- 19 PRAY for Immanuel, Freight Shipments Coordinator, who irons out all the details and paperwork for container shipments traveling by truck, train and ship to ports throughout the world.
  - The LORD has made known His salvation; His righteousness He has revealed in the sight of the nations. (Psalm 98:2)
- 20 PRAY for shipments about to leave for Peru, Zambia, Uganda, Philippines (2), Colombia, Mexico, Guinea and Kenya.

  The LORD is high above all nations, His glory above the heavens. (Psalm 113:4)
- 21 PRAY for Twila, Prepress Supervisor, who prepares the production schedules; and for Trent, Steve W., and Beth, who create plates for both presses.
  - Now to Him who is able to establish you according to my gospel and the preaching of Jesus Christ, ... and by the prophetic Scriptures has been made known to all nations, according to the commandment of the everlasting God, for obedience to the faith. (Romans 16:25-26)
- **22** PRAISE God for containers that have safely arrived in Mali, Puerto Rico, Bolivia, and Mexico.
  - Yes, all kings shall fall down before Him; All nations shall serve Him. For He will deliver the needy when he cries, The poor also, and him who has no helper. (Psalms 72:11-12)
- 23 PRAY for Jewish people today as the Passover begins, (through the 29th) PRAY they will discover Jesus as Messiah. PRAY for their peace, and against antisemitism. The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!" (John 1:29)
- 24 PRAY for the shipments on their way to Spain, Ecuador, Chad, Colombia, Bolivia, Seychelles, Congo, Finland, Mexico, Haiti, Cameroon, Rwanda, Paraguay, Malawi (2), South Asia (2), and Nigeria.
  - "Let us be glad and rejoice and give Him glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and His wife has made herself ready." (Revelation 19:7)

- **25** PRAY that all needed supplies are available as we need them this month.
  - Saying with a loud voice: "Worthy is the Lamb who was slain To receive power and riches and wisdom, And strength and honor and glory and blessing!" (Revelation 5:12)
- 26 PRAY for the president's administrative secretary, Angelee; for Kristi, Katie, and other cleaning personnel; for Colleen and Fay, receptionists.
  - "For the Lamb who is in the midst of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to living fountains of waters. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes." (Revelation 7:17)
- 27 PRAY for today's Partner Appreciation Event in Chicago. PRAY for those who attend to be blessed and encouraged. Pray for the speakers and for the WMP staff.

  All who dwell on the earth will worship him, whose names have not been written in the Book of Life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world. (Revelation 13:8)
- 28 PRAY for Andrew, Nate, and Kaitlyn, our Product Development Team, who provide video and audio content to our social media sites, who are graphic artists, illustrators, and design experts.
  - "These will make war with the Lamb, and the Lamb will overcome them, for He is Lord of lords and King of kings; and those who are with Him are called, chosen, and faithful." (Revelations 17:14)
- 29 PRAY for Landon and Mike A. in our IT Department who update our computer systems, keep our computers operating well and prevent malware and cyber attacks.

  And I looked, and behold, in the midst of the throne and of the four living creatures, and in the midst of the elders, stood a Lamb as though it had been slain. (Revelation 5:6b)
- **30** PRAY for Cornel S., our coordinator in Romania, and all 86 coordinators who accept shipments and distribute booklets. But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot. (1 Peter 1:19)



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My Friends and Prayer Partners,

Our town volunteer fire department is across the street from WMP. At various times one volunteer puts on all his firefighters' gear and runs the length of our street several times.

A coworker commented, "If your house was on fire, would you want someone like this man showing up or a volunteer who only attended meetings?" Later my mind added, "Or sat disinterested through training sessions or had no hands on experience."

This firefighter is prepared to battle a blaze. In Ephesians 6:10-18 Paul speaks of being ready for a spiritual battle. Christians wrestle against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. Paul uses action verbs to admonish us to get dressed for battle – put on, take up, gird yourself, shod your feet.

Sometimes the forces of evil feel like a fire storm raging about us. The firefighter's gear protects him, but it is his tools that extinguish the blaze. Paul says, "above all" take the shield of faith, take the helmet of salvation, and take the sword of the Spirit. Having the armor without the weapons leaves us defenseless.

Firefighters are in constant communication with their captain and others in the blaze. Some watch for hot-spots and warn of dangers. Paul's final admonition is to "pray always" and be "watchful to the end." When it comes to evil, God is still over all. Being in contact with Him helps us escape dangers, and experience victory.



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## Prayer and Praise

## **DAILY PRAYER REQUESTS:**

(Revelation 15:4)

- 1 PRAY for Muslims fasting, praying, and reflecting on their faith during Ramadan (through the 9th). PRAY they find Jesus as they search for a closer walk with God. "Who shall not fear You, O Lord, and glorify Your name? For You alone are holy. For all nations shall come and worship before You, For Your judgments have been manifested."
- 2 PRAY for Ron, Marlyn, Randy, and Beth, our Booklet Formatting Specialists, who, lay out and proofread booklet pages in 351 different languages.
  - The LORD brings the counsel of the nations to nothing; He makes the plans of the peoples of no effect. (Psalm 33:10)
- **3** PRAY that the 1.5 million Maasai people of Southern Kenya and Northern Tanzania will receive *Help From Above*.
  - God reigns over the nations; God sits on His holy throne. (Psalm 47:8)
- 4 PRAY for pressured or persecuted believers in Iran, India, Saudi Arabia, and Myanmar. "Then they will deliver you up to tribulation and kill you, and you will be hated by all nations for My name's sake. (Matthew 24:9)
- **5** PRAY the booklet *Let's Praise the Lord!* will bless it's readers. It is a practical tool for praising God faithfully and joyfully.

  Oh, let the nations be glad and sing for joy! For You shall judge the people righteously, And govern the nations on earth. (Psalm 67:4)
- **6** PRAY for Tamie and Kelby, our Order Entry Specialists, and for Dale, Nick, and Gary, our Small Orders Department personnel who coordinate the mailing and shipping of booklets the world over.
  - All nations whom You have made shall come and worship before You, O Lord, And shall glorify Your name. (Psalm 86:9)

- 7 PRAY for today's presentation of World Missionary Press at Burr Oak Church in Ligonier. PRAY for all our WMP ambassadors.
  - Ask of Me, and I will give You The nations for Your inheritance, And the ends of the earth for Your possession. (Psalm 2:8)
- **8** PRAY for Harold Mack, WMP President, who guides and leads our ministry. For the kingdom is the LORD'S, And He rules over the nations. (Psalm 22:28)
- **9** PRAY for Brian B., Web Press Supervisor, and for Nolan, Michael, and Steve, operators of the King Web press that produces the insides of our booklets.
  - "And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and then the end will come. (Matthew 24:14)
- 10 PRAY for the eight staff members in the Finance Department who keep detailed books and process all donations. PRAY for all who contribute financially to the mission of WMP. PRAY they are blessed and encouraged today.
  - "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. (Matthew 28:19)
- 11 PRAY that God would give WMP wisdom in reaching people through our mobile app, YouTube, X, Instagram, and Facebook.

  Through Him we have received grace and apostleship for obedience to the faith among all nations for His name, among whom you also are the called of Jesus Christ. (Romans 1:5-6)
- **12** PRAY for Jerry, Vice-president of Plant Operations, who manages the production staff, in-plant production, and maintenance of the facilities.

All the ends of the world shall remember and turn to the LORD, And all the families of the nations shall worship before You. (Psalm 22:27)

- **13** PRAY for Kent, Bindery Supervisor; and Abby, Ben, Devon, Jacob, Jeremy, Katie, and Zach, the operators of the Scripture booklet binderies and the volunteers who help them.
  - Say among the nations, "The LORD reigns; The world also is firmly established, It shall not be moved; He shall judge the peoples righteously." (Psalm 96:10)
- 14 PRAY that the booklets translated in Belarusian and Ojibwe and only published on the Internet will be discovered by the people who speak these languages.

  Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth! (Psalm 46:10)
- 15 PRAY for Roger, who installs new machinery, maintains older equipment, and repairs what needs to be repaired. PRAY for Lucas who keeps our production floors clean, changes the sign, keeps the trash picked up, mows, and weed-eats.
  - Declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among all peoples. (1 Chronicles 16:24)
- 16 PRAY for Brian L. and Nathan, operators of the Man Roland Press that prints the full-color covers for our booklets.

  "All the nations will be gathered before Him, and He will separate them one from another, as a shepherd divides His sheep from the goats. (Matthew 25:32)
- 17 PRAY that we can meet the worldwide growing and urgent demand for booklets. He rules by His power forever; His eyes observe the nations; Do not let the rebellious exalt themselves. (Psalm 66:7)
- 18 PRAY for Helen, Director of Orders and Distribution, who receives new orders, has general correspondence with coordinators, and oversees all shipments large and small. God be merciful to us and bless us, And cause His face to shine upon us, that Your way may be known on earth, Your salvation among all nations. (Psalms 67:1-2)