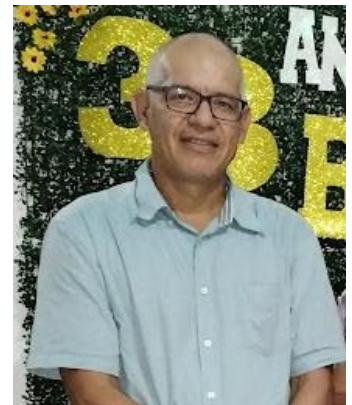


Mission News – April 28th 2024

Hector Antelo

Hector and Helen Antelo and their four children used to be Farnborough based but now live in Shropshire. Hector visits Bolivia several times a year and works with village communities, ranchers, indigenous communities, young people and those in prison. He has also engaged with several men who work in a meat factory in the Philippines. In between his overseas visits and video-calls, he regularly meets up with the three other Midlands team members from **Pioneers UK** for prayer, sharing and mutual encouragement. Recently, Hector has been suffering from gall-bladder attacks and is on a long waiting list for surgery. He cannot travel overseas until after the necessary operation. Helen works full-time for Operation Mobilisation.



Praise and Prayer Requests:

- Praise God for Hector’s What’sApp contact with six men in rural villages in the Itenez region of Bolivia and pray for Hector as he disciples them remotely while he is unable to travel. Please pray that the Lord gives these men and the rest of the churches’ members a focus on Him, and for them not to fall into legalism and prejudice.
- Please also pray for a man called Alexander who needs to be reconciled to his church and family after a period of dishonesty in his job, his married life and his faith. However, the Lord has recently touched his heart in a surprising way and he has responded with great results.
- Please pray for Hector to be able to help the men in the Filipino meat factory men grow in their faith.
- Please pray for Hector to have his surgery soon, and for God to continue to bless his work while he can’t travel.
- Praise God for the support and encouragement Hector receives from his Pioneers team.



Emerge Advocacy is a Christian, mental health charity specifically supporting young people aged 10 – 25 who find themselves in A&E because of self-harm, a suicide attempt or emotional crisis. The Emerge team aims to be a voice of

hope for these young people, supporting them in hospital and, after their discharge, in short term support in the community. The Emerge project at Frimley Park Hospital was launched by Beth Perkins in December 2020, and several members of St Peter’s are on the hospital volunteer support team.

Prayer Requests:

- Please pray that the 10 hour youth support worker role is filled with the right applicant soon, so that the teams can help more young people in crisis.
- Pray for a smooth move of Frimley’s children’s ward and for good communication when this happens so that the team know where to find the new ward.
- Pray for protection and peace for young people whose GCSE’S, A Levels and other exams are starting very soon.
- Pray for good connections with new young people arriving in follow up and for the right youth support workers to allocated to each one so that a good rapport is built quickly.

Speed Prayers: The first prayer point on each list is the priority prayer request this week.