

**1.**

Pray for Neseget, Onesimus accountant, and godly mentor to the young street girls of Addis Ababa.

ISAIAH 7:14 AND MICAH 5:2

**2.**

Pray for Jonathan, Jessica, and Dawit Bridges as they serve as TFC missionaries in Ethiopia alongside of Onesimus staff. Pray specifically that they will be granted their work permits without complication.

MATTHEW 1:18-24

**3.**

Pray for 18 year-old Brittany Carden who is ministering with the Bridges family in Ethiopia.

LUKE 2:1-5

**4.**

Pray for Brittany as she is away from her family this holiday season.

LUKE 2:6-7

**5.**

Pray for Nega, Onesimus director and leader of this amazing ministry that is reaching the unloved street children with the gospel.

LUKE 2:8-9

**6.**

Pray for Emabet, Onesimus co-founder and godly mentor to the young street girls of Addis Ababa.

LUKE 2:10-12

**7.**

Pray for the start-up of the Kota Ganate Hatchery in June of 2012. The hatchery will help sustain Onesimus from within Ethiopia.

LUKE 2:13-14

**8.**

Pray for the former street children who live in the Onesimus halfway homes. Many of these boys and girls are new believers and are growing in their faith.

LUKE 2:15-16

**9.**

Pray for Fitila, Onesimus house mother and godly mentor to the former street girls who live in Onesimus' halfway home for girls.

**LUKE 2:17-18**

**10.**

Pray for evangelical churches of Ethiopia to catch the vision for caring for their country's street children. Pray that their believers will step up to take children into their families to love as their own.

**LUKE 2:19**

**11.**

Pray for Onesimus as it participates in the establishment of Ethiopia's emerging foster care system. Onesimus is part of the working group that may one day help create a framework for Ethiopia's official means of addressing its orphaned and vulnerable children crisis.

**LUKE 2:20**

**12.**

Pray for the 60-100,000 street children currently living and/or working on the streets of Addis Ababa.

**LUKE 2:21**

**13.**

Pray for Ribika, Onesimus secretary and godly mentor to the many young street girls who enter Onesimus' gates

**MATTHEW 2:1-2**

**14.**

Pray for Taye, Onesimus social worker. Taye works hand-in-hand with many of the street children Onesimus ministers to. He is also heavily involved in the process of reunification between former street children and their families.

**MATTHEW 2:3-6**

**15.**

Pray for Alemayehu (Alex for short), Onesimus' ministry coordinator. Alex is responsible for planning and overseeing all ministry activities. He works diligently to maintain evangelism and discipleship efforts for Onesimus beneficiaries and their families.

**MATTHEW 2:7-8**

**16.**

Pray for the Lideta community. Lideta is the heavily populated sub-city of Addis Ababa where Onesimus is located. Pray for the community to come together and embrace their children so no more will turn to the streets.

**MATTHEW 2:9**

**17.**

Pray for Mesfin, Onesimus community worker. Mesfin works with the street boys and girls on the streets, often preparing the way for them to enter into Onesimus' Drop-In Center for street children. Pray specifically for patience and compassion as Mesfin works with many children in need of love, but unable to trust it.

**MATTHEW 2:10-11**

**18.**

Pray for Abezu and Alemayehu, Onesimus house parents for the boys halfway home. Abezu and Alemayehu care for the boys who are often unable to return to their homes because their families are unable or unwilling to care for them.

**MATTHEW 2:12-15**

**19.**

Pray for Terekegn, Kota Ganate Agriculture Project coordinator. Pray for him as he works diligently to establish Kota Ganate as a profitable farm for the sake of the street children of his country.

**GALATIANS 4:4-5**

**20.**

Pray for the Dorse community, which is located near the Kota Ganate Agriculture Project. Dorse is a lost community that is in need of the gospel to transform the desperate lives of those who call it home. Terekegn and Jonathan and Jess Bridges work closely with this community through, so pray for them that God will use them to reach this community for Christ.

**EPHESIANS 2:8-9**

**21.**

Pray for Nibyu, former street boy who now lives in Onesimus' halfway home for boys. Nibyu has a dynamic relationship with Jesus who has transformed him into a new young man after years of calling the streets home.

**1 JOHN 4:7-16**

**22.**

Pray for Begidu, former street boy who now lives in Onesimus' halfway home for boys. Begidu lost his mother over a year ago and his father was not equipped to care for him. Despite a lot of painful circumstances in his life, Begidu is full of so much joy.

**EPHESIANS 2:12-22**

**23.**

Pray for \_\_\_\_\_, Onesimus assistant directors. \_\_\_\_ is a wonderful new asset for Onesimus, providing much wisdom and support to Nega and the rest of the Onesimus team.

**24.**

Pray for Amaray and Sodo, Onesimus guards. These wonderful men may be guards but they are also often the first and last faces the street children see when they enter and leave the Drop-In

Pray for him as he learns how to effectively and compassionately minister to his country's street children.

**JOHN 7:37-38**

Center. Many children develop strong friendships with these godly men. Pray for God to use them to impact many street children.

**MATTHEW 28:19-20, ROMANS 6:23**

**25.**

Pray for the schools in the Lideta community where Onesimus is located. Pray specifically for patient and compassionate teachers in the midst of maxed out classes and little resources. Pray for the Onesimus beneficiaries who attend these schools that they will receive what they need to rise above their current circumstances

**PSALM 100, JOHN 3:1-8**