

Tom & Ruth Denlinger Prayer Requests - May 2022

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Hello Everyone!

May is here and our first teams are now in Alaska. I would encourage you to visit our website and click on our page "**2022 Teams**". Take time to **pray for** each team leader and all the work they are preparing for their team members. There is a lot of work that goes on behind the scenes in our ministry. **Pray** for our financial administrators, our bookkeeper and those purchasing airline tickets. Although the face mask requirements have been lifted on most airlines, we have been warned of potential delays in flights while traveling. This can be VERY discouraging for those who desire to go. Each team leader is trained to prepare his/her team to "**be flexible**".

I am so thankful for the men and women who lead this ministry. I have been working with all them for many, many years. They are faithful and loyal to the furtherance of the Gospel of Jesus Christ in Alaska and success of LightShine. Yes, we have seen a few people who came and went after a single trip. But there are many, many more who have decided to give their life to missions in Alaska.

My team (pictured here) will be leaving for Alaska on May 27. We will be doing some important physical work at our missions base. Last year, a lot of construction left the base with heaps of branches and stumps and lots of exposed dirt. This past February I was able to lead a team that burned those piles. But this team will be working hard to do some final cleanup using some heavy equipment but also lots some hand tools. Our goal is to move in a lot of topsoil and plant grass. Go to our webpage (**CLICK HERE**) to see the goal in an aerial photo. We have two men coming from Homer, Alaska who will be joining our team as well. Steve Hoey is one of our LightShine Alaska missionaries and Joe Jones will be operating the bulldozer. We will also be ordering several truck loads of driveway gravel and moving that around our new bunkhouse.



All of this work will make our missions base more usable. As of today, there is a lot of mud everywhere and lots of debris from winter storms. Our desire is to make our base a place of beauty so incoming missions teams will have an enjoyable first night in Alaska before embarking on their team assignments

Thank you for supporting my wife and I in this important ministry. We could not do our job of organizing all of this if we did not raise financial support from people like you helping us. We would appreciate your **prayer** and support. **Thank you so much!**

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