

“Let us pray for one another! “Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.” 1 Thess. 5: 16 - 18

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- 1st **HAPPY NEW YEAR!** Let us pray that the gospel message will be shared from shore to shore during this brand-new year!
- 2nd The **AGC National team** as they plan for **AGC National Conference 2020**, being held in beautiful **Kelowna, B.C.** Stay tuned and be in prayer as we prepare to gather to fellowship & celebrate the **AGC’s 95th birthday!**
- 3rd **AGC President, Rev. Bill and Michele Allan.** May God give Bill wisdom, discernment and guidance as he gives direction to our **AGC National team** and to our churches throughout Canada.
- 4th Regarding **Rockland Church**, pray for those souls who heard the Gospel at our Christmas concert. The new Church was encouraged by the presence of those who came. May our Father bless the seed which was planted for His glory. **Rev. Charles-Henri and Lise Côté, Église Évangélique de Blainville, QC**
- 5th **Liz and John Thompson** as Liz and the **Fair Havens** staff are into a quieter season which allows time for administration and maintenance tasks to be completed.
- 6th **Pastor Warren and Ellen Charlton** and our congregation as we move through a year of transition. **Two Hills Fellowship Chapel, Two Hills, AB**
- 7th The **AGC Staff Meeting** taking place today. May our team be guided by His Spirit and be united in purpose ... to be a movement of healthy reproducing churches!
- 8th **Rev. Glenn and Bonnie Rider** as Glenn carries out his responsibilities as **AGC National Coordinator of Doctrine and Credentials.**
- 9th **Rev. Russ and Sue Wilson** as Russ ministers in his role as **AGC West Regional Director.**
- 10th Our **Hope Project** street ministry. Every Thursday we go downtown Hamilton and serve those in need. **Garside Bible Church, Hamilton, ON**

- 11th We rejoice as tomorrow we welcome **Rev. Russell and Angela Bartlett** into the **AGC** family and celebrate Russell’s induction as **Senior Pastor** at **Philpott Memorial Church, Hamilton, ON.**
- 12th We rejoice as we welcome **Nick Mastervick** into the **AGC** family and celebrate his induction as **Youth Pastor** at **Bridletowne Park Church, Toronto, ON.** We rejoice as we celebrate with **Jim and Penny Welch** on the occasion of his Ordination. Jim is the **Associate Pastor** at **Ferndale Bible Church, Peterborough, ON.**
- 13th **AGC Canada West Council Meetings** in **Calgary, AB.**
- 14th **Rev. Mike and Heather Mileski**, as Mike leads **Benediction Church**, an **AGC** church plant in **Hamilton, ON.** Please cover us in prayer as we love and serve our neighbours.
- 15th **AGC West Associate Regional Director, Rev. Lorne and Esther Meisner** as Lorne ministers to our churches in **Manitoba.**
- 16th **AGC East Council Meeting** at **National Office.**
- 17th **Susan and Tim Davis** as Susan leads **AGC Compassion and Justice.** Pray for our **AGC** family of churches – that our eyes and hearts would be opened to the opportunities to show compassion.
- 18th **Administrative Assistant/Finance Manager, Donna Leung** and **AGC Church Relations Coordinator/Benefits Manager, Susan Page.**
- 19th We rejoice today with **Eva and Lik Hang Poon** as we welcome them into the **AGC** family. We celebrate with the congregation of **Grace Chinese Gospel Church of North York** on this occasion of Eva’s induction as **Children’s Ministry Director.**
- 20th We thank God for a good number of teenage conversions during the past year and a half. Pray for wisdom in discipling them and in knowing how to reach their families for Christ. **Delburne Gospel Church, Delburne, AB.**
- 21st **AGC Canada West North Central Pastors Café** at **Wetaskiwin Mission Church, Wetaskiwin, AB.**



- 22nd **AGC East Regional Director, Rev. Dr. Tom and Karen Lambshead** as Tom ministers to our churches throughout **Ontario**.
- 23rd Our **Community Dinner** held every Tuesday evening, that we will have opportunity to share the message of Christ. **Calvary Church, Toronto, ON**
- 24th **AGC Quebec Director, Rev. Del and Barb Gibbons** as Del ministers to our pastors and churches throughout **Quebec**.
- 25th **Faith Gospel Church, Hamilton, ON**. We have a Wednesday morning outreach knitting/crocheting crafters group who make blankets for cancer patients and baby sweaters/hats for worldwide distribution. Several unsaved ladies attend. Pray for their salvation.
- 26th We continue to pray for those in our **AGC** family who are grieving. We uphold **Daria Humphrey** and her **family** as they grieve the loss of **Frank**.
- 27th For the planning for the **AGC Summit Meetings** taking place next month.
- 28th For Church plants that are being supported financially, that good growth will be seen as God's word is proclaimed in new communities.
- 29th We thank you for your prayers and support. Pray for our plans to start a Celebrate Recovery program this year and for our Kids movie night outreach. **Rev. Jonathan & Carmi Edralin, AOK Church, Aundek Omni Kaning, ON**
- 30th **Biggar AGC Church, Biggar, SK**. That we would seek to love the Lord our God with all our being and that we would love one another in a fresh new way, showing the love of Jesus to those in our community and beyond.
- 31st For the persecuted church throughout the world and for the missionaries who serve far from home.

A New Year's Prayer

God our Father,

As we enter this new year in quiet reflection may we be fully aware of who we are in Christ Jesus.

We bravely submit to all that You will reveal to us as we seek to grow daily in Your grace, releasing regrets from the past and trusting Your perfect will for our future.

Help us to be fully present in each moment, with an attitude of gratitude for the faithfulness of Your provision. By Your Spirit, quiet our racing thoughts as we take time to be still before You each day.

Empower us to live a life of integrity, devoted to choosing what is better, honouring one another with tenderness, building up in love.

We graciously accept the gifts of joy and sorrow, valuing the lessons learned from both celebration and lament.

Make us instruments of Your love, with open hands and extended arms, to give what we can, where we can, with generous and compassionate hearts.

We pray for the wounded, the lost, the lonely, and the least. May we serve as instruments of Your peace, with vision to see the hidden hurt in others.

Make us instruments of Your grace, offering forgiveness and acceptance, speaking gently, only after we have listened well.

We pray for our broken, divided and weary world, remembering especially those experiencing suffering and persecution. Make us instruments of reconciliation, mediating with wisdom while offering comfort.

We pray that we will hold strong and fast to the truth that You are always with us, remembering that Your love is wide, high, deep and long and absolutely nothing can separate us from that love.

Father teach us to walk humbly, courageously serving You and others with our whole heart, soul, mind and strength.

In Jesus Name, with thanksgiving we pray,

Amen

Do you have a prayer concern you'd like to submit to share with AGC churches Nation-wide? If so, e-mail it to the AGC Office at sue@agcofcanada.com