

# Prayers and Praises • July 2016



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><b>“O God, “hear my prayer; give ear to the words of my mouth.” Psalm 54:2</b></p>					<p><b>1</b> Pray for The Meeting House Youth Team travelling to Malawi July 2-12; working with World Vision from July 2-9, then with the BIC church from July 10-12.</p>	<p><b>2</b> Please pray for those attending the New Life Christian Church Youth Camp, June 30 - July 3 with the theme spiritual disciplines. (Scarborough, ON)</p>
<p><b>3</b> Pray for many lives to be changed for Jesus as the first children’s camp begins today at Camp Kahquah!</p>	<p><b>4</b> Pray for Bruce and Merly Bundy as they travel and begin their refreshing home ministry. (Spain)</p>	<p><b>5</b> Pray for Chris and Kara K traveling with small children to attend a BIC conference and vacation after in the USA. (Spain)</p>	<p><b>6</b> Pray for blessing and protection over the MCCO/BIC Canada Enlace Senior High Youth Team travelling to Nicaragua July 19-Aug. 1.</p>	<p><b>7</b> Pray for the team from Clearview BIC Church leaving for Cuba today with Canadian Cuban Projects Teams (CCPT) and returning on the 17<sup>th</sup>.</p>	<p><b>8</b> Pray for Reunion, Oakville and pastor Matt Vincent as the summer schedule of facilitating rest and relationship building begins.</p>	<p><b>9</b> ‘The Spark Initiative’ gives thanks for the inspiring grant proposals they received from 44 young entrepreneurs.</p>
<p><b>10</b> Pray for the many churches hosting VBS; for energy for the leaders, and for fun and excitement for the kids learning about Jesus’ love for them!</p>	<p><b>11</b> Join Earl and Lois Hess in praising God in advance for a good working relationship with the newly hired principal, Robert Masikamu at EBCOM. (Malawi)</p>	<p><b>12</b> Pray for 5 new believers baptized in Nepal. Pray they stay aware and are prepared to face any challenges that come from relatives and Hindu fundamentalists.</p>	<p><b>13</b> Pray for all leaders who struggle to take Sabbath rest. Pray that they will make the time they need in order to be refreshed, inspired and led by God.</p>	<p><b>14</b> Pray for the delicate political situation in Zambia leading up to an election in August. Pray for peace and progress in their government and among the people!</p>	<p><b>15</b> Pray for Jay Smith launching the Pfander School of Debate. The dates are July 15-19, with hopes of better educating people in the differences between Islam and Christianity. (UK)</p>	<p><b>16</b> Pray for Janet Manafo and Jon Purdy as they support Churches across BIC Canada with finances and human resources. Pray God will bless them in their work and family lives.</p>

<p><b>17</b></p> <p>Pray for participants of the BIC Summer Book Club reading “Life’s Great Dare” by Christa Hesselink. Pray that together readers will be encouraged to seek a Christ-centred life.</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p>Pray for Amanda Schwartzentruber to balance motivated times and restorative times, and to continue to seek God's kingdom above all the busyness of preparation for leaving for Macha Hospital. (Zambia)</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>Pray for Zimbabwe! There is not a great deal of peace and the financial picture is not clear. Many economists feel that the country is already broke and should admit bankruptcy.</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>Pray for the Sanfilippo family to build strong relationships with staff and students at MICS (Macha International Christian School) in their logistical and administrative support roles. (Zambia)</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>Pray for the 2016 FLOW Interns: Alyssa Esparaz, Brianna Gilmore, Jaye Sloat, Justin Brix, Nathan Stadig, Sarah Russell, and Brooke Lester. Pray that they are a blessing in and blessed by the work they do.</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>Pray for a woman who was healed. At first her husband denied her healing and gave credit to the merits of a monk relative but now he wants the whole family to hear the teachings of Christ. (Thailand)</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>Pray for the ongoing Celebrate Recovery Program at Welland BIC; that real and lasting change would be made in the lives of those who attend.</p>
<p><b>24</b></p> <p>Ask God to provide generous donors so D &amp; M G are able to return in August for a two year term. (Middle East)</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>Pray for much fruit from both the Kids’ Day Camps and Youth Camp that Pastor Beatrix recently ran with the help of people from Clearview BIC church. (Cuba)</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p>The Malawi BIC General Conference will be held this week. Ask for God’s help in choosing a new bishop to lead his church in this area of the world.</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>Join Doug and Barb Miller in praying for wisdom in making use of a new solar projector. (Malawi)</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>Join New Life Ministry in praying for 2 men at risk of overdosing and dying, and a third man in detox on his way to rehabilitation. (London, ON)</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>Ask God to prosper John and Esther Spurrier's ministry at Macha Hospital, and bless the new pastoral couple, Sylvester and Smogy Malilwe. (Zambia)</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>Pray for Fallsview BIC church as they are searching for a lead pastor and John Gibbins continues to serve as the interim pastor. (Niagara Falls, ON)</p>
<p><b>31</b></p> <p>Pray for BIC Canada’s new residency program that will help prepare pastors for ministry. Please pray for the ongoing interviews.</p>						