



2023 Advent Prayer Journey – Week 1 Prayer Guide

Sunday, December 3rd – Papua New Guinea

- Pray for CCCU Missionaries Scott and Noel Hardaway who serve in Papua New Guinea.
- In Papua New Guinea, very little training and resources are available to equip and empower pastors to lead their churches. Christian Union Bible College exists to meet the needs of PNG national pastors to effectively communicate the gospel and lead their churches to transform their communities for the glory of God.
- Pray for Scott and Noel as they equip national pastors and their families to build up the church in PNG where quality teaching and instruction are so desperately needed.

Monday, December 4th – Bolivia

- Pray for CCCU Missionaries Mike and Donna Brown who serve in Bolivia. Mike is currently serving as a professor at Berea Bible Seminary and board member at Bolivian Evangelical University.
- Pray for Spanish-speaking Bible and ministry professors who will serve at Berea Bible Seminary. These professors will help prepare the next generation of church leaders in Bolivia.
- Berea Bible Seminary trains pastors and church leaders in Bolivia for Christian service, preparing them for a variety of ministries within World Gospel Church in Bolivia. With the help and knowledge of seminary graduates, the national church has grown to more than 160 congregations throughout Bolivia.
- The school offers three degrees, including a certificate in Bible, a diploma in theology, and a *licenciatura* (bachelor's degree) in theology/pastoral ministries.

Tuesday, December 5th – Paraguay

- Pray for CCCU Missionaries Mark and Susana Bev Donahue who serve in Paraguay.
- Paraguay has an established national church but is in need of workers who will move into new, unreached areas to plant churches.
- Pray for three church planters to evangelize, disciple, and incorporate new believers into local congregations that will be part of the national church in Paraguay.

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Wednesday, December 6th – Papua New Guinea

- Pray for CCCU Missionaries Benji and Erica Jenkins who serve as Area Team leaders for Papua New Guinea, Cambodia, and Southeast Asia.
- Pray that God would call an individual (or team) to serve as a Community Health Evangelism (CHE) facilitator.
- CCCU missionaries work in the areas of the country that are the least developed, with people living in remote village settings without close access to health care in many cases. A community health team would work alongside the national church's health services to provide health and Bible training to the people in these villages.

Thursday, December 7th – Texas-Mexico Border

- Pray for CCCU Missionaries John & Priscilla Kunkle who serve on the Texas-Mexico Border.
- A sports ministries leader is needed to minister to the families served through the Taylor Community Center (TCC) in McAllen, Texas.
- TCC offers quality training through the Soccer Lions Academy to children between the ages of four and twelve. Men and youth gather to play soccer on the TCC field, bringing opportunities for competition, relationship building, and sharing the Gospel.
- Youth and adult basketball and volleyball teams use the TCC gym weekly. There is great interest in both basketball and volleyball training in the Rio Grande Valley.
- Pray for a new missionary who can organize basketball camps, volleyball camps, and other athletic activities that focus on evangelism and discipleship.

Friday, December 8th – Creative Access Areas

- Pray for workers serving in Creative Access Areas.
- Pray for God to bless believers as they act with great courage to share Christ with men, women, and children.
- Pray for physical safety, financial provision, and wisdom in reaching out to their neighbors.
- Ask God to send more workers into the harvest field of the Middle East.

Saturday, December 9th – Spain

- Pray for CCCU Missionary Jake Routzahn who has been appointed to serve in Spain.
- Jake will minister to North African immigrants who have settled in Spain through language classes, after-school programs, and other helpful services that will serve as a basis for sharing the Gospel.
- Pray for Jake as he develops his prayer and financial support team.

Please join us in praying that the Advent Offering will reach the \$85,000 goal so that we can send the Light to those who are living in darkness!