

## September Update on August 2017 Missionary Letters

### **Craig and Shirley Colbert - International Friends/Interface**

Passport to school program was Aug 7-11. They expect 22-27 to attend this half day week long camp to help newly arriving international students adjust to the public school system by teaching them procedures, ESL and transition techniques. Please pray for the teachers, parents and kids during this time. The Colbert's will be attending Graduate Student Graduation on August 14 and Picnic at Peace park on August 15. The household giveaway is August 19<sup>th</sup> at 10am. Praying for many donations to help these families get settled in. The welcome party is August 25<sup>th</sup>, they pray for more American students to come. Last year there were none. They ask for prayer for more English Convocation Group Leaders, needing two more volunteers to lead a one-hour group on Monday, Tuesday or Thurs. evening at either 7 or 8:15pm. Continue to pray for God's provision in purchasing Bibles to give to the new international students and for 10-12 students to take the trip to The Ark Encounter during Thanksgiving break.

### **Paul and Vicky Craine-CEF (Child Evangelism Fellowship)**

They ask for prayer as they minister to many children who live in homes full of abuse and neglect. Pray for Paul's procedures done at the VA hospital in July. Pray for teachers and helpers for the Good News Club, additional committee members and financial partners. Praise God for His provisions and for safe travel he offered Vicky back east,

### **Todd and Juie Hendry - Avant Ministries**

Thank you for 10 years of supporting them faithfully. They appreciate your prayers in their involvement in Croata Brazil. Continue to pray for wisdom, growth in new believers and protection.

### **Tim and Lynn Anderson - Ministering to Colombia and Venezuelan Refugees**

They appreciate the church's support as they minister to these refugees. Celebrating 500 years since the reformation, Tim has been invited to speak in the public library and in various countries. They were able to speak at a worship seminar in Barranquilla on Aug. 13<sup>th</sup>. Their family is in need of prayer for health issues. Tim's sister Priscilla is facing a bout with multiple melanoma. She had been in remission but as she went to accompany her son after a fatal accident, taking care of him has strained her health as well. Their granddaughter Sarah who is 23, has been diagnosed with Grave's and Celiac Diseases. She goes to the Mayo clinic Aug. 4<sup>th</sup>. Your prayers and support are much appreciated as they serve the needs of these refugees.