

Summer Update

Summer is in full swing and we are learning the rhythms of rest and preparation. As students are home, we rest from the fast pace of the student's schedule, but we anticipate their return and are preparing for this year's ministry.

Would you continue to pray for our staff team as we prepare ourselves for the next school year? Pray that we would have wisdom to plan well, and open hands for whatever God is desiring us to prepare for this year. Pray for our students who are at home experiencing home life that may be joyous or challenging at times. Pray that the Lord would continue to seek them and draw them closer to Him in this season.



Event Highlight: Kenya!

This weekend our region sent off a team to Nairobi, Kenya for the month of July! Staff from New York City are bringing 4 students from Penn State and Millersville University to join the Kenyan Navigators in their ministry. Just as our region held a discipleship program, so does the Kenyan Navigators for their college students. There will be an intensive training time over the next few weeks for Kenyan college students to study God's word, grow in spiritual disciplines, and fellowship with other believers. Our students will be joining them for this time and helping to lead Bible studies, workshops, and participate in the training as a whole. This is a unique opportunity for our students to not only grow in their walk with God, but to learn how to help others grow, and even better, other nations!

The team left the United States on Sunday, June 30th and has safely arrived in Nairobi. They plan to return at the beginning of August.

Would you pray for our team as they settle into their new home for the month? Pray that they would experience peace that surpasses understanding as they are stretched out of their comfort zone. Pray that they would grow in their walk with God and be blessed as they help others grow in their relationships with the Lord.

Student Highlight: Shannon



This week we dropped Shannon off at the Kenya trip leaders house in Brooklyn, New York to meet her team and fly to Nairobi! She is joining the trip leaders and 3 students from Penn State for this Kenya trip and is so excited for what God will do. Shannon is a rising senior studying Middle Level Math Education. She joined our ministry her freshman year when she found a community of people to be part of, and later accepted the Lord as her Savior. She has been growing in relationship with God the last three years, joined our leadership team this last year, and has taken leaps of faith by participating in our discipleship program last summer and now our Kenya trip this summer.

Shannon shared that she is particularly excited to meet the Kenyan people and learn from them this summer. She is desiring to learn from people in a different culture than her and is excited for this opportunity to do that. She knows that she will be placed out of her comfort zone and desires to learn to have peace and contentment in trying new and

uncomfortable things. We are so excited for this opportunity God has given her to grow and are excited to hear what she learns when she comes home!

Would you pray for Shannon as she settles in to this new culture in Kenya? Pray that being outside of her comfort zone will grow and stretch her to be more like Christ. Pray that her heart would grow in a love for the nations, just as God's heart is for the nations.

Scripture to Pray:

Some of our staff have prayed Isaiah 49:6 over our ministry for years now. We ask that you join us in praying that God would not only use our ministry to raise up those who already know Christ, or those who are in our midst at Millersville, but that He would expand our ministry to spread his Good News far beyond our reach!

"It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to bring back the preserved of Israel; I will make you as a light for the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth."

Would you pray that our ministry at Millersville would be part of God's plan to bring salvation to the end of the earth? Pray that our students and staff would have impact beyond what we can imagine, and that we would have a heart for the nations just as God calls us to.

Thank you so much for your prayers and support. -The Navigators at Millersville University