From Summer Zimmer, Communications Manager, New Tribes Mission

Robyn sent this out to some of the team here at Lapilo, so I thought it might be a good thing for you all to know to be praying for as well. They have a Junior trip to another area for a service project with 17 junior students that started today. It sounds like they'll be partnering with RVA- a boarding school for PNG students that some of our missionaries have started to grow PNG young adults as future leaders in the church:

First: PLEASE be continuing to PRAY for ALL of the MANY moving parts in order to see this trip a success.

*PLEASE specifically pray for each of the Juniors. That the Lord would be preparing their hearts and minds for challenging them individually in their personal faith journey during this time set aside to serve others and interact with children from a few of our Church Planting works!

It's hard to believe that they are beginning to wind down their Junior year and are beginning to contemplate what's beyond their Senior year.

As they begin to flex their wings...we continue to lift them before the Throne of Grace asking the Lord to lead and guide them. Even more, for them to be obedient to His Word and His leading!

* Chaperones:

Brian and Arlita Burnham

Doreen Fernando (Jeykumar)

Stacy Jex

Levi and Robyn Lenz

Jason and Nisae Williamson Jr Parents & RVA

Zack and Danni Bohler RVA

Bill and Kelley Housley RVA

Some specific PRAYER points 🙏 :

- 🌞 That all the details would fall in place, and we'd just be lead by the Lord and not our own agenda. 👐
- ★ Safety in all the transport (car, NTMA, MAF, Air Niugini) lots of moving parts!! ♣ 🍱 (Boat shuttles for island trip-Tuesday 14th) 🛁
- * Health: pray for everyone to stay safe from injury and illness, everyone to stay safe from injury and illness everyone to stay safe fro
- *Project: we're hoping to finish building a house, cement in a shower house, paint and get it ready for moving in.
- * Teamwork and unity!
- 🦊 Mutual encouragement with relationships built with RVA students and our teens. 👊
- * Endurance: to work our best in the heat and diligence in all tasks.
- personal Spiritual growth & challenge: the Theme is 'Forces of Nature', taken from various passages of Scripture to challenge our thoughts, words, behaviours, actions etc. Recognizing our choices have ability to bear fruit or have consequences. Primarily out of Ephesians, Romans, & Galatians.
- * Lastly, for an encouraging, uplifting time for ALL involved as our young men and young women serve the Lord by serving others alongside each other!!

Update 3/21/2023:

We just got back from an AMAZING week of serving the LORD with the Junior class of Numonohi Christian Academy where our children attend. We were blessed by being able to serve and interact with the Ramu Valley Academy students!

Our teens did AMAZING work! They completed a bath house, and painted inside and out of a new guest house for visiting family of the RVA students and church leaders, and pushed hard to finish the framework of a new dorm for future students!! This group worked so hard in the heat and did it with smiles and great attitudes!! We worked hard! We played hard! And hopefully we will ALL be recovered by the start up of school in another week!