

Welcome to our updated Missions page! We're *so* glad you took the step of looking at this page to see how you can help L-I-F-T the arms of our female global partners, just like Aaron and Hur did for Moses in Exodus 17:8-13.

As shared in the Ladies Tea video, we use the word, "LIFT", to remember the four steps involved in building community with our sisters in the Lord – **L** for "Learn", **I** for "Intercede", **F** for "Friend", and **T** for "Tend". Read about each term below and where to find related information on this webpage.

❖ **Learn**

- Go to the "**Connect**" tab to find a list of nearly all of our global partners and brief descriptions of their ministries and places of service.
- Select one or two of the women listed and learn what they do.
- Go to the "**Learn**" and "**Serve**" tabs to find more opportunities to hear about your global partners through the annual Missions Conference, quarterly Missions Focus Sundays, Serving Hands Zoom meetings, etc.
- Go to the "**Resources**" tab to find resources to help you and your family grow in your understanding of Missions. Many of the resources listed are found in our church library!

❖ **Intercede** (*another word for Pray*)

- Go to the "**Pray**" tab to find:
 - a list of prayer points for your global partners – one for each day of the week, including spiritual life, relationships, ministry, etc.; and
 - guidelines to pray for unreached people groups and a link to get more information on them.
- Intercede for your global partners *daily* to begin building a connection with them.

❖ **Friend**

- Go to the "**Connect**" tab to find the email addresses of your global partners.
- Take a step of friendship by reaching out to them with a quick email. You could:
 - Tell each woman you're praying for her.
 - Share an encouraging Scripture verse or devotional.
 - Ask to be put on their lists to receive emailed prayer letters.

❖ **Tend**

- Learn about your global partners' personal and practical needs, as you correspond with them and pray for them. Then, tend to those needs, be it through prayer, provision, or both.
- Go to the "**Give**" tab to learn more about supporting them financially and otherwise.

The more you invest in the lives of our female global partners, the better they'll be able to fulfill their callings, and the sooner the Great Commission will be fulfilled! If you have additional questions, please contact Pastor David Schuit at (973) 427-6960 or davids@hawthornegospel.org.