

Nepal Leprosy Trust Prayer News July 2015



Here is the most up to date news from Nepal. Please continue to pray for this amazing team.

He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress; my God, in Him I will trust." Psalm 91:1-2

The situation in the area of Nepal affected by the earthquakes continues to be difficult as 1 or 2 aftershocks occur every day and the monsoon rains are beginning to make the roads, and life in general, more difficult to navigate. Heavy rain will loosen already unsettled ground on mountainsides, and is likely to cause more landslides than usual, with all the accompanying problems.

Our amazing earthquake relief teams from Lalgadh have now managed to deliver more than 150 tonnes of food and tarpaulins to over 4000 families in need, some of whom had received no other help until that point.

The current task is to deliver as many iron roofing sheets as possible to help families in particular need to construct better shelters. With the monsoon rains now settling in, this is very urgent.

Please Pray:

- For Kamal as he works with his local church in Kathmandu to provide shelters to the poorer communities in the south of the Kathmandu valley.
- For the safety of the teams going out from Lalgadh travelling on increasingly difficult roads to remote areas.
- For the victims of the earthquake as they continue to live under tarpaulin, some coping with the loss of family or friends, and surviving on intermittent food supplies.
- For the provision of enough galvanised iron shelters to provide more protection for the homeless.
- For those particularly traumatised by loss and perhaps injury. (One of the children that NLT sponsors lost 6 relatives when their house collapsed).
- For our senior managers as they guide NLT Nepal through these difficult times. There is so much need, and resources are so limited, and yet they need to do what they can.
- For the continuing day to day work at the centre at Lalgadh, and in the workshop in Kathmandu.
- For clear guidance as to how much our staff should contribute to the relief effort in terms of time and resources, and how to engage in the reconstruction phase after the monsoon.
- For those affected by leprosy that are experiencing many difficulties in their lives due to leprosy.

Please give thanks for the great news that Dr Krishna Lama's daughter Sophia has now graduated as a doctor and will probably be working at Lalgadh in due course. Also please give thanks for all the support that has come in to enable NLT to help with the relief work in the way that it has.

With all our grateful thanks the NLT UK team