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# MARCH 2025

Pictures in this calendar, unless otherwise noted, are from Uganda.



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Last newsletter, we asked you to pray for more orders now that our renovations are complete. God has answered and opened the floodgates! Pray now for our staff and volunteers to fulfill the many orders pouring in.

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We praise God for listeners to the Mission Compass, airing Sunday morning at 8:30 AM EST on the KFM network in northern Ontario. Pray for more connections with missions-minded churches in the "Near North".



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Jordan Christian School in Jordan Station, ON has asked Galcom to assist in a program where students learn about and volunteer with a ministry. Pray for blessings as these kids explore their part in the Great Commission!

**10**  
Steve Mutrux has been working with Galcom since September 2024 on the software design and implementation of our new Compass player. Pray for him as he decides whether to continue working full or part-time or continue his studies.

**17**  
Corinna Rush is the friendly voice you hear when you call Galcom. Please lift her up in prayer today; she is thankful for her continued good health as so many are succumbing to the flu around her!

**24/31**  
The WIND FM network in Mongolia continues to grow. Pray for the team that produces teaching content, hosts worship songwriting contests, distributes Galcom radios, and follows up in this sparsely populated nation.

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Galcom ED Tim Whitehead is attending the Prairie College Missions Conference this week. Pray for great connections with students as he travels with his father, representing BCM, and his daughter, who attends there.

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We are currently making 4,000+ radios for FEBC Indonesia. They will be distributed to 20 different stations on multiple islands around the country. Pray for the safety and effectiveness of the team doing distribution and follow-up.

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This week is Galcom's trip to Huánuco and Pucallpa, Peru to work with Marquez & Zara Valderrama of Morada de Paz Ministries! Please pray for the team to be kept safe and healthy as we bring radios to the prisons.

**5**  
Galcom has a brand-new General Manager, Phil Chmielinski! As he steps in to help manage Galcom day-to-day, Phil asks prayer for his work establishing connections with ministry partners as well as the staff.

**12**  
Gunther Eichmann shares about Legacy planning with Galcom's partners. He and Debbie also raise adopted and foster children; pray that their teenagers will make good choices, pick good friends, and persevere in high school.

**19**  
Pray for the ministry of Thru the Bible. Many people recognize the voice of J. Vernon McGee on the radio, but his teaching is also in over 100 different languages. Thru the Bible has generously provided Compass radios in Zambia and Burundi.

**26**  
Mike Gwartney of Radio South Sudan has installed 10 Galcom OmniStations in the country. Pray as he makes connections with partners on the ground who will host him in some volatile areas of the country.

**6**  
Roger & Heather Ewald, Galcom VARs, would like prayer for their 8-year-old grandson, who wants to know more about Jesus. Pray that Roger & Heather will have opportunities to share the Gospel and pour into his life.

**13**  
Martie Van Niekerk, Production Administrator, is focused on the partners who will receive the radio orders she is working on and is asking prayer for their success in receiving them and then distributing them to the people they serve.

**20**  
Dave & Eleanor Pohl have volunteered faithfully in Galcom production on Thursdays for years now! They are asking for prayer for their unsaved grandchildren and family members.

**27**  
Galcom ED Tim Whitehead is in Tampa, FL this week attending Galcom USA board meetings and the banquet. We have recently partnered on some large radio station installations. Pray for wisdom and vision on new projects.

**7**  
Michelle Cope, Ministry Agency Coordinator, is looking forward to March Break with teacher husband Dan and their four kids. Pray for rest and renewal for this lovely family as they spend time together!

**14**  
Partnership is at the heart of everything we do at Galcom. Recently we connected VOM and SIM missionaries working in "creative access" countries in West Africa. Pray that we will reach more people with the Gospel using radios and audio.

**21**  
Pray for Chuck Pollack, Galcom USA Board member and President of Sharing International, as he makes plans for more radio training around the world in 2025. Chuck led our training in Kigoma, Tanzania last year.

**28**  
Now that our renovations are complete, Mitch Whatford, Production Manager, will be putting the updated Production floor to the test with lots of Compass orders! Pray that our new processes flow smoothly.







**8**  
We love partnership, so when our partners at Faith FM Kitchener helped our friends at New Life Prison Ministry record new material for their audio program, we jumped in to help fund 2,000 more players. Pray for great impact.



**15**  
Pray for Lisa DeGraaf from 4VEH, who is sharing at Jerseyville Baptist Church in Jerseyville, ON during the missionary time tomorrow. She will be letting the congregation know about her work with 4VEH in Haiti.



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		<b>1</b> Herb and Jane Klassen, Galcom volunteers, are asking us to pray for their niece. Susan has a fistula that has become serious; she is currently waiting for surgery. Pray for a quick and total healing of this issue.	<b>2</b> The transmitter at Radio Voz de Esperanca in Guinea Bissau was damaged by a power spike last year. It has taken months to get a replacement and make repairs. Pray for Pastor Carlos and his team as they face these challenges.	<b>3</b> Galcom Technician Francis Njoroge travelled to Tabora, Tanzania recently to make changes and upgrades to the studios of Radio Uhai, and to scout out an area to place a repeater station to reach 1000s more with the Gospel!	<b>4</b> Please pray for healing for Kevin Horan's father, Jerry, who has prostate cancer. The mild side-effect treatments have stopped working now, so he may need to start chemotherapy soon.	
<b>6</b> Grace Baptist Church in Ottawa, ON mounted an amazing project to raise money for Galcom radios. They highlighted a different country weekly. Newcomers to Canada were excited to hear their heart language on our videos!	<b>7</b> Earlier this year, Tim Whitehead met with Radio Logos Director George Sturm about his stations in Albania. Their biggest challenge is pressure to change the Christian content to something more general. Pray for courage and favour.	<b>8</b> Shelley and Al Wyatt are excited that two more grandchildren will be added to their family, one in June and the other in July. Please pray for good deliveries and for all the adjustments that these new little ones will bring.	<b>9</b> Greg and Alex Muir of Pioneers are leading two more radio distribution trips this year, one in April and one in October. Pray that the team can coordinate their travel plans to all the remote villages in which they will minister.	<b>10</b> Hank & Debbie Veenvliet are friends of Galcom; Hank lent us his masonry skills for our renovations. They still mourn the loss of their daughter to cancer. Pray that the Comforter would make Himself real to them during dark days.	<b>11</b> Pray for Roger Lonquist of YNOP Radio in the US and New Life Radio Africa. Roger has a distribution network to provide the best content from the US to be shared overseas. Many stations have joined New Life to enhance their teaching.	<b>12</b> The 1.8 million Alawite people of Syria consider themselves Muslim, but the common Alawite does not even know his group's teachings because they are so secret. Pray for someone to boldly proclaim to them the good news of Jesus!
	<b>14</b> Kevin and Lynn Baker, Galcom staff in Alberta, would like to thank you for praying for their family after the passing of their son, Jeff, last fall. Please continue to pray that the Holy Spirit will be their comfort.	<b>15</b> Our sister ministry MegaVoice celebrated the distribution of 4 million audio Bibles earlier this year. Originally, all Galcom radios and MegaVoice players were built in Israel by our common co-founder Ken Crowell.	<b>16</b> Today, Tim Whitehead makes a taping of the 700 Club Canada TV show to talk about his new book, <i>Love Personified</i> . Please pray for a smooth interview that will generate interest in this study of <i>agape</i> love!	<b>17</b> Leda Kumaraku is the Director of Media 7, with radio stations in Albania and other Balkan countries. Pray as her team navigates the difficult cultural and religious differences in the area to share the love of Christ.	<b>18</b> Ken Tompkins, Galcom's Audio Library Coordinator in Nova Scotia, not only spends his days sowing God's Word by formatting our audio Bibles but also plants a large kitchen garden in his backyard. Pray for a good growing season.	
<b>20</b> Inspire FM airs Mission Compass on Sundays at 12:30 PM AST. They have a goal to blanket the Maritimes with Christian radio, and we want to help. Please pray for Terry Branscombe and his team as they share the Gospel.	<b>21</b> Diane Roberts is a former Galcom Board member and has been recently helping out with our accounting. She also works with Global Recordings Network Canada; her dedication and selfless volunteer work are a huge blessing.	<b>22</b> Lighthouse Radio in Belize celebrated 20 years of ministry last year, but they need urgent repairs to their tower, badly corroded by the sea salt air. Pray our team of Dan Hatfield and Kevin Baker can get there soon.	<b>23</b> Today, Al & Shelley Wyatt represent Galcom at Word of Life Missions Conference in Owen Sound, ON. Pray for them as they are part of a panel discussion and describe the work of a radio station installation to the students.	<b>24</b> Pray for God's wisdom on the Galcom Board and Board Chair Kurt Davis, as they meet today to make important policy decisions and evaluate several projects for building new radio stations around the world.	<b>25</b> Every day, Galcom staff gather for prayer and always include Joshua Project's Unreached of the Day. Pray for this wonderful ministry that researches and coordinates efforts to reach the unreached with the Gospel.	<b>26</b> Scott Beigle of Faith Radio Tallahassee came back from Kenya this winter with a request for more radios for Imani Radio. Pray blessings on their outreach into jails, to widows, and into Muslim communities with Galcom radios.
	<b>28</b> High Adventure and PSGI provide Compass players to refugees in Uganda. We have reformatted their extensive audio content and are excited to send the first 1,000 with 5 different language Bibles pre-loaded.	<b>29</b> Galcom VAR Ron Huinink has been on many tower installations apart from his full-time job in telecommunications. Pray that God would open doors so he can use his secular role to further Galcom's work in northern Canada.	<b>30</b> Galcom ED Tim Whitehead met Pastor Tsepiso in Lesotho last spring and saw the need for radios firsthand. Pray that his multiple congregations in Lesotho will be ministered to by the radios we shipped in the fall.			

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Pray for Goodwood Baptist Church in Goodwood, ON who has partnered with Galcom for over 10 years and recently had Tim Whitehead share in their morning service. Pray also for their impact and influence on their local community.

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Pray for the amazing work of Persecution Project in Nuba, Sudan! In 2024, Galcom supplied them with 6,000 audio Bibles that were distributed with other emergency supplies to returning refugees in Alazarak Camp.

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Volunteer Tom Flack has been praying hard for new production orders, and God has answered! Now join him in praying for new volunteers to get involved and help us get more radios made this year than ever before.

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Pray for Eric Perron and the team at Radio Espoir. They broadcast to Brownsburg, QC over FM and all of Quebec over the internet but are desperate to install more FM stations. Pray for a breakthrough with the CRTC to gain permission.

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Mitch and Faye Whatford are expecting their second grandchild, due on August 13<sup>th</sup>. Their daughter Maeve has had a tough pregnancy so far; pray for her health as she and husband Brent anticipate the new arrival!

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Jim and Jamie Loker of Audio Scripture Ministries partner with Galcom to distribute audio Bibles. In 2024, 5056 families representing 58 different language groups received audio Bibles in Mexico, where they work.

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Radio Emanuel in Albania had a wonderful 2024 with new licences for the Berat region. "We want to thank Galcom Canada for supporting us with equipment, assistance, and for providing the budget for the antennas," Meritan Baraku says.

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Today, R&D Technician Jesper Noer and his Noer family are moving to Denmark! Pray for good health, a smooth move, rest in God for each detail, safety as they travel, and the transition into a new life there.

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Pray for Jesper as he transitions to working remotely for Galcom from his new home in Denmark, and that God would lead him in all the details of his work.

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The team from Krusa FM in Cambodia aired a special live broadcast at the Battambang Festival, sharing the Gospel on air. About 100 people expressed their desire to know Jesus, and several experienced healing from illness.

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Harvey Greer, Galcom volunteer, continually prays for God to make Himself real to his Jewish son-in-law, and that his Christian wife and children will be the witness that opens his eyes to Jesus the Messiah.

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Global Recordings Network Canada is praising God for His provision in enabling the Thur language recording project in Uganda to be completed in 2024. GRN often records the first messages in unreached languages.

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Mission Compass airs Sunday at 7 PM EST on WDCX in Buffalo. They have supported Galcom with interviews and updates on their afternoon drive-time program, and join our Golf Tournament. Pray for their continued impact.

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Pierre-Yves Mtrux and Tim Whitehead will attend the EMDC Conference in the Netherlands this week and then visit Switzerland for a few whirlwind days, meeting with Pierre-Yves' supporters there. Pray for good travels.

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Every Village has placed an order for 9,000 radios this year. Radios are a lifeline for South Sudan. "This radio is not just a radio—it is a messenger of God's love for me," says a grateful recipient who listens every day.

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Pray for Runa Simi, who had a successful Christmas outreach in Ayacucho, Peru. They distributed about 2300 toys and clothes to children in 23 remote villages in the Andes mountains. The joy on the children's faces said it all!

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Jessica Lindsay and her husband Don are eagerly awaiting the birth of their first child in June! Pray for her endurance as she trains staff to cover her maternity leave. Jessica leaves a lot of tasks to be filled in her absence.

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Joseph Kebbie of Vox Radio is excited about his vision dating back to 2005 coming to life: Kioo Radio, a station sharing the Gospel with the Kissi people of Liberia, Guinea, and Sierra Leone. They broke ground on December 24<sup>th</sup>!

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Pray for the 16 million Muslim Ansari people, living in Pakistan, the north part of India, Bangladesh, and through to Nepal. By tradition, many of the low-caste Ansari are weavers, renowned for their beautiful handwoven silk fabrics.

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Faye Whatford and Brent Geertsema are currently out in Edmonton, AB to attend the Faith, Fundraising and Communication Symposium—a unique chance to meet with professionals from ministries across the country.

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Today is the one-year anniversary of Brent Geertsema at Galcom! Pray for his role as the Media and Outreach Coordinator. He thanks God for the opportunity his role offers to share stories of His kingdom.

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Continue to pray for the team at El Buen Pastor in Ecuador as they translate the Old Testament into Kichwa. This task has proved to be more problematic than expected. Galcom will put the OT onto Compass players for the area.

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Once we have the Kichwa Old Testament, Galcom plans to have a radio-distribution trip to the Saraguro area of Ecuador to hand out players with the new audio. Pray that God will prepare the hearts of those who receive them!

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Al Wyatt, volunteer Iain Sommerville, and our new General Manager Phil Chmielinski are planning to head out to Kenya to visit the station ministering to the Samburu warriors there. What a great experience for Phil!

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