

1 BELA & ILDIKO DOBOS Word of Life Hungary, Hungary

Pray for the Word of Life Hungary "Family Day" (Open House) on May 1. Please pray that the Lord will work in the hearts of the people who attend.

2 AL & MARY MADELINE WHITTINGHILL

Ambassadors for Christ International, USA/Worldwide
Pray for Al as he returns to New York for the week of the National Day of Prayer and meeting with many of the Rochester churches as they have for the last two years. This year will be awesome, and there is a significant sense of expectancy.

May 2nd is National Day of Prayer – an American tradition older than America itself, dating back to the Second Continental Congress, before the Declaration of Independence.

3 BEVERLY MINOR

BICF Global Network, Austria

Pray as Beverly travels to Barcelona and other area Spanish cities, from the end of April through May 6 for concerts in churches, senior facilities, etc. Pray the Lord will do great things in Spain.

4 BRANDY BARD

Wycliffe Bible Translators, USA

Papua New Guinea is still so close to Brandy's heart after serving there for almost 10 years. The branch just had their biannual conference and ended by celebrating all the Scripture translations that have been completed in the past two years, including print and audio. Praise God that these people now have God's Word!

5 EDNER & DOMINIQUE JEANTY

Crossworld, Haiti

The UEBH (Union of Evangelical Baptists in Haiti) has a new president. Pray for Pastor Bilda, a dynamic young leader who considers Edner to be his "elder brother," as he mentored him in his youth and now promoted to this elevated position in their denomination. He has had a successful career as National Director of The Bible League and eight years as Vice President of the UEBH.

6 BENNETT & IDONG EKANDEM

North American Mission Board, USA

Idong will have surgery (Septal Myectomy) on June 5. If the myectomy is successful, there will be no need for a defibrillator.

7 N & L

Christar, Lebanon

Today, the Middle East, a land etched with history and resilience, faces ongoing struggles. From conflicts and displacement to economic hardship and religious persecution, peace and hope are more urgent than ever! Pray that the Church in the Arab World will remain steadfast amidst the rise of extremist groups and be a lighthouse and haven to those affected by the raging conflicts in the region. Please pray for the ministries that have remained and the people there.

ADVENTURES IN MISSIONS

May 19 | Noon | Lakeside Terrace
Guest Speakers: Ross & Roula Georgiou
Campus Crusade for Christ, New Zealand

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8 GREG & PAM SMITH

InStep International Inc., USA/Worldwide

Pray for Greg and Pam as they have a busy travel schedule through June, including InStep's 2024 Evangelism Vision – Hope for the Harvest. Greg will be speaking at the annual Hotel Equities' Leadership Conference in Orlando. Then Greg and Pam will travel to Costa Rica for ministry projects. Greg is leading a multi-ethnic Pastor's Conference in Portland, OR followed by a Church Planting Conference in Katmandu, Nepal.

9 FOTIS & MARY ROMEOS

AMG International, Greece

Pray for the Romeos as they minister at the Spring Conference during May 9-12. Then, during May 14-22 at Colorado Christian University, and May 19-27 with the AMG Leadership team.

10 STEPHEN MCCONNELL

Wycliffe Bible Translators, USA

Please pray for wisdom as Stephen and his team work to finish Bloom 5.7 for beta test release. Praise God Stephen discovered the bug issue in Bloom Pub Viewer which prohibited sound files from reliably playing consistently. Pray that users who encounter this bug are not discouraged.

11 VERAL BLAKE

Ambassadors for Christ International, West Indies

Praise God that this past Easter Sunday many first-time visitors attended their service and heard a powerful message on the transforming power of the resurrection. Two people received Christ. Pray for those who felt convicted but did not indicate a decision to embrace Jesus as Savior and Lord. Pray for successful ministering as Veral plans his 2024 preaching schedule.

12 DONNA FERCH

Friends in Action, USA/Bolivia

Ministry partners with Friends in Action are irreplaceable in their zeal for taking God's Word where it currently is not. Plans and work are underway for many renovations to the Training Center. Please pray that God will supply exceedingly to see long-held dreams become a reality.

13 HUGH & JOANNE ROBERSON

Cru, USA

Pray for Hugh and his leader and co-worker, Thang Pham, as to how they can best serve Cru City, and the diverse networks found in US cities and the world. Pray for Hugh's health as he continues to exercise and have a better diet. His medical team recommended a heart ablation for him. He will have that procedure in August.

14 D & C

Taiwan

Earthquakes are common in Taiwan, but when the earthquake hit the morning of April 3, it only took a few seconds to realize it was bigger than anything D & C had previously experienced. Their seventh-floor apartment shook intensely, while cabinets opened, and jars and plates fell and broke on the floor. Praise God they are safe and did not suffer any injuries.

15 R & B

TEAM, Africa

Pray for Ethan (R & B's son) as he applies for college and eventually makes a final decision. Pray that God would continually lead him in the path He would have him go.

16 JOSH & GINA BLOOMFIELD

Ambassadors for Christ International, Australia

Please pray that God will use Josh's new book, How to Start a Disciplemaking Movement, to see lives and communities transformed with the power of the Gospel of Jesus through activated believers and help grow the evangelistic thrust of local churches. It is available on Amazon.

17 PAUL & LOIS JENKS

AMG International, Asia/USA

Please pray for the Jenks' flights back to Thailand today. Also, during the last ten days of May, Lois will be approaching the US Embassy for a new passport and for the extension of her annual work permit and visa. Pray all goes smoothly and her visa is granted.

18 J & K

Africa Inland Mission, Central Africa

Pray for protection over Josiah's body as he manages to do life with extensive blood clots still in his legs and on blood thinners for the coming months. Pray for the family, too.

19 ROSS & ROULA GEORGIU

Campus Crusade for Christ, New Zealand

Please pray for the leadership Conference in Mexico in May. It is meant to be a time of ministry building connections and cooperation opportunities with leaders of different Mission Entities from around the world, as all have the vision and deep desire to build the Kingdom of God.

20 GARY & ESTHER SMITH

Ethnos360, Papua New Guinea

The leaders of national churches (29 of them) across the country have met together and made practical decisions to deepen their partnership with them.

21 JOHN & LOIS NORTH
Ambassadors for Christ International, Australia
Pray for their team gathering May 21-23 to set the vision for a movement of evangelism in Australia over the next four years. The outcomes will guide their team, their activities, and the spiritual fruit for several years. Pray that the mind of Christ will become clear through their discussions/workshops and the entire team will know where He is leading and how to get there.

22 ISAIAS & JUDITH CATORCE
TMS Global, Philippines
Please pray for increased funds for their ministry. They have much more to do with God in His work but have been struggling to provide resources for their monthly support. They prayerfully believe that God will open heaven's door and pour out blessings for His work.

23 OLI & JUDY JACOBSEN
Ethnos360, USA/Asia
Pray for Oli's preparation for upcoming speaking opportunities, both in the Faroes and in the US, as well as for their global mission family. Pray that the Leadership Forum will be a time of both encouragement but also a time of sharpening their leadership skills.

24 RICK & ELISABETH ARNOLD
Pioneers, Inc., West Africa
Pray for the newly elected president in the Arnold's ministry country to seek wisdom from Jesus. The new president has pledged to weed out corruption, restore stability and prioritize economic sovereignty. The biggest challenge will be to address the more than 20 percent unemployment rate.

25 LINDA SUMMER
The Agape Puppets, USA/Worldwide
There are many churches in Northern Ireland, and they have good theology, but it often does not translate into an enthusiasm for evangelism. Pray that God makes the believers restless so that they will desire to get outside of their church buildings and tell the lost, dying world that there is hope.

26 ROBERT & LARA VITTER
Adventive Cross Cultural Initiatives, Italy/USA
The Vitters have a special ministry opportunity to help a young man (Gabriele) renovate his home and get it cleaned so he can use it as an Airbnb. It is a small place, but the Vitters can stay there for the summer while they help with camps and wait for their immigration appointment in August. Robert is mentoring Gabriele, who lost his mother at age 15, and inherited this home.

27 DIANE HARRINGTON
e3 Partners Ministry, USA
A special blessing for Diane and her ministry partner, Judy, is working with Angel, who came to know the Lord several years ago. He faithfully ministers to the men in the jail's Spiritual Dorm even though he is quite busy as editor-in-chief of a free monthly Christian magazine called, iCareCommunity. Although he lost his dear wife in March, he writes a monthly column rich with truth, pointing to the hope and joy found in a personal relationship with Jesus.

28 DAVE "TEG" & MIKKEL TEGELAAR
Cru/Athletes in Action, USA
This semester Mikkel has jumped in with some intentional ministry trips to support their students. Along with Jess (FCA Staff at UT), the two have been doing a deep dive, learning how to observe a Jude Bible Study by Jackie Hill Perry. On Tuesdays over lunch, seven of them are learning how to study and dissect a few verses each week. Pray for deeper learning and understanding.

29 ANDREW & ALECIA TEEUWEN
Pioneers, Inc., Greece
Pray that the Lord will lead Andrew & Alecia to a venue for their regional conference next spring and guide them in planning it.

30 GARY & PENNY SEITHEL
United World Mission, England
I GOT SHOES has partnered with Jubilee for the past four years, and they are now developing ways to build their own resources. It is exciting to see their growing initiatives and continued trust for God to meet every need.

31 GRACIELA GUERRERO
Source of Light, USA/Worldwide
Pray that the ministry to three churches in Salta, Argentina will bear much fruit.

"THEREFORE, MY BELOVED BRETHREN, BE STEADFAST, IMMOVABLE, ALWAYS ABOUNDING IN THE WORK OF THE LORD, KNOWING THAT YOUR TOIL IS NOT IN VAIN IN THE LORD."

I CORINTHIANS 15:58 NASB

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