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Neighbor to Nations

In the middle of a global crisis, you may feel like there's little you can do to help, but we can still be the people of God, lights shining in a dark season. Our Sending team wants to come alongside you with suggested ways to love near and far. Here's what you can do this week:

LOCAL

How You Can Pray

- Ask the Lord to lead you in how to care for your neighbors.
- Pray for those who have lost jobs or are struggling financially.
- Pray that God would use our church to show others that He is near.

What to Do

- If you or someone you know in our community is struggling with groceries or supplies, [let us know](#) so we can help.
- It's never been easier to share the gospel with others. Check out this simple and helpful [guide](#) that walks you through turning everyday conversations into spiritual ones.

GLOBAL

How You Can Pray

- Pray for the Farmers, missionaries in Japan:
 - *That God would open up divine appointments with their neighbors*
 - *That God would protect them and give them wisdom in this season*

- *That God would provide the support necessary to create gospel resources in Japan*
- *That God would save Mino, Amelia's classmate's mother*
- Pray for missionaries Shane and Allyson Smith:
 - *That the Lord would go before them as they prepare to move from Africa to Southeast Asia in July*
 - *That Allyson would be protected as she works as a nurse*

What to Do

- If you are able, consider supporting the Smiths as they go. They need \$2,500 per month, so no amount is too small. If you are interested in connecting with or supporting the Smiths, [contact Shane via email](#).
- Learn about India by visiting [Prayercast](#).
- Parents, watch [this video](#) with your kids, and then [click here](#) to learn more about the Hindu religious block. This resource contains activities, recipes, and a coloring page to get your kids involved in praying for the nations.
- Join us for [Storytime with a Missionary](#) on Sunday at 7 p.m.