

7 Brad and Paige Branham, Hello Church, Russellville. Ask God to help them establish online giving and help them schedule baptisms with students who have made professions of faith. Pray for the university to lift the on-campus restrictions for worship gatherings due to COVID-19. Praise the Lord for their sending church, FBC Russellville, where they are currently meeting.

8 Church Planting Residencies in local churches. Pray for Arkansas churches to identify men in their churches whom God is calling to ministry and to equip these men through church planting residencies.

9 Nate and Mary Smith, New Harvest Community Church, Blytheville. Pray for them as they transition to Blytheville and get moved into a new house and find a new church location. Also, pray for them as they begin canvassing their community, training new ministers, and beginning their home groups.

10 Church Planting Conference @Williams Baptist University. Ask God to use this conference to tell the story of how churches plant churches. Pray that God will call churches to be sending churches and call men and women to be sent out from their home churches to minister in other communities all across our state.

11 Justin and Katie King, Delta Church, Blytheville. Praise the Lord for the numerical and spiritual growth in their Men's Discipleship Group. Pray for their need for someone who can lead their church in worship during their corporate gatherings.

12 Gretchen Smeltzer's birthday. Her husband, Jon, is planting Summit Bible Church in Summit, AR. Pray for this young church to have maturity in Christ and for them to walk in wisdom with unity in Christ and boldness in sharing the gospel. Ask God to help each of them to be devoted to Christ and the word of God personally and continually and that they will continue to see people come to Christ.

13 Donnell and Tanya Ford are planting Full Faith Community Baptist Church in Magnolia. Pray for their continued endurance of faith through the process of planting a church, as they work on their bylaws, and as they served their community through a Trunk or Treat at Halloween. Praise the Lord for the Spirit-filled and enthusiastic core group meeting.

14 Hispanic Church Planting in the state. Pray that God will continue to burden sending churches for the Hispanics in their communities and raise up godly men to be sent out to begin new works. Ask for God's provision and guidance for the four couples who recently attended a church planting assessment retreat and who are preparing to plant Hispanic churches.

15 Sam & Carie Means, Ignite 360, Fayetteville. Pray that God will continue to give them opportunities to meet, help, and know their international neighbors. Also, pray for opportunities to meet leaders within the Southeast Asian community in this area and that God will give them favor with them.

16 Pranay and Allison Borde's wedding anniversary. They are planting Oasis Hindi Church in Little Rock. Pray for the larger Indian community: students, corporate + medical sector, and "First-generation Indians" (shopkeepers, restaurant owners, etc.) that the Gospel may be made known to them in their own language and subculture.

17 Ryan and Missy Worley, Rooted Church, Fayetteville. Pray for increased engagement with non-believers, opportunities to share the gospel, conversions, and that God will give them the opportunity to celebrate more baptisms in 2020.

18 Jacob and Melly Jones, Hope Church, Ozark. Praise the Lord that this young church celebrated a baptism last month. Pray for those who are being reached and that they may grow to know Jesus more and to follow Him more closely.

19 Creston and Alina Thomas, Christ the Redeemer Church, Pine Bluff. Praise the Lord for the men that Creston is training in leadership. Ask God to give this young church biblical unity and for members who are struggling with health issues. Also, pray for them as they seek to engage their community with the hope and peace of Christ.

20 Vincent and Crystal Stroud, New Covenant Fellowship, Fordyce. Pray for God to cover them as they slowly ease back into meeting in their church building. Also, pray for them as they continue working with Pastor Rogers @Fordyce Community Baptist in giving to the community and that they will see fruit from these ministries and Gospel conversations.

21 Brad and Janet Curtis, Greater Purpose Fellowship, Greenbrier. Praise the Lord for the men Brad is discipling and the two professions of faith and visitors they've seen recently. Ask God to provide him a job, partnering churches and wisdom as they start their recovery program, children's church and a women's Bible study.

22 Izah and Monique Broadus, New Faith, Little Rock. Ask God to bless the DGROUPS, nursery on Sunday mornings, and plans to start their teen church, as well as plans for weekly ministry in the church and for service opportunities at Romine Elementary. Also, continue to pray for Monique's health.

23 Jeff Estes's birthday. He and his wife, Cherie, are planting TrueHope Church in Sheridan. Ask God to use the small group gatherings, worship and prayer times, and acts of service in the community to reach people in Sheridan with the Gospel. Pray for more people and financial resources.

24 Jordan & Sarah Bowen, Hillcrest Community Church, LR. Pray that they will be daily strengthened in spiritual warfare & that the Father will give them rest. Praise the Lord for conversations with neighbors around the church & stories of people inviting & thinking towards Gospel conversations.

25 Francisco and Maria Gomez, Iglesia Bautista El Centro de Discipulado. Pray that God will use the upcoming holiday gatherings among this church family to reach their family, friends, and co-workers with the hope and peace found only in Christ.

26 Happy Thanksgiving! **Roderick Rogers's birthday.** He and his wife, Lena, are planting Fordyce Community Baptist Church in Fordyce. Pray that God would continue to bring fruit from their Gospel investments in Fordyce.

27 PJ and Lauren Noland are planting Collective Church in Bryant. Pray that the seeds planted in their recent series on biblical principles of family and parenting will continue to impact this community of believers and those around them.

28 Dave and Christy McClung are planting The Summit Church in Vilonia. Ask God to continue to work through small groups, disciple groups, prayer groups and as they work on leadership development with their core team.

29  **Kristen Lowry, Naivasha Children's Shelter, Kenya.** Pray that boys who come to this shelter in KENYA will find new life in Christ and that as the boys are reconciled with their families, the families will also find hope in Jesus. Ask God to bless the work of the shelter's staff as they reach out in love to boys who are hurting.

30  **Eric Maroney, Church Planting & radio ministry, Zagreb, Croatia.** Pray that more national partners will choose to be a part of sharing the gospel across Croatia. Also pray that more church plants will result from the radio broadcast ministry.

Week of Prayer for International Missions
November 29 – December 6, 2020

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November 2020 Prayer Calendar

Join us this month as we pray for Arkansas Baptist Church Planters and begin the IMB Week of Prayer for International Missions.

1 Anthony and Crystal Banks are planting New Beginnings in Marion. Pray for the Lakeshore community there in Marion and pray for much needed resources as they minister to the needs of people and share the Gospel.

2 Chance and Ashley Watson, Drover Cowboy Church in Harrisburg. Pray for their church building project and good weather as they start concrete work. Also, pray for their leadership with end of the year planning and as they get ready for the holiday season with harvest fest, Christmas plays, and a new teenage girl Bible study.

3 Dustin and Beth Clegg, The Bridge Church in Wynne. Pray for Dustin and his family as they get moved into a new home. Also, pray for God to use the Halloween costumes collection for a community outreach, for the start of a ladies' home group, and the completion of their new church building.

4 Shane and April Fore, Maple Grove Main Street Campus, Trumann. Praise the Lord for the 12 professions of faith! Continue to pray for new leaders who have stepped into roles in Celebrate Recovery and the church. Ask God to give Shane wisdom as he trains these leaders and allows them to take more ownership of the ministry areas God has gifted them in.

5 Donnie and Amy Grigg, Vertical Community Church, Fayetteville. Ask God to send them the right person to lead the student ministry and the 20+ students currently attending. Pray for Vertical to stay Kingdom-minded and for the Lord to work supernaturally as they have an opportunity to share Jesus with the people of NWA and beyond.

6 Melody Logan's birthday. She and her husband, David, are planting Connection Church in Rogers. Pray for health, safety, endurance, and courage for the five people in this church who are working in the schools. Also, pray for their members to continue to actively invite others to visit their church, and for those they invite to accept and check it out.

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