



## **2025 Advent Prayer Journey – Week 1 Prayer Guide**

### **Sunday, November 30<sup>th</sup> – Asia-Pacific Region**

- Pray for CCCU Missionaries Benji & Erica Jenkins who serve as Regional Directors for the Asia-Pacific Region (Papua New Guinea, Cambodia, Japan, India, Southeast Asia, and beyond).
- Benji and Erica enjoy working with missionaries making sure they have the support they need to do what God has called them to do. They are excited about many opportunities to develop ministry in Asia and the Pacific.
- Pray for safety in travel, as serving as Regional Directors requires significant international travel.
- Pray that God would call an individual to serve as the Director of Christian Union Bible College in Papua New Guinea and lead the CUBC team as they equip national pastors and their families to build up the church in PNG where quality teaching and instruction are so desperately needed. This is our most urgent and critical personnel need!

### **Monday, December 1<sup>st</sup> – Bolivia**

- Pray for CCCU Missionary Mike Brown who serves 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 2<sup>nd</sup> – Paraguay**

- Pray for CCCU Missionaries Mark and Susana Bev Donahue who serve in Paraguay.
- Paraguay has an established national church but needs 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.

## **Wednesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> – U.S. Southwest Ministries/Mobilization**

- Pray for CCCU Missionaries Scott and Noel Hardaway who serve in Arizona with the U.S. Southwest Ministries Team.
- Scott and Noel lead a ministry called *Discovery Experience* - a five-month immersive, hands-on ministry experience that gives high school grads and young adults the opportunity to gain ministry experience, receive ongoing one-on-one mentoring and discipleship from seasoned missionaries, experience community with others considering going into full-time missions work, and discover and explore God's call on their lives. Additionally, Scott serves as the Director of Long-Term Mobilization for WGM.
- Pray for Scott and Noel as they work directly with young people considering a call to full-time missions and missionary applicants discerning God's place for them in Kingdom service.

## **Thursday, December 4<sup>th</sup> – 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 5<sup>th</sup> – 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 6<sup>th</sup> – U.S. Southwest Ministries**

- Pray for CCCU Missionary Jake Routzahn who serves in Arizona with the U.S. Southwest Ministries Team.
- At the Christian Community Center (C3) in Arizona (formerly the Southwest Indian Ministries Center), Jake partners with organizations to meet a variety of needs, including training and support services for foster and adoption families, ministering in group homes, and providing residential services for young adults who age out of foster care.
- In addition to his work at C3, Jake helps coworkers serving in Native American outreach through Bible camps, camp meetings, and church outreach.
- Pray for Jake as he prepares to depart for the field on December 8<sup>th</sup>!

**Please continue praying that the Advent Offering will reach the \$90,000 goal so that we can proclaim the Gospel to those who are unreached!**

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- Through a contribution to your local church marked “Advent Offering for Missions”

