

Thank you for praying for the specific needs of our Mission Partners' ministries locally and around the world:

Agape Italia (Joel & Amy Hardman, Rome, Italy)

Heavenly Father, we pray for Agape to be known by its love for the Lord and each other, and for new initiatives in Padova and that the partnerships with churches there work together. We pray for students who want to share their faith with fellow students and for professors to come to faith. Lord, would you bless our local teams in Rome and Bologna, as well as our family of six, that we will grow in our love and knowledge of You. We continue to pray for Amy's health to improve and for rest.

Cabwaylingo Appalachian Mission (Bill & Addie Likens, Dunlow, WV)

Father, we pray for this essential Appalachian community ministry to continue to receive food, household goods, and financial assistance to meets needs in Dunlow and surrounding communities. For Bill and Addie's good health, wisdom, and joy as they want to be beacons of hope. Lord, may those who come to the Community Center see that it is the hands and feet of Jesus nourishing them. We also ask for a mild winter!

Campus Outreach (Artie & Kittery Van Sciver, Charlotte, NC)

Lord, we pray for new staff efforts to build networks of ministry partners who invest in their campus ministry. Please open opportunities to meet with students who need Your love, and give them a hunger to investigate Christ in community and the local church. May older students grow in devotion and obedience to follow where You lead them, so that more students can experience Your love and grace.

Christian Mission to Gaza (Pastor Hanna Massad, Gaza & Jordan)

Jesus, we pray for the war in Gaza to end, for peace and stability in the region, and for physical and emotional healing of the millions scarred by this ongoing crisis. Please protect CM2G workers and sustain them to serve and meet the growing needs in Gaza and surrounding areas.

Crossing Thresholds (Rev. Carter Via, Nairobi, Kenya)

Father, we lift up CT's 5 schools, 1,500 students, and 75 teachers employed in our schools. We pray for their new Kenyan co-directors, Franco and Mercy, as they transition into bigger roles, and we pray that their schools can move from *good to great*. Please bless our new partnership with Mobjap school specifically.

Forman Christian College (Rev. Roger Dermody, Lahore, Pakistan)

Lord, we pray for the community as climate change alters the weather, schools and businesses lose days of work, and respiratory illnesses spike. We pray that the Rector and Executive Director can forge new relationships, and for an end to closemindedness among uneducated

people. And please protect Christians and other minorities from the misuse of blasphemy laws, and that FCCU's culture of understanding can be the standard.

HopeCo (Hudson Mahare, Tanzania & Kenya)

Lord Jesus, we pray for funding to support the rescue and care for 60 new children in 2025, and that God will guide lead HopeCo staff to these children. We pray for the ministry, staff, and children to finish the year strong, and that the children will continue to thrive. Please protect the staff, children, young women, university students, families, and facilities, and work Your purposes through them all.

Hopeline Pregnancy Center (Adrienne Greto, Stamford)

Father, we thank you for new financial supporters and pray for more to partner with them in their ministry to mothers and babies. Please give wisdom to the staff and volunteers as they listen to the concerns of women and seek to share the gospel of life. May more women and men receive the healing they need.

The Initiative (US)

Lord, we ask for Your blessing on efforts to start new Initiative chapters. We lift up the Initiative event that NPC is hosting on **Jan. 18, 2025**, during the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity; please use the planning and event to build relationships with local churches in lower Fairfield County who want to work together as Jesus prayed. And please bless Tl's work to create strategic and long-term planning.

LIFE Ministry (Kenya)

Lord, we pray for fruitful ministry with students, young professionals, and church partners. Please bless the staff's fundraising efforts and provide school fees needed by students. Would You grant Maina safe travels abroad as he sets up operations for meetings and Caroline wisdom and health in her work with staff and students.

Nambale Magnet School (Rev. Evalyn Wakhusama, Nambale, Kenya)

Father, we pray for Evalyn and her staff to lead their students with wisdom and love. Please encourage and equip learners and schools throughout Kenya as they continue to navigate new school requirements, especially the one to add 9th grade classrooms. Please abundantly bless the goals that NMS has set for 2025.

Open Doors (Michele Conderino, Norwalk)

Lord, we thank You for the strategic ways that Open Doors is working to eliminate homelessness by equipping neighbors with safe and affordable housing. We know that both clients as well as staff have been significantly hurt by economic conditions, so would You provide help and wisdom and partners who want to work together on caring solutions.

Pivot Ministries (Mary Aly, Bridgeport)

Loving Father, please break the chains of physical and spiritual addiction, and provide stable work and relationships that encourage good choices. May Your grace empower fresh starts. We pray that the staff will serve in Your power and the alumni to maintain their sobriety. We ask You to lead men to Pivot's door and to support their families while they are in recovery.

Roma Networks (Tom & Dora Becker, Europe)

Jesus, we ask you to lead the Beckers as they explore opportunities to work with Roma-related people in India; with 120 million "Banjara" people who are mostly illiterate, rural, and low in the caste system, it will take a unique approach to reach them. Banjara Network is already started, but the Beckers need wisdom about where to devote time and energy. They believe this is one of the next mission frontiers.

Rossholme Education Centre (Joyce Aruga, Nairobi, Kenya)

Father, we pray for good health among the students, teachers, and staff, and for the entire Kiambiu community. We ask you, Lord, to expand their territory and increase financial support so that they are able to construct new required classrooms soon.

Tumaini Children's Home (Virginia Munyiri, Nyeri, Kenya)

Father, we pray for your grace and strength to sustain the staff as they serve the children with kind hearts, empathy, love, and support. We also ask for smooth transitions of the children back into society. Please give wisdom to the staff and compassion for all those they serve.