

Prayer for Our International Workers (Summer 2018)

Use these written prayers, one each for 28 days, to guide you as you pray for our international and local workers.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Lord, may they daily walk in the power of Your Spirit. (Ephesians 5:18)	Open doors and hearts to receive the gospel as they minister in their place of service.	Give them Your heart for serving others. (Philippians 2:5-10)	Father God, glorify Yourself through their ministry. (2 Thessalonians 3:1)	Lord, deliver them from any loneliness or frustration they may feel.	Help them to not grow weary in ministering to the people. (Hebrews 12:13)	Lord, strengthen their marriage in the midst of the pressure and stresses of their lives. (2 Corinthians 12:9)
Fill them with Your joy in all situations; may it be what sustains them. (Nehemiah 8:10)	Jesus, enable them to see people and things from Your perspective. (Proverbs 3:5)	Give them a renewed and growing zeal to share the gospel with unbelievers. (Romans 1:15-16)	Lord, create a thankful heart in them especially in times of difficulty. (Ephesians 5:20)	Lord God, raise up prayer partners for them. (1 Thessalonians 5:24)	Transform them by the renewing of their mind. (Romans 12:2)	Give them speech full of grace, godliness and wisdom so they know how to answer/respond to the lost.
God, may they live and labor each day for Your glory. (1 Corinthians 10:31)	Make them bold and fearless in their witness of Your Son. (Proverbs 28:1)	Enable them to adapt to the people and the culture where they are serving.	Lord, grant the finances they need for their life and ministry. (Philippians 4:19)	Give them wisdom to share and defend Your Word. (Romans 10:14-17)	Let Your peace guard their heart and mind. (Philippians 4:6-10)	God, cause Your grace to abound toward them in the midst of any hardship that they face.
Bless them with good relationships with local people.	Give them power from Your Holy Spirit to witness for You wherever they go. (Acts 1:8)	Raise up strong believers around them to encourage them in the tasks You have given to them.	Lord, give their children opportunities to minister in their daily situations. (Matthew 20:28)	May they shine as a light in the world, holding fast the word of life. (Philippians 2:14-16)	Sustain them so they won't grow weary in sharing the gospel. (Galatians 6:9)	Lord God, cause their ministry to be exceedingly fruitful.

Please review our website for updates on our workers and their specific prayer requests.

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Salem Alliance International and Local Workers

Praying for Missions

❶ Pray for open doors.

"Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message..." Colossians 4:2,3 NIV

- Pray that God will lead missionaries through the barriers to find hearts prepared to receive His Word.
- Pray that the Lord will open doors of ministry, blessing partnerships and friendships.
- Pray that those who serve will be led by the Holy Spirit and recognize these opportunities.

❷ Pray for boldness in witnessing.

"Pray also for me, that whenever I open my mouth, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel." Ephesians 6:19 NIV

- Minister effectively in other cultures and languages.
- Overcome the opposition of evil forces.
- Overcome the fear of embarrassment and fear of failure.

❸ Pray that the Word of God will spread without hindrance.

"Finally, dear brothers and sisters, I ask you to pray for us. Pray first that the Lord's message will spread rapidly and be honored wherever it goes..." 2 Thessalonians 3:1 NLT

Obstacles must be removed if the Word of God is to flow freely. Remember that the struggle is against spiritual forces which can attack in any area. Ephesians 6:10-18

❹ Pray for protection.

"Pray, too, that we will be saved from wicked and evil people, for not everyone believes in the Lord." 2 Thessalonians 3:2 NLT

- Pray that God will keep the Christian workers safe from those who might seek to harm them.
- Pray that God will change the hearts of those who are resistant to His Word and those who share the gospel.

❺ Pray that their ministry will be accepted by believers.

"Pray...that my service in Jerusalem will be acceptable to the saints there."

(Romans 15:31 NIV).

- Cooperation and partnership are essential to ministry and vital to the progress of the work. Pray that the missionary's ministry and attitudes will be worthy of acceptance and that fellow colleagues and believers will be supportive.

❻ Pray for God's guidance and assistance in travel.

"Pray...so that by God's will I may come to you with joy." (Romans 15:32 NIV)

- Many missionaries travel frequently and the mode of transportation varies. Traveling often involves stressful situations. Pray for the protection, provision, timing and permission needed by missionaries as they travel.

❼ Pray for refreshment.

"Pray that...I together with you may be refreshed." (Romans 15:32 NIV)

- Pray that missionaries will seek and receive refreshment from the Holy Spirit.
- Pray that they will be disciplined in and rewarded through the study of God's Word and through faithful prayer.
- Pray that they will experience rich, spiritual fellowship with other believers.

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