for prayer

Rubaya Landslides

There are many orphans from the Rubaya landslides that Comfort Congo are trying to find a way to look after. Pray for guidance as to what the best way to do this is and for provision.

Ebola Outbreak
The Ebola outbreak is causing considerable concern because it spread rapidly before it was properly identified and tackled. Pray for the closing down of the spread of the disease.

Central Hospital of Rusayu
The hospital (Central Hospital of Rusayu - CHR) is carrying out crucial work among the displaced and poor. At present there is, on average, a rape survivor coming for help every day - by the time of the next prayer newsletter that is another thirty traumatised and devastated women. Pray for healing, restoration and hope. Some of those women will need ongoing support - pray for sponsors for the Heshima project.

Sake Orphanage

At Sake, around 15 kms north-west of Goma, Comfort Congo are looking after 40 orphans in a sparsely furnished orphanage and feeding another 5-600 children who are malnourished or extremely hungry. We need £2000 a month for this project - please pray for supernatural provision and long term support as the need is likely to continue.

Child Soldiers

At Kitchanga, which is around 150 kms north-west of Goma, there are twenty-seven child soldiers who have escaped or been rescued and need help and support. Pray for them to be healed, restored and cared for. Pray that the present Children of Liberty project in Goma will be fully supported by sponsorships so that we can look to expand the support of child soldiers to Kitchanga.

Comfort International Ministry School (CIMS)
During the CIMS training at Bukavu in March, church leaders told of how their homes and land were being grabbed by miners linked to armed groups. Pray that God will support those who have lost homes and fields and that He will vindicate His servants.

Our Partners
Pray for our partners as they work day after day in such challenging and tiring circumstances. Pray for Radja, a recent addition to the team, who is now working part-time with the projects and sponsorship reporting.

Volunteers
Comfort International is blessed with the most incredible group of dedicated volunteers. Please pray for God's blessing over them and the work that they do. Please also pray for the volunteer vacancies that are currently being advertised. These are all important roles and it would make a huge impact to the work of Comfort International to have these filled.

Festivals
Comfort International is going to have a presence at a number of festivals/ events this year in the hope of meeting future supporters and volunteers. Please pray for a positive reaction at each of these events and for a fruitful response.
We will be attending:

- AoG Conference in Aberdeen - May 21st - 23rd
- Keswick Ayrshire in Kilmarnock - May 29th - 31st

Goats and Garments
One of our current appeals we are running is the Burundi "Goats and Garments" appeal. The Appeal is simply to empower families through either recieving a goat or training through a tailoring project. Over the next three years, 500 goats will be given to the poorest families. Each family will care for their goat, and when it gives birth, the first kid will be passed on to another family. In this way, the blessing multiplies. Alongside this, a tailoring project will provide sewing machines and training so families can learn to make and mend clothes. This creates skills, dignity, and new income opportunities—especially for women. Please pray for a strong response to this appeal so that lives can be transformed through Goats and Garments.

Online Prayer
On June 8th at 7.30pm, we will be hosting an online prayer meeting for the work of Comfort International and our partners. If you would like to be a part of this prayer meeting, please email us at enquiry@comfortinternational.org so that we can send you link directly.

One thing I ask from the Lord,
this only do I seek:
that I may dwell in the house of the Lord
all the days of my life,
to gaze on the beauty of the Lord
and to seek him in his temple.
For in the day of trouble
he will keep me safe in his dwelling;
he will hide me in the shelter of his sacred tent
and set me high upon a rock.

I remain confident of this:
I will see the goodness of the Lord
in the land of the living.
Wait for the Lord;
be strong and take heart
and wait for the Lord.

Psalm 27: 4-5, 13-14

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