

MISSION MOMENT: Sunday, August 2

When someone has a stable career they are less likely to move from their place of origin to seek work. That was the case for Eliezer Israel Cortez, a 24-year-old in Nicaragua, who participated in an entrepreneurial skills initiative supported by PWS&D and its partner, INPRHU. Previously, Eliezer repaired clothing with his mother, who taught him how to sew. However, he aspired to be more than a tailor, which pushed him to develop a strong branding strategy focused on personalization and quality. Today, at Israel Tailoring, he designs, makes and sells garments tailored to his customers' preferences. Participating in the entrepreneurial skills program transformed Eliezer's life. No longer at risk of migrating in search of work, he is now well-placed to earn an income from clothes of his own design.

DAILY PRAYERS

Sunday, August 2 We pray for clergy who are enjoying a time of spiritual renewal.

Monday, August 3 We pray for staff and campers at Camp Geddie in Merigomish, NS, as they learn and grow together in faith in a Christian camping community.

Tuesday, August 4 We pray for WMS members and the church and ask for God's guidance as we seek to love our neighbours as ourselves.

Wednesday, August 5 We pray for students of The Presbyterian College, Montreal who are serving in summer placements. May these be rewarding experiences for them and the communities that they serve.

Thursday, August 6 (Anniversary: 1945 Bombing of Hiroshima) We pray for peacemakers working for a world free of nuclear weapons.

Friday, August 7 We pray for the Rev. Dr. Mark Glanville as he leads the Centre for Missional Leadership team, including their Guder Retreat Program for ministers, in early August at St. Andrew's Hall.

Saturday, August 8 We pray that international young adults attending Collective, the PCC's youth conference, will be warmly welcomed, blessed by new friendships, and return home with a strong sense of our unity in Christ.