

Mission Partner prayer and update 17 May 2026

From the Finnies

Paula, from the Gathering Church in Firgrove, Cape Town reports that the Homework club is doing really well under Linda's tutorage. Several children who have to face challenging home situations are achieving much better grades academically, surprising their teachers at school.

The Gathering is truly not just a place where they come for academic help, but a safe place, a home where they can eat if they are hungry and receive basic toiletries and necessities and emotional support. The purchase of the new church building is progressing well. The title deeds should be registered by the end of May.



Please **pray** for:

- The children in the Homework club, for additional funds to help support their needs.
- Linda, the facilitator, who takes on the majority of the pastoral and emotional support as well as the schooling.
- The Finnies' health. The plates and screws in Paula's ankle will not be removed until 21 October and are causing some discomfort. Dean has a serious back problem and requires surgery. He is in a lot of pain, so please pray for healing.

As always, Paula & Dean thank you for your continued support and prayers, they truly value it.