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*With all prayer and petition pray at all times in the Spirit, and with this in view, be on the alert with all perseverance and petition for all the saints, and [pray] on my behalf, that utterance may be given to me in the opening of my mouth, to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, (Ephesians 6:18-19)*

The strength of our walk with God arises from being in an attitude of prayer at all times. We stand ready to yield to the Spirit of God to intercede for those around us, especially those of the faith. Most important, is believing God for the boldness to share the Gospel. If we aren't sharing the Gospel we are neglecting our primary responsibility as Christians.

This year, God is placing an emphasis on a renewed commitment to prayer and fasting for the Body of Christ. We just won't have the endurance and desire any other way. Andrew Kirya, one of our local missionaries who works with FCM and YWAM gave a three-day seminar on, "Prayer As Taught By The Lord." He emphasized that many of the Pastors in Africa prayer several hours a day, and believed that was why they had an ongoing revival for many years.

**Testimony:** A Native man, whose wife was recently saved, and had begun reading her Bible extensively throughout the day, was waking him up in the middle of the night making terrible sounds while she slept. They realized that she was being delivered from demonic control as she filled her mind with God's Word and this continued until she was completely set free from their influence. Sometimes all we need is the regular discipline of prayer and Bible reading to expel the demons trying to oppress us. Amen!

Another testimony came from the daughter of a local Pastor and his wife. She had been given medication by a doctor for a medical problem she had, but was having an allergic reaction to it and had been misdiagnosed. God prompted the Pastor (her father) to call a former student of his who had become a doctor for a second opinion. This was on a Friday and she saw that doctor

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- New Staff Members
- Pinched Nerve in Back and Arm

the next day on Saturday. He realized she had been given the wrong medication and if she had not come she probably would have died by Monday from the effects. God can truly speak to our hearts about every situation and give us wisdom from heaven.



Every week we hear amazing testimonies like this from the Native Churches we work with, as pictured above. The top picture is Golden Heart Church which meets in a Tribal Hall. The bottom picture is Mountain Movers Church which meets at a hotel in downtown Fairbanks.

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Let us all seek the Lord this year in prayer and fasting, believing for the authority and boldness to share the Gospel. Let us remember to lift up each other in prayer daily. **2019 will be a year of answered prayer!**

*Co-laborers in Christ,  
Joyce Thurlby*