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CHILDREN'S BIBLE MINISTRY IN GUANABACOA, CUBA: For more than 120 years, the Presbyterian Church in Guanabacoa has given faithful witness to the Good News and developed ministries unique to its context. The church's pastor, Rev. Yoelkis Sierra, discerned that there were many young children in the neighborhood whose families had no connection to the church. This vision became their "flagship" ministry, a vibrant Monday-Friday preschool program, lovingly and professionally overseen by Yoelkis's wife, Odilaisy. A program that is the first of its kind in Cuba, it unites a Bible-based curriculum with a government-provided syllabus for 40 two-to-four-year-olds. With its low teacher/student ratio of 1:8 and its reasonable cost of about \$10/month, there is a waiting list from this low-income community, most of whom have no Christian background, so the church welcomes them in to share its Good News.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Daniel Susenbach - Staff PAK7 in Pakistan	2 Linda Patrick - Staff Vulnerable Children's Fund	3 Powell Jones - Trustee CCAP Community Schools in Zambia	4 Ed Hurley - Trustee BLESSED School in Beirut, Lebanon
5 Berry Long - Trustee Holistic Evangelism in Tete Province	6 Jack Baca - Trustee Presbyterian Education Board, Pakistan	7 Mark Mueller - Staff Ukraine Appeal	8 Lisa Culpepper - Trustee Syria/Lebanon Partnership	9 Jeremy Churchill - Staff Sureste Presbyterian Theological in Mexico	10 Kate Castro - Staff Pars Theological Center	11 Chris Weichman - Trustee Rwanda Church Construction
12 Bob Fuller - Trustee Mexico Cistern Ministry with Todd Luke	13 Tom Boone - Staff Persian Diaspora Partnerships	14 Cindy Holman - Staff Namumu Orphanage Center in Zambia	15 Rick Wesley - Trustee Pakistan Christian Recording Ministries	16 Elizabeth Carter - Staff Near East School of Theology in Beirut, Lebanon	17 Kimmy Briggs - Trustee Clean Drinking Water in Kenya	18 Betsy Hunt - Trustee Together for the Family
19 LJ Jaworski - Trustee Presbyterian Children's Ministry in Rwanda	20 Lois Andrews - Trustee Iraq Partnership	21 Lucy Battle - Staff Bibles for New Christians	22 Nelson Bell - Trustee FJKM Ministries in Madagascar (Dan and Elizabeth Turk)	23 David Wood - Trustee Ukraine Evangelical Theological Seminary	24 Tom McDow - Trustee Bill and Bette Bryant Crisis Nursery in Zambia	25 Bob Crist - Trustee Presbyterian Church of East Africa (Lauren Scharstein)
26 Guy Griffith - Trustee PCEA Church Construction in Kenya	27 MEMORIAL DAY OFFICE CLOSED	28 Ralph Wheeler - Staff Home of Hope in Zimbabwe	29 Brian Stewart - Trustee Bethlehem Bible College	30 Wendell Hill - Trustee Mexico Partnership	31	

WE PRAY FOR THOSE ON THE FOLLOWING OUTREACH TRIP THIS MONTH:

4/30 – 5/9 – Poland with The College of Theology and Social Sciences and the “Healing the Healers” Retreat