# GlobalDALY MONTHLY PRAYER CALENDAR of Central Heights Church Missionaries SEPTEMBER 2024 cent



SEPT 1

#### **BACK TO SCHOOL!**

As school begins we have students, teachers and support staff heading back - and they need our prayers. Please pray:

FOR STUDENTS (Preschool through University) - Pray for their safety and growth as well as for their influence and witness.

FOR TEACHERS - Pray that our teachers will find creative ways to love, serve and point others to Christ during this school year. Pray for patience, strength, and joy in their role.

FOR ADMINISTRATORS & SUPPORT STAFF - Pray that God would use them to love, encourage and point those they come into contact with toward Christ and his love.



**A&K**Restricted Access Country

At the end of June we left our home & community of 7 years in Nepal. Moving countries with our 2 year old Jonathan and I (Karlee) in 3rd trimester has had its challenges. But, we are happy to be settling into our new



home in India. We just completed our first Discipleship School, that we started back in January, and were able to graduate 15 students upon their return from outreach. After a short stint in their local hometowns 6-8 of them plan to come back to do full time work with our pioneering Y team. That work being Bible Translation, Women's Ministry, and more Discipleship Training Schools. Furthermore, we will be welcoming baby boy #2 this month! Please be praying for a healthy and smooth birth in India.

#### **Ricky & Karen Sanchez** YWAM - Thailand sierrasanchez@hotmail.com

Praise God for the team of 25 Global Sports in Asia that we brought to Philippines, Cambodia and Thailand, and Joseph Thoutenhoofd from CHC, and 324 people that gave their lives to



Christ! Please pray for follow up with the new believers, and for them to plug into churches. Pray for churches, pastors and ministries we partner with in these 3 nations and ask for God to ignite a fire in the lives of believers here to reach their friends with the Good News! Pray for Daa and Meena, 2 women who are close to accepting Christ right now.

SEPT 4



**Greg & Becky Ouellette**Multiply - Abbotsford
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SEPT 5



S&C

SEPT 6

**Ruth Maxwell**SIM - Abbotsford
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Thank you for praying for my Thailand trip. I was very aware of God's activity in the connections, conversations, and workshops. The workshops were well received. With



multiple cultures present and translation into Thai, this was an answer to prayer. Conversations with individuals were fruitful. Pray for follow-up conversations. Flight connections were challenging given the Westjet strike, but for a reasonable price I changed my ticket, canceled part of my trip and arrived 2 days earlier into Thailand. I landed back in Vancouver just hours ahead of the computer update glitch that grounded flights globally.

Now I'm enjoying a few weeks back in Abbotsford and looking ahead to a trip to the southern States and the UK in Sept and early Oct.

#### **Richard & Becky Szmutko** P2C Films - Abbotsford richard.szmutko@p2c.com

"I didn't want to die, but I didn't want to live either". When I heard these words from Olivia Lundman, an olympic athlete, I was taken aback. Her story of elite athletic success



coupled with mental trauma to maintain that success was illuminating and a story we all need to hear. Fortunately, we can hear her story. I encourage you to download the Jesus Film Project app and search "Olivia Lundman". You will see three videos we produced for the Global Olympic ministry. We are excited for many to hear her story and relate to Olivia's journey.

SEPT 8



**Toño & Giovanna Guzman** La Cantera Church Guadalajara, Mexico SEPT 9



**Dave & Rushia Klassen** P2C (Athletes in Action) - Abbotsford davek@athletesinaction.com

**SEPT 10** 

**Gene & Grace Fox** Int'l Messengers - British Columbia grace@gracefox.com

Thanks for last month's prayers. The ministry in Poland went well and many people heard the Gospel. Pray that they will now engage with the church plant there. Grace's time at the



conference for Christian bookstore retailers went well, too. She had several divine appointments—pray that those whom she encountered will come to faith in Jesus.

Gene and I will travel to Romania on September 23 to minister among youth and young families infected with HIV/AIDS. When that time of ministry ends, we'll visit several International Messengers missionaries before flying to Lisbon, Portugal on October 8 where I will speak at a Baptist women's conference. Pray for our physical health and energy, for joy as we serve, and for God to do a great work wherever we go.

#### **Greg & Karman Sawatzky** Youth Unlimited - Abbotsford greg@youthunlimited.com

Praise God for our many summer trips and mentoring outings that took place in July and August. We are entering another school year with excitement and anticipation. We will be



running a weekly after school club and a weekly Truck community night. We will also be supporting schools through noon hour support and coaching. Pray for unity among our team and for more volunteers to join us in this work. Pray for open doors into the lives and hearts of the South Asian youth and families we serve!

**SEPT 12** 

#### Amanda Doerksen SIM - Niger Amanda.Doerksen@sim.org

Hello CHC family! School started August 14 and it has been a bit of a whirlwind. I'm teaching grade 4/5 again this year and I currently have 14 students. I've been so impressed by my



grade 5 group and how they are helping the grade 4 group learn the routines of our classroom. Kindergarten started on August 28 and it has been so fun to get to know these new students. Please pray for them as they begin their school journey. Please pray for us as staff that we can be God's light in our students' lives. Please continue to pray for our grade 2 teacher to receive her visa so that she can come and teach. Please continue to pray for the country of Niger for resolution and restoration.

**SEPT 13** 

#### **Wendy Eros** Multiply - Japan <u>wendyeros@gmail.com</u>

It's been a hot summer and I was happy to connect with some of you while I was in Abbotsford. One Saturday a month I volunteer with a group of seniors in Nagoya. Please pray



for three of the ESC students who are battling cancer: Ken san, Masa san and Yuko san. Pray for God's healing upon their bodies but more importantly, please pray they would invite Jesus into their lives. Pray for the fall classes and that all the students will return after their summer break. Thank you for your prayers and support.

**Les & Gillian Stanyer McRae**Abbotsford Recovery Church
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We are thankful to have been able to overcome some of the initial challenges of planting a new church through increased community engagement, including a summer community



BBQ which boasted over 120 people attending from local agencies, recovery homes, city council and more. Our teaching series on Justification and Sanctification has been well received, and we are blessed to have a consistent 40-50 people attend every Friday night, many who also attend now on Sunday mornings. We are eager to begin small groups in the Fall. Please pray for our need to have mature, gracious volunteers who can commit to this ministry, as well as healthy strong leadership to support us as church planters, in the beginning stages of this recovery based ministry leading people to Jesus.

**SEPT 15** 



**Megan Rintoul** SIM - Bolivia <u>mkrintoul@gmail.com</u> SEPT 16



**J&C**Restricted Access Country

**SEPT 17** 

Brent & Jody Nesbitt
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By the time you read this, Joseph will be back at TWU (living at home), and Anilee will be at Summit Pacific Bible College (living on campus). We are praising the Lord that so far we have not had to go into debt for their schooling.



Both at Power to Change, and Central Heights Church our ministry year really gets going in September. Please join us in prayer for the various ministries we are a part of - including prayer ministry, men's ministry, eldership and our community group. Pray also that God would provide worship leaders for our chapel at P2C. This ministry has not gotten re-started since Covid shut everything down.

#### **Kent & Inga Friesen** TeachBeyond - Ukraine kdfkentyc@yahoo.com

In one of her first classes with a new online student, conversation resulted in a great opportunity for Inga to share her faith with him. Life is not at all calm where this student lives. In



another online English lesson with Inga a few weeks later, he heard in the background the noise of fighter jets flying over our city. He became afraid for our safety and immediately urged Inga to go to a place of shelter. At that time, Ukrainian pilots were beginning military training. The jets flying over our area was a rare situation, and likely connected to pilot training and development. Inga assured her student that everything was fine and asked if they could pray together, and so they did. Despite the darkness of war, God reigns!

**SEPT 19** 



Mike & Karen Woodard Power To Change - Abb. mike@familylifecanada.com SEPT 20



**Doug & Cindy Rintoul**Wycliffe Int/CanIL - Langley
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**SEPT 21** 

Rob & Judy Griffioen Good News International - Canada rob-judy@gniministries.ca

Since the military coup in early 2021, our "Uncountable Grace" ministry in Myanmar constantly faces new challenges. The military junta has been clamping down on



communication networks. Civil war rages in many places, with resulting poverty forcing many Myanmar children to stop learning. Even so, we praise God that 21 of the children in our ministry home still attend school and another 3 of the older boys are in Bible School (training to be pastors). We are grateful that our partners are bringing the gospel to a new village of Palaung people. Please pray that the LORD will propel the gospel there while keeping our ministry partners and children safe. Pray also that God will make it possible for us to meet them during our upcoming trip to Thailand.

#### James & Carolanne Warkentin P2C (Digital Strategies) - Abb. james.warkentin@p2c.com

Thank you for your prayers for us in this ministry. One of our partners is a ministry in Malaysia who is using our online tools to reach people in their area who speak Chinese,



Indonesian and English. Please pray for us and them as we work together building and translating resources that will allow their mentors to share the gospel with the lost in this region.

Pray also for a new partnership we are forming with a ministry in Albania. The Albanian ministry wants to translate our IssuesIFace.com strategy into Albanian to reach their people. Pray that the development and launch would go smoothly and that God would use them effectively to reach the lost.

**SEPT 23** 



**Joan & Trever Godard** Multiply - BC <u>joang60@gma</u>il.com SEPT 24



**Cynthia Friesen** Multiply - Thailand kainos.warrior@gmail.com

**SEPT 25** 

Warren & Dorothy Janzen SEND Int'l - Abbotsford wianzen@send.org

The second week of September over 400 mission organizations are gathering for the annual Mission Leaders Conference. This is a great time to meet face to face with other



mission leaders and talk about how we can do missions better together. For the two days prior to this event I will be meeting with the leaders of TEAM, Crossworld and SAM to continue to pursue deep and generous collaboration with them in cross cultural missions. Pray for effective meetings that result in more people among the unreached experiencing gospel transformation.

### **T&G**Restricted Access Country

We are so thankful for a wonderful time in BC with family and friends. It was a joy to love and honour our parents and help them settle into their new suite attached to Tim's sister and family. We are now visiting Gwen's family on the



east coast and taking every opportunity to encourage the Body with great news about what God is doing in our area of the world. He is answering hundreds of years of prayers and is establishing His church in spiritually dry, hard soil. Please pray for our brothers and sisters in these countries, that they will continue to hunger and thirst for God, devour His Word and remain bold as they share Jesus with their

**SEPT 27** 



Matt & Teresa Guynup P2C (AIA) - Abbotsford guynups@hotmail.com SEPT 28



**Pray for Abbotsford** 

**SEPT 29** 



Pray for the Province of BC

SEPT 30



**Pray for Canada** 

## **SEPTEMBER 2024**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Pray for Students, Teachers, other school staff	A&K Restricted Access Country LABOUR DAY	Ricky and Karen Sanchez	Greg and Becky Ouellette	S&C Restricted Access Country	Ruth Maxwell	Richard and Becky Szmutko
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Toño and Giovanna Guzman	Dave and Rushia Klassen	Gene and Grace Fox	Greg and Karman Sawatzky	Amanda Doerksen	Wendy Eros	Les and Gillian Stanyer McRae
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Megan Rintoul	J&C Restricted Access Country	Brent and Jody Nesbitt	Kent and Inga Friesen	Mike and Karen Woodard	Doug and Cindy Rintoul	Rob and Judy Griffioen
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
James and Carolanne Warkentin	Trever and Joan Godard	Cynthia Friesen	Warren and Dorothy Janzen	T&G Restricted Access Country	Matt and Teresa Guynup	Pray for Abbotsford
Pray for BC	<b>30</b> Pray for Canada	GlobalDAILY is the monthly prayer calendar for global missionaries associated with Central Heights Church centralheights.ca/globalDAILY				