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PRAYER POINTS – OCTOBER 2017

Dear praying friends,



The 25th of October is the birthday of Willan who is our oldest boy will be 18 and we cease to be his guardians as he attains his legal independence! He has been with us for some time now and it will be hard to see him leave. He has been allowed to stay with us until the end of the year. Willan is gifted and has studied hard both at school and at MFH and as a result he has won a scholarship to study engineering at the federal university in Recife, where he will have a place in student accommodation, and an expenses allowance of 150 pounds per month. Willian, however is still very young and insecure and has no family connections and will need our prayers during this

important transition time.

On the other hand, Vinicius aged 8 is the youngest member of MFH. He is showing considerable insecurity and his future is uncertain. During the month of September he and

his older brother went to stay with a family who were offering to adopt. The first attempt lasted only one day before he insisted in returning to MFH. A second attempt lasted longer, but despite careful monitoring during the whole time, he displayed constant aggression to his proposed adoption parents. Finally at the end of the month he returned to MFH. His older brother, on the other hand, has settled in well with the same proposed parents and will shortly be release by the authorities to join his new family.



Living Waters church continues to work with children and their families. This lady, a regular at church, having conquered an excessive alcohol problem is already a grandmother several times



over, has just become grandmother again, this time to triplets (identical girls).

The Youth Transform project at church also continues to grow with activities each night of the week. While the Youth services once a month continue to attract large numbers. However modern day life and attractions continue to make regular attendance difficult.

Family News. In the photo Siméa and grandson Mathew, in the background the Bilbao

tree, famous here for its width. Her work with World Vision continues to keep her very busy, with a major event at the end of this month.

Ian and John – Top photo

Prayer Topics:-

1] For the MFH team as they deal with the day today needs and difficulties of each boy

- 2] Planning and discerning Gods will for 2018
- 3] End of year finances, as we have to pay double wages in December
- 4] For Living Waters church leadership
- 5] That financial help to expand the Transform Project may be approved for 2018.

Many thanks to all who take part with us in this ministry may God Bless you all

Love

lan and Siméa

In October Brazil celebrates National Children's Day. A day which manages to extend itself to a week or more, during which schools take time off and more toys are sold than at Christmas! A hidden benefit for us is that many groups come forward to help organizations such as MFH with special moments and parties. Below are some phots of these moments



















