

Thirty Days of Thanks and Praise

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Day 1: We praise God that he made every person in his image and that all are precious to him. We praise God for his love and mercy in sending his son Jesus to pay for our sins on the cross, so we can have eternal life with Him.	Day 2: We praise God that despite opposition from Hindu extremists, churches are growing in India and people are hearing the truth about Jesus and coming to faith especially from Dalit and Tribal communities.	Day 3: We thank God for all the missionaries in India, ministering across six states, joyfully serving God and sharing the gospel in their villages, despite persecution and their own needs.	Day 4: We thank God for Bishop Kota and the leadership team in India, and the support they provide for pastors through regular conferences and pastoral care.	Day 5: We thank God for all our faithful supporters in the UK, who pray and who give financially, through practical donations and giving of themselves in many other ways.
Day 6: We praise God for shoebox gifts! For the blessing they are to the people who receive them and how they are seeds of God's love.	Day 7: We thank God for everyone in the UK who fills shoeboxes and everyone who helps to transport the boxes. For the teams overseas distributing shoeboxes who know their communities so well.	Day 8: We thank God for all our team in Ukraine, for the faithful leadership of Director Pastor Pasha and administrator Pastor Igor, and for all the church members and volunteers who serve with them.	Day 9: We thank God for the evangelism and outreach to villages in the Kyiv region of Ukraine and for the churches planted as a result of this at Klekhivka, Gvardiyske and Maryanivka.	Day 10: We thank God for the Prison Ministry in Odessa, Ukraine, for the dedicated pastors and volunteers, and for all the men and women who have given their lives to Christ through this ministry
Day 11: We thank God for our Trustees, their willingness to serve and pray, their support and their oversight of all that International Aid Trust does.	Day 12: We thank God for all our faithful office staff and volunteers, past and present, who have brought their time and skills to administration, finance and communication.	Day 13: We thank God for our New Hope School in Sierra Leone, providing a good education, nutritious lunches and a caring Christian environment for children for 11 years.	Day 14: We praise God for Pastor Michael and Alice's faithful and loving leadership of the ministry in Sierra Leone, for New Hope Church and for the evangelists reaching out to villages in a 95% Muslim region.	Day 15: We thank God for Emmanuel House Children's Home in Sierra Leone, providing a safe and loving home for children orphaned in the Ebola crisis. We also thank God for the church meeting at Emmanuel House.

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Day 16 We thank God for our warehouse staff and volunteers, past and present, including those from prisons and other rehabilitation programmes.	Day 17 We thank God for links with trusted Christian Churches and partners, like Prison Fellowship Romania, who we are able to send aid to, to support their ministry.	Day 18 We praise God for his perfect timing in getting the recent truck sent from Great Yarmouth to PFR in Transylvania, just after the devastating floods.	Day 19 We thank God for all the medical aid and equipment donated over the years, which has saved countless lives and for the projects this has helped: a new operating theatre in Nigeria and an eye hospital in Tanzania.	Day 20 We thank God for the ministry of Pastor Victor and teams in Moldova, reaching desperately poor villages and for all the aid, including clothing, bedding, shoebox gifts that we are able to send to support them.
Day 21 We give thanks for our Living Hope School in India, which has been providing a good Christian education to children from the Nandanavanam slum community for 10 years	Day 22 We give thanks for the Hands of Dorcas Tailoring Training centre in India, giving women and girls skills for life and returning their dignity in being able to earn a living.	Day 23 We thank God for the Christian children's homes in Ukraine, including House of Joy and Doraginka, which provide children with a loving and stable home environment.	Day 24 We praise God for all the children's summer camps that have taken place across Eastern Europe over the years, and for all the young people who have come to faith and are now involved in ministry.	Day 25 We praise God for the sponsored family programme, for the huge difference this has made to families living in poverty. We thank God for all sponsors and managers.
Day 26 We thank God for the Hands of Dorcas Tailoring Training in Sierra Leone, which is helping women, who rescued from the streets and desperate situations, to have hope and dignity and to earn an income.	Day 27 We thank God for Midwife Marion and Nurse Rebecca providing free clinics in poverty stricken villages in Sierra Leone and helping to reduce maternal mortality. Love immeasurable!	Day 28 We thank God for all our UK charity shop staff both past and present. For all their hard work and kindness and for the massive contribution the shops make to the ministry.	Day 29 We thank God for our CEO and founder Bernard, that 30 years ago God brought Bernard to faith, sent him to see the desperate need in the former Soviet Union and inspired him to start International Aid Trust!	Day 30 We praise God that through Jesus's loving sacrifice He has adopted us into his family, that He has good plans for all of us and can use us to grow His kingdom and reflect His love to our neighbours.