



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
This month's prayer calendar is sponsored by: Evonne Showalter		1 Pray that those participating in a Coaching Training, hosted by VMissions and Virginia Mennonite Conference today and tomorrow, will learn effective methods to build purposeful and focused coaching relationships.	2 Jaden Hostetter will be serving in Quito, Ecuador. Pray for him as he prepares to go and for good progress with his fundraising. Pray that he will be bold and effective as he takes this next step in his life.	3 Dini and Klementina Shahini serve at Lezha Academic Center (LAC) in Albania. Pray for Klementina as she travels in the U.S. tomorrow through October 20 to fundraise for LAC.	4 As Jason Wagner celebrates his birthday today in Harrisonburg, pray that he will find the right partners for a mentorship program connecting trained mentors to those released from jail as they re-enter the community.	5 Steve Campbell, who serves in Montenegro, is taking two courses this semester. Pray for good time management as he balances these with other regular responsibilities with ministry, church, and his family.
6 Lift up Lee and Peg Martin as they move beyond their intense summer schedule. Pray for the several fall work groups that they will host through SWAP (Sharing with Appalachian People) in West Virginia.	7 Matthew and Rachel Cordella-Bontrager are fundraising to serve in Kosovo. Lift up Rachel as she takes classes at Rosedale Bible College, and pray that they will prepare her with useful knowledge and skills to use in Kosovo.	8 Lift up VMissions staff members Abe Hartzler, Aaron Kauffman, and Steve Leaman as they attend the Everence Development Conference today through Thursday and become aware of the latest fundraising trends.	9 Lift up tranSender Kyle Glenn as he serves in college ministry at Bridgewater College in Virginia. Pray that deep relationships will be formed between the students participating in the Bible studies he leads.	10 Every Friday, the church that Steve and Bethany Horst attend meets with one believer in Baan Non Kok village in Thailand. Pray that this believer will gain a vision for how God can use her to reach out to her neighbors.	11 For the past year, tranSender Renee Beachy has been serving at Nazareth Village in Israel. Ask for safe travels as she travels home to the U.S. today. Pray for her during this time of transition.	12 Pray for wisdom for Rafael Tartari as he serves as lead pastor at the Mennonite church in Lezhë, Albania, and as he relates to many different kinds of people in the congregation and engages in multiple ministries.
13 Pray for wisdom and humility for Elena Buckwalter de Satalaya, and her husband, Freddy, as they work with different groups in their church and ministry in Iquitos, Peru.	14 Today through Friday, Steve Campbell will participate in a retreat with Freedom in Christ ministries in Albania. Pray that they retreat will go well, and that Laura and their girls will do well in Montenegro while Steve's away.	15 Mark and Sarah Schoenhals are helping Life Enrichment Church in Thailand walk through a restructuring process. Pray for wisdom and that conversations will facilitate greater effectiveness in ministry.	16 Pray for the door to open for inmates at Rockingham-Harrisonburg Regional Jail, where Jason Wagner serves as chaplain, to go to The Bridge Ministry, an alternative to prison that provides skills the men need to succeed in life.	17 Pray for tranSender Rachel Yoder and her three housemates in Harrisonburg, Va., as they strive to develop a sustainable and replicable missional spiritual family that creates whole-life disciples of Jesus Christ.	18 Yugo and Grace are in the U.S. for a home assignment. Pray that this will be a time of celebration, rest, grace, beauty, and joy. Pray for their team back in Southeast Asia as they continue in their work without Yugo and Grace.	19 Pray for persons who have heard the gospel through Italy tranSenders Fabrizio and Ilaria Perfetti, through a recent evangelistic outreach or through other encounters. Ask for protection of the planted seed.
20 Pray for Brent and Alisha Justice, who served in Uganda, as they continue transitioning back to life in the U.S. Ask for good health for Alisha, and pray that the birth of their baby next month will go smoothly.	21 Vince and LaVonne Ramella run Lady Latte, a coffee shop for women in Kosovo. Lift up the customers of Lady Latte and pray that they will experience the love of Christ in a new way this month.	22 Ask God to open doors for Steve and Bethany Horst and the church that they attend to connect with more people in Baan Non Kok village in Thailand. Pray that God will plant a house church in Baan Non Kok.	23 As Shawn Green celebrates his birthday today in Italy, pray for him as he leads a Bible study group, which has new members, and disciples new believers. Pray that God will be glorified as these believers learn together.	24 Lift up tranSender Kyle Glenn as he serves in college ministry. Pray that student leaders will emerge and desire to become part of this ministry. Pray that lives will be transformed by the gospel on a daily basis.	25 Ask God to continue providing resources, including craft supplies and food, for Freddy and Elena Satalaya, to give to the kids where they work in Iquitos, Peru. Pray for continued healthy relationships with these kids.	26 As M. W. celebrates her birthday today in Central Asia, pray for her and her husband, J. W., as this is a season filled with many responsibilities. Pray that they will find times to rest and connect with each other.
27 Lee and Peg Martin serve with SWAP (Sharing with Appalachian People). Pray for them as they settle in their new neighborhood in Kimball, W.Va. Ask for open doors for relationships where God's love is shared and received.	28 Pray for those ministering to the children and youth of Life Enrichment Church in Thailand. Ask for financial provision to complete the construction of a building that will be used for children and youth ministries.	29 Matthew Cordella-Bontrager teaches at Rosedale Bible College. Pray that his teaching will bless the students and that the teaching skills he is developing will bless Kosovars in the future, when he begins his assignment.	30 As J. W. celebrates his birthday today in Central Asia, pray that work relationships will give opportunities for faith sharing and discipleship. Pray for maturity and unity among Christian believers.	31 Pray that the events taking place this weekend to celebrate VMissions' Centennial will truly bring glory to God and inspire a new generation to participate in sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ with neighbors near and far.	"The Lord is my light and my salvation— whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life— of whom shall I be afraid?" <i>Psalms 27:1 (NIV)</i>	