

PRAYER CALENDAR May 2024

[Jesus said,] "I have told you these things so that you can have peace in me. In this world you will have troubles. But be brave! I have defeated the world!" JOHN 16:33 ERV



- Already this year, more than 1.1 million people have been reached with the Gospel through Bible League's ministry. God is doing amazing things!
- Believers worldwide, especially in Asia, face rising persecution. Yet, they are not afraid. Many stand ready to share the love of Christ with their communities. Through local churches, God's Word is reaching 20 countries where Christians face persecution.
- Over the next year, people in more than 50 countries around the globe will study God's Word, plant churches, and lead Bible-based Literacy classes. Many will receive a Bible for the first time. The Lord continues to create opportunities to draw people to Him.

PRAY FOR Worldwide Ministry

Week 1

Praise the Lord for the new Bible-based Literacy class for 17 women in Hong Kong. They want to learn English to help their young children. May God use this opportunity to transform the hearts of these women.

Pray for Pastor Rajdev and his family in eastern India as they are facing persecution for following Jesus. Their village is trying to force them out. Pray for God's protection, strength, and guidance during this challenging time.

Ask the Lord to touch the lives of the 178 students at a high school in West Jakarta, Indonesia. They are using Bible League's Bible studies in their school. May the hope of Jesus Christ take root in their hearts as they study His Word. *Please turn over...*

PRAY FOR Worldwide Ministry (continued)

Pray for a Bible-based Literacy class in northern Bangladesh. This class is run by women who live in a Muslim community. May all the women learn to read and write and come to understand the Good News.

Week 2

More than 280 believers in Ghana recently attended training to learn how to lead Bible studies. The training was in their local language of Twi. Please pray for these new leaders as they go out into their communities to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Ask the Lord to ready the hearts of those who will hear God's Word for the first time.

Praise God for the 200 prisoners in Ethiopia's Hossana Prison who recently completed Bible League's Bible study program. Pray for them to continue growing in faith and share it with others inside and outside of prison.

Pray for Cassim, a former Muslim in Zomba, Malawi. His parents disowned him after he became a believer through a Bible study in his community. Ask God to strengthen Cassim's faith through this hardship and soften his parents' hearts.

Many in the Chiapata District of Zambia don't know how to read or write because of their traditional beliefs that hinder children, especially girls, from receiving an education. Thank God for Bible League's Bible-based Literacy classes taking place there. May they not only learn how to read and write but also discover the Good News.

Week 3

Haiti is experiencing one of the worst crises in its history. Please pray for the people across this nation, especially those living in Port-au-Prince where nearly everything is paralyzed. Pray for Bible League's literacy teachers, church planters, and Bible study leaders who have had to flee their homes to save their lives. Most of them escaped with only the clothes on their backs. May God bring peace and hope to this hurting nation.

In Cali, Colombia, believers are using Bible studies to share the Gospel with parents of children with cancer. Ask God to bring comfort through His Word to these parents and kids who are experiencing the hardest moments of their lives.

Across Cuba, people are facing a food shortage and power outages due to their worsening economy. Please uplift those who are suffering. Pray the Lord provides for all their needs.

Week 4

Please pray for the 30 believers in Armenia's Tsakhkadzor town who recently attended their second module of Bible League's Church Planter Training. May they make an eternal difference in their communities as they plant churches where they are needed most.

Ask the Lord to open doors for Christians in Chicago who attended a Spanish Bible study leader training. Pray for them as they reach out to their friends, families, and neighbors with God's Word.

Praise God for the believers in New Jersey who are using Bible League's Bible study materials to grow God's Church in the U.S. Reverend Elias, who was part of the training, notes, "Gratitude abounds for the Bible study training provided by Bible League International in our church. Truly, it was a blessing as our congregants eagerly embrace outreach within their spheres of influence."