakistan

Amanda Clark – interning with our youth program this semester; going to seminary next fall

Areal Carter – New VISTA employee with our youth program, Jan 17

Funds to plant 5 new churches in Nigeria and build 10 new pavilion churches

R'Najee Matthews – joining YCE staff as a VISTA in April.

Local Supporters -- Be a Keeper!

Provide a snack or meal for YCE

Be a tutor or mentor

Help cook, serve, decorate with events

See our website for upcoming event details:

<http://www.christianworldmissions.org/news-and-events/ministry-eventsmissions/>

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