	Mission Prayer Calendar Virginia Mennonite Missions
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March 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
·	The Horst and Schoenhals families are working through the very detailed processes involved in returning to Thailand. Pray that all of the many details will fall into place, in the needed order and timing.	Juan José Lagos, church planter with Iglesia Renuevo in Winston-Salem, N.C., requests prayer as he faces some complications from cataract surgery, and for his overall health.	TranSender Lydia Musselman is leading a group of ladies through Daughters of Grace: A Study on the Women in the Bible in Harrisonburg, Va. Pray for good discussions and deepened relationships through this Bible study.	Lift up the Executive Council of the Mennonite Church of Trinidad & Tobago in prayer as they seek God's direction for the future of the Diego Martin congregation, which was established by earlier missionaries of VMMissions.	Pray for boldness in sharing for Jacob and Hosanna and local believers in South Asia. Several recent baptisms have been encouraging, and they want to press on in seeing more hear the good news.	Lift up a womens' evangelical outreach event happening to-day by women from the church that Steve and Laura Campbell serve with in Montenegro. Pray that those who are not yet followers of Jesus will watch the program with those in the church at their homes.
Ask God to enrich the ministry of church planter Alfonso Alvarado and his wife Milagro, serving with Iglesia Menonita Monte Moriah in Lacey Spring, Va. Pray for good health, open doors, and fruitful ministry.	Pray for Dave and Rebekka Stutzman's leadership of a cafe ministry to families in Mannheim, Germany, and for the Spirit's leading as they envision other avenues for equipping a new generation of church planting leaders.	Lift up the three moms who help Grace and Yugo teach at the House of Hope preschool in Southeast Asia. Pray for good conversations about faith and that the Lord will work in their hearts and lives.	Pray for the plans and logistics of Raleigh and Opal* to return to North Africa in early March. Pray also for the family's return to relationships in their neighborhood and with teammates, and for long-term employment that will provide a visa. (*pseudonymns)	In Italy, Shawn Green provides technical support to a ministry of online Christian programming. Pray that this content will be a source of encouragement and hope for believers and seekers as another spike in COVID illnesses has hit the region.	Pray for Michael and Ruth as they relate to international students and equip others for crossing barriers with God's love. Ask God for more opportunities for them to equip congregations and workers for fruitful ministry in prayer.	Ask the Spirit to guide the leadership transition of the international school in Central Asia where J.W. was director until last month, and for rest and reflection for J. as he gives more focus and energy to other areas of ministry.
Hannah Shultz asks for prayer for deeper connections with parents so they feel united in purpose and a part of her music and discipleship ministry in Harrisonburg, Va. Praise God for the joy and excitement about God's love that children are sharing with others.	As Jaden Hostetter transitions to a new living situation, pray that he will be able to maintain close connections with his church community and the extended family that he has been a part of since arriving in Quito, Ecuador.	As Dan and Mary Hess celebrate their anniversary today in Albania, ask the Lord to bless and enrich their partnership in life and ministry as they serve out God's call in the cities of Lezhë and Milot.	Steve Horst and Bethany Tobin, workers in Nam Yuen, Thailand, heard that one of the elderly new believers there has been sharing his faith and hope in Christ with his neigh- bors. Pray that God will lead more persons in his village to come to faith.	Pray for the young adults who are part of a discipleship cohort that David Stutzman co-leads in Mannheim, Germany, that they would continue to encounter and walk with Jesus in deepening ways.	Join Jacob and Hosanna in asking God for a videographer to join their team in South Asia. Also pray for grace and perseverance as they extend their term an additional six months in light of travel restrictions.	Lift up tranSenders Victoria Barnes, Bryce Bouldin, Gabrielle Thorne, and Nik Tucker as they serve in local college ministry. Pray for an outpouring of God's Spirit among students to share their faith in boldness with others.
Tomorrow, church planter Mike Metzler celebrates his birthday in Harrisonburg, Va. Ask God to bless and multiply the fruit of Mosaic of Grace, the church that he and his wife Risha have planted.	Today, Ruth Hershey celebrates her birthday. She and her husband Michael serve with Immerse International, a Christian language school in in Millersville, Pa. Ask God for open doors for her ministry to expand as the Lord leads.	Pray for the ministry of Jason Wagner, chaplain at Rockingham-Harrisonburg Regional Jail, and the men he ministers to, both inside the jail and after their release. Ask God to strengthen healthy support networks for these men.	Pray for the continuing work of the language school in Central Asia where J. and M. W. serve, and for J. and M. as they discern next steps in their ministry settings.	Lift up Armando and Veronica Sanchez, church planters with Iglesia Shalom in Waynesboro, Va., as they share the love of Jesus among Spanish-speaking neighbors and invite them to faith.	Lee and Peg Martin anticipate hosting groups again to make repairs on SWAP (Sharing With Appalachian People) facilities begin- ning in June. Pray that more people might be able to join the several groups who have registered so far.	Pray for a young woman who is making tentative steps to learn more about God in Mu Baan Nam Yuen, Thailand, where the Horst and Schoenhals families serve. Ask God to raise up a healthy self-sustaining house church in that location.
As Raleigh and Opal* celebrate their anniversary today, ask the Lord to deepen their love for God and each other, and enrich their min- istry as they return to North Africa. (*pseudonymns)	Lift up Seth and Theresa Crissman as they help churches in the Shenandoah Valley give and receive the good news in their neighbor- hoods through Kids Club.	Lift up Tyler Yoder as he celebrates his birthday today in Richmond, Va., where he serves with his wife Kendra as church planters with Garden City Church. Pray for this new church community as it continues to navigate changes due to the pandemic.	Lift up workers Grace and Yugo, the teaching team and students at House of Hope, especially with the ongoing economic and educational pressures on the community brought by the pandemic in Southeast Asia.	for your welfare hope. Then when y will hear you. Whe seek me with all yo	the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans and not for harm, to give you a future with you call upon me and come and pray to me, I en you search for me, you will find me; if you bur heart, I will let you find me, says the Lord. **Jeremiah 29:11-13a (NRSV)	