



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>This month's prayer calendar is sponsored by:</p> <p>Bob and Rosalie Eshleman in memory of their son Lee Eshleman</p>			<p>For the righteous will never be moved; they will be remembered forever. They are not afraid of evil tidings; their hearts are firm, secure in the Lord. Their hearts are steady, they will not be afraid; in the end they will look in triumph on their foes. They have distributed freely, they have given to the poor; their righteousness endures forever; their horn is exalted in honor. The wicked see it and are angry; they gnash their teeth and melt away; the desire of the wicked comes to nothing.</p> <p><i>Psalm 112: 6-10 (NRSV)</i></p>		<p>The newest tranSend class is beginning their training this month, meeting together weekly online. Pray that this new format will go smoothly and that the class will enjoy connecting with each other throughout the year.</p>	
<p>2 A small summer staff crew has been working with Lee and Peg Martin in Kimball, W.Va., through SWAP (Sharing with Appalachian People). Pray for continued stamina in the heat, safety in their work, and that Christ's love will be known.</p>	<p>3 The Schoenhals' planned return to Thailand is being delayed due to COVID-19. They tentatively hope to return August 18. Pray that they can remain peaceful in trusting God's timing for their return and the related details.</p>	<p>4 Tomorrow, Raleigh and Opal* are leaving North Africa to return to the U.S. for an indefinite period of time. Ask for safe travels and pray for their family during this time of transition. (*pseudonyms)</p>	<p>5 Laura Green is celebrating her birthday on Friday in Italy. The church that her family is part of is meeting outdoors, weather permitting. Pray for no rain during services. Pray for a new building or other options for colder weather.</p>	<p>6 As Rebekka Stutzman celebrates her birthday today, pray that the persons in Germany that have reached out to her and her husband David during the pandemic will experience God's love, grace, and mercy.</p>	<p>7 As Solange Tartari celebrates her birthday today, pray for her and her family as they await open doors to return to Albania from Brazil. Pray for the work of discipleship that she is doing with several new believers.</p>	<p>8 As Laura Campbell celebrates her birthday today in Montenegro, pray for the relationships that her family has been developing with neighbors during COVID-19 lockdowns. Pray that their conversations will be fruitful.</p>
<p>9 Pray for discernment for tranSender D.J. Mitchell in moving forward with his ministry, Healing Refuge Fellowship. The group has been meeting over Zoom. Pray for guidance for D.J. as he considers other meeting formats.</p>	<p>10 Dini and Klementina Shahini are both fully engaged this summer with the Mennonite church in Lezhë, Albania. Pray for health as well as wisdom and love as they continue to share the good news with others in Lezhë.</p>	<p>11 Pray for Dan and Mary Hess as they continue to fundraise while in the U.S. Pray that in the midst of the pandemic, they will be able to return to Albania soon. They are trusting in the Lord's faithfulness and timing.</p>	<p>12 Pray for God's will to be done in regards to Steve and Bethany Horst's family returning to Thailand. Pray that God will open the way to return at the right time, and that they will be kept in peace until that time.</p>	<p>13 Norma Teles, who is currently in Brazil, serves among the Roma community in Albania. Ask the Lord to enlighten the Roma community's minds to God's truth and to open their hearts and minds to Christ.</p>	<p>14 Pray for the Annual General Meeting of the Mennonite Church of Trinidad and Tobago that will take place tomorrow as they reflect on the past year and seek God's direction for the next year.</p>	<p>15 As Veronica Sanchez celebrates her birthday today in Waynesboro, Va., pray for wisdom for her and her husband Armando as their church plant, Shalom Church, has begun meeting in person again for services and Bible studies.</p>
<p>16 J. W. works with a programming business in Central Asia. Pray for others to step into leadership. Also, as several young adults will be starting a two-year internship next month, pray that the final details will be worked out.</p>	<p>17 Pray for churches in the Shenandoah Valley with Kids Club programs to be faithful in this important witness, sharing in accessible but not watered-down ways. Pray for wisdom in planning during the pandemic.</p>	<p>18 Pray for patience and endurance for believers at the Rockingham-Harrisonburg Regional Jail, where Jason Wagner serves as chaplain, who are without church services and Bible studies at this time.</p>	<p>19 Ask God to guide Michael H. and other Immerse International staff in Millersville, PA as they continue to steward the property and ministry for God's Kingdom purposes. Ask for creativity and wisdom amidst COVID-19 realities.</p>	<p>20 TranSender Hannah Shultz is serving in music ministry among churches around Harrisonburg, Va. Pray that God will give her the words to fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel.</p>	<p>21 Pray for energy and creativity for Alfonso Alvarado and his wife Milagro as they continue to minister to and engage their congregation, Iglesia Menonita Monte Moriah, over Zoom during several meetings throughout the week.</p>	<p>22 TranSender Lydia Musselman is coordinating ministries for college students in Harrisonburg, Va. Pray for her as she builds relationships with her housemates and other college students this coming school year.</p>
<p>23 Pray for opportunities for Yugo and Grace in Southeast Asia to share about the hope that they have in Jesus, especially during these uncertain times. Pray for real guidance of the Holy Spirit, and ears to hear.</p>	<p>24 Jacob and Hosanna enjoy getting to know people in their neighborhood in South Asia. Pray that despite masks that limit the ease of interacting, the love of God will flow out of them.</p>	<p>25 Pray for tranSenders Victoria Barnes and Nik Tucker who are serving in college ministry at Eastern Mennonite University where classes start today, leading Bible studies and small groups and mentoring campus ministry leaders.</p>	<p>26 Today is the first day of classes at James Madison University. Lift up tranSenders Bryce Bouldin and Gabby Thorne, who are serving in college ministry at JMU, focusing on identifying and mentoring leaders for campus ministry.</p>	<p>27 Pray for the different discipleship groups that Juan José Lagos and his wife Cecilia are leading in Winston-Salem, NC. Pray for spiritual growth of the new believers who are attending these groups.</p>	<p>28 Karen Yoder is joining the VMissions staff as Ministry Support Coach and Global Assistant. Pray for her as she gets to know staff, workers, and Ministry Support Teams and becomes familiar with her new roles.</p>	<p>29 Pray for Kendra Yoder, who is celebrating her birthday today, as she begins her new role as a part-time church planter along with her husband Tyler in Richmond, Va. Pray for fruit through her gift of making new friends.</p>
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