

APRIL PRAYER GUIDE

MISSIONARY CHURCH BIENNIAL THEME: This Is My Story

This theme is not just about “My Story” but about “His Story.” It is about meeting Jesus and never being the same.

- Ask the Lord to remind you of those people who prayed and perhaps even wept for you to come to Jesus. Praise Him for those special people.
- Who are the “lost” people in your life that you care deeply about – pray for them.

OUR MISSION: We Empower Everyday People to Love Like Jesus and Live Like Missionaries

- Loving like Jesus is missional. We can’t do this apart from Him.
 - Read Matthew 11:19; Matthew 22:37-39; Luke 15:7
- You live in a mission field. Ask the Lord to break your heart for what breaks His.
 - Read: Luke 19:10; 1 Corinthians 9:22; Romans 1:16

APRIL PRAYER FOCUS: BROKEN FOR LOST PEOPLE – Luke 19:41-42

Jesus wept over the city of Jerusalem because they did not know “the things that make for your peace.” His heart was broken for their plight. Ask the Lord to break your heart for your city, your neighborhood, your school.

- Read: Romans 10:1; Romans 10:14-15; 2 Corinthians 5:20

MISSIONARY CHURCH LEADERS:

Pray for the leaders of the Missionary Church that they will lead from a place of brokenness for the lost and that God will give them the skill and passion to communicate the urgency of being engaged in the harvest. Pray that God will grant them favor in the churches and in new communities

As you pray for these leaders, pray that God will:

- Give them a fresh glimpse of the harvest – of the fields that are white already to harvest.
- Give them hearts that break easily for lost people.
- Raise up leaders from the harvest to be harvest workers.
- Work through these leaders to lead the regions into harvest fields in new communities.
- Remind them to pursue His heart for the lost before pursuing skills.
- Use these leaders to equip the next generation with a brokenness for the lost and skill for the harvest.
- Pray that God will protect these leaders from attacks of the enemy.

MISSIONARY CHURCHES

- Pray for a greater brokenness for lost people to permeate each of our churches.
- Pray for a greater vision for the harvest.
- Pray for a broader commitment to be engaged in the harvest.

BETHEL UNIVERSITY: Pray for God’s Presence, Provision and Protection

- Praise God for professors who pray faithfully for students who do not know Jesus.
- Pray for those believers on campus that God will capture their hearts with a burden for the Lost.
- Pray that the need for resources will never overshadow the passion to prepare students to love like Jesus and live like Missionaries.