

26 Norberto and Patricia Gutierrez, Iglesia Bautista Luz y Vida, Conway. Continue to pray that God will send them families gifted in the ministry of music and Bible teaching. Praise the Lord for six professions of faith and a new discipleship group with new believers.

27 Jerry and Cynthia Akins are church planting apprentices with City of Refuge Community Church in Little Rock. Pray for them as they lay the ground work and equip themselves and a core team to plant House of Transformation in the Little Rock area. Ask God to give them wisdom as they prepare and plan.

28 Jon and Gretchen Smeltzer, Summit Bible Church, Summit. Pray for elders and for unity and maturity in Christ for this young church plant. Ask God to help them keep their eyes on Jesus in all they say and do and as they begin a permanent student ministry.

29 Charles and Dee Simmons, Connect Church, Little Rock. Continue to pray for their children's ministry. Ask God to provide volunteers, so they can reach more families and see them discipled and growing in their faith.

30 Torvac and Tasha Amos, Fresh Start Community Church, Sherwood. Praise the Lord for the partnership with First Baptist Church of Sherwood to send out this couple to reach more people in their community.

31 Today sending churches and church plants are meeting for corporate worship. Pray that God will bring guests and move powerfully in today's worship gatherings. Ask God to provide volunteers to help in children's and music ministries. Also, pray for people to respond to the call of God to salvation and baptism.

"I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him."

Ephesians 1:16-17

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JULY 2022 PRAYER CALENDAR



1 Summer outreach events and worship gatherings. July is a busy month for family vacations and outreach events. Pray for church plants to stay connected with their core families as they take time to rest and continue to reach people with the hope of Christ through regular worship gatherings and special events.

2 Kyle and Andrea Fowler, The Summit Church NWA, Bentonville. Ask God to send them individuals with a passion for worship ministry. Pray that they can find the perfect place to launch weekly services from as they continue to lay the groundwork for this new church plant.

3 Church planting among internationals in Arkansas. "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." (Luke 10:2) Pray specifically for the harvest of Diaspora groups here in AR that believers will extend friendship towards them and that many will discover who Jesus is and begin a relationship with Him.

4 Happy Independence Day! Praise the Lord for the freedoms we enjoy and pray for those who don't have a relationship with Jesus and do not know what it means to experience true freedom and peace in Him.

5 Blake and Sarah Duvall, Be Church, Austin. Five children from Be Church are going to camp today through Friday. Ask God to give them a safe time and that they will learn more about Jesus. Pray for an awesome summer of other activities and outreach opportunities. Also, ask God to give the Duvall family and the whole church family wisdom as they reach these families.

6 Jeff and Cherie Estes, True Hope Church, Sheridan. Pray for the many people True Hope Church ministers to who have addictions and other great needs. Ask God to give them wisdom for facility and campus needs like a new roof and other renovation projects. Also, pray for their core team to begin sharing Jesus boldly.

7 Happy Anniversary to Nicholas and Tina Walker! Pray for Spirit-led men to join and help build the Kingdom of God here. Continue to pray for Nicholas and other family members dealing with grief. Also, pray for the salvation of a family member.

8 Tomorrow the NWAR block party trailer is being used by Rocky Branch in Rogers.

Ask God to use this outreach event to help them make fruitful connections in this community and that many families will be encouraged and hear about Jesus.

9 Happy Birthday to Manolo Vazquez! He and his wife, Gaby, are planting Iglesia

Bautista Biblica in Texarkana. Praise the Lord for five new believers and for the open doors the Lord has given them! Pray for them as they disciple these new believers and for another family they are sharing with who need the Lord.

10 Chris and Renee DuBose, The Oaks Church, Cave Springs.

Pray for their family to be patient and receptive to the leading of the Holy Spirit in this season. Also, pray for the continual growth of their partnership team and for God to lead more people to join the core planting team in this move.

11 Donnell and Tanya Ford, Full Faith Community Church, Magnolia. Today

through Wednesday they will be hosting VBS. Ask God to use this time to help them share the truth of Christ with families in their community. Pray also for guidance and protection over the youth in their church this summer.

12 Ryan and Missy Worley, Rooted Church, Fayetteville.

Pray for their transition next month to a new facility which will give them more space for children and worship gatherings. Ask God to supply all the resources and helpers they need to complete the tasks ahead of them.

13 Robby and Cynthia Tingle, Living Hope, Scott.

Pray that they will do an effective job of engaging different places to identify the “persons of peace” within their target community. Also, pray for them as they work on defining the purposes and processes for in-reach and outreach ministry teams.

14 Shane and April Fore, Maple Grove Baptist Main Street Campus, Trumann.

Pray their jail ministry takes root and produces fruit. Also, pray for a new manager at the homeless shelter and for healing of an old wound/infection in April’s hip. Praise the Lord for one profession of faith and for the opportunity God has given Shane to be full time in church planting.

15 Nate and Mary Smith, New Harvest Community Church, Blytheville.

Pray for this church family to meet more people in their community who need to be saved by Jesus Christ. Also, pray that God will give them assistance with social media pages production, so they can reach more people through that platform.

16 Happy Birthday to Ildefonso Garcia! He and his wife, Paty, are planting Mision

Bautista Agape in Jonesboro. Ask God to give this church planting couple and church family good health, good jobs, and help them remain faithful as they grow in fellowship with the Lord and with each other.

17 Happy Anniversary to Jessie and Kaiesha McGruder!

They are apprentice church planters doing a residency with St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church in Bay. Pray for them as they prepare to plant a church in West Memphis.

18 Pranay and Allison Borde, Hillcrest Hindi Church, Little Rock.

Ask God to give them wisdom about starting an ESL ministry in their community. Pray for upcoming in-house trainings/workshops for Discovery Bible Study storying and some other tools to help others catch the vision so more leaders can be trained and sent out to reach even more people groups.

19 Felton and Jackie Burgie, Hamburg Community Church, Hamburg.

Next month, they will be hosting a block party in their area. Ask God to use this event to help them reach more people with the Gospel.

20 Anthony and Crystal Banks, New Beginnings Church, Marion.

Praise the Lord for the core team of this church plant and how they are working together with their partners to impact the spiritual darkness in this community. Pray for them as they follow up with families reached through VBS last month.

21 Chad and Julie Graves, Compass Church South, Batesville.

Pray that the new men’s & women’s prayer meetings this church plant is leading will grow and be fruitful. Praise the Lord for the eight professions of faith and baptisms and for all the people serving on ministry teams within this church family. Ask God to help them stay focused on Him as they grow & meet needs within their church family.

22 Aaron and Renee Johnson, Story Church, Bentonville.

Pray for them and Holland Chapel as they partner together to host two block party outreaches tomorrow and Saturday. Also, pray for them as they look at a semi-permanent location for their worship gatherings and other ministries.

23 Jacob and Melly Jones, Hope Church, Ozark.

Praise the Lord for two professions of faith, growth in their volunteer base, and recent renovations at Hope Church. Pray for their connect lunches this summer on Sundays after church. Ask God to use these times to build fellowship in the body and to train new leaders for small groups in the fall.

24 Happy Anniversary to Manolo and Gaby Vazquez!

Pray for this couple and other church planting couples in Arkansas. Ask God to bless the marriages of church planting couples and give them wisdom as parents and grandparents, and that they will stay focused on Jesus and His Kingdom (Matthew 6:33).

25 Church planting cohorts and residencies.

Ephesians 4:12 gives us the charge “to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ.” Pray for pastors, other staff, and church planting strategists who are training up the next generation of church planters.