

Update from Katy, January 1, 2021

Dear praying friends,

Warm greetings for the New Year. The past year has seen many changes and challenges and many blessings too. I look forward to the coming year with anticipation, thankful that we can trust the Lord to control and to guide.

My prayer requests for this month are a call to continue to pray for the same issues for which we have been praying in recent months:

Please continue to pray for the restoration of peace and order in Nigeria. Kidnappings and other attacks have continued. Pray that national government leaders will be forthcoming who will take active steps to promote justice and protect the rural communities who are under attack.

Cases of the new variant of the coronavirus has been recorded in Nigeria. Continue to pray for those involved in Bible translation in Nigeria, scattered in many different language areas, for security and good health.

After a break over the Christmas season, the three Mbembe translation teams resume work on January 4th. As Zoom interactions begin again, pray particularly for the Mbembe-Adun team as we review the translation of each book of the New Testament in preparation for a new edition. Pray for diligence, wisdom, skill in exegesis, and God's guidance in every decision

Here in the UK, the Queen's Christmas speech this year was a call to all of us to work together to help those in need in these difficult times, feeling for and helping others regardless of race or nationality or background. May 2021 indeed be a year of growing hope, healing, peace and unity worldwide.

Love and greetings to everyone! Praying for you too.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Katy". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

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