PRAYER CALENDAR

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June 2025

Sunday 1

Revelation 22:10 O Lord, put an urgency in the heart of every Bible translator to open Your Word to every language so that every person may be eagerly awaiting Your return. Amen.

Monday 2

Please pray for Pastor Kuhn and his family as they enjoy a farewell visit with friends and colleagues in Cameroon.

Tuesday 3

Please pray for the the Nizaa Language Centre workers and their families, that each person may experience the power and love of Jesus through His Word.

Wednesday 4

Lord, by the stripes which wounded Thee, from death's dread sting Thy servants free that we may live and sing to Thee. Alleluia! Amen!

Thursday 5

Please pray for the Dowayo translators as they work to bring Nehemiah and Psalms to the Revisers Committee for review.

Friday 6

Please pray for the Dii translators as they bring the book of Genesis to the community's Revisers Committee for review.

Saturday 7

Psalm 143:7-8 O Lord, my spirit often fails. But Your Spirit never fails me. Open my ears and my heart to hear of Your steadfast love and moved by Your Spirit, share what I hear with others. Amen.

Sunday 8

Pentecost Sunday Acts 2:11b O Lord, Thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to us. By Your Spirit's power, let everyone who works with Your Word tell of Your mighty works to all people in their own tongues. Amen.

Monday 9

Please pray for DTA Director Pastor Bakari, that he would discern well how best to support the various translation teams under his care.

Tuesday 10

Please pray for Pastor Niran as he supports the various mission efforts of the Thailand Concordia Lutheran Church.

Wednesday 11

Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord, with all Your graces now outpoured on each believer's mind and heart; Your fervent love to us impart. Amen.

Thursday 12

Please pray for many people to volunteer for the summer teams that will help lead Bible Study VBS programs through LAMP in many Canadian First Nations communities.

Friday 13

Please pray for LBTC Board members as they meet this weekend and for voting members who will participate in today's online AGM.

Saturday 14

Psalm 8:1-2 O Lord, let every person, young and old, proclaim Your Word in great strength in their own language to bring Your salvation and destroy the devil's power. Amen.

Sunday 15

Acts 2:36 O Lord, move all LBTC workers and partners urgently translate and proclaim Your Word of salvation that everyone may know with certainty Jesus Christ, crucified, risen, and returning. Amen.

Monday 16

Please pray that many would hear God's call to serve in full-time ministry and prepare for that ministry at the Canadian Lutheran seminaries.

Tuesday 17

Please pray that the Nizaa people would come to faith in Jesus as they hear the gospel in their heart language.

Wednesday 18

Lord, by the brightness of Your light in holy faith Your Church unite; from every land and every tongue this to Your praise, O Lord, our God, be sung: Alleluia! Amen!

Thursday 19

Please pray that the Dowayo translators would continue to strive toward meeting the goals that they have set and would trust in Jesus' strength in the midst of many challenges.

Friday 20

Please pray that the Dii-speaking people would engage in God's Word and receive that Word with joy as they receive it in their heart language.

Saturday 21

Psalm 3:3 O Lord, be a shield of protection around all who are translating and proclaiming Your Word of Life. There may be many foes against us, but Your victory is assured for us. Amen.

Sunday 22

Galatians 4:4-7 O Lord, what joy we have, knowing that we have a glorious inheritance, eternal life. Give us ways to proclaim that good news in every language to every person. Amen.

Monday 23

Please pray for Pastor Touka as he grows in his abilities as a translation consultant and that he would establish a great working relationship with his mentor.

Tuesday 24

Please pray for Pastor Yongtanayat as he works to translate the New testament into Southern Thai.

Wednesday 25

Come, holy Light, guide divine, now cause the Word of life to shine. Teach us to know our God aright and call Him Father with delight. Amen.

Thursday 26

Give thanks to God for Nathan Schmidt as he receives his ordination and continues his work with LAMP, now as a full-time pastor.

Friday 27

Please pray for Dr. James Keller as he begins his first term as a member of LBTC's board of directors.

Saturday 28

Psalm 16:7 O Lord, thank You for the counsel and instruction of Your Word. Bless the work of LBTC translators to trust Your guidance as they fulfil Your calling and share Your Word. Amen.

Sunday 29

Luke 9:54 O Lord, keep us mindful that those who do not receive you one day may receive You another day. We plant and water, but You give the growth in Your good time. Amen.

Monday 30

Please pray for Pastor Mike Kuhn as he officially begins his service to the church as a member of the faculty of LCC's seminary in Edmonton.

July 2025

Tuesday 1

Canada Day Give thanks to God for the freedom to worship Jesus and speak about His saving work on the cross in this blessed country of Canada.

Wednesday 2

O Lord, from every error keep us free; let none but Christ our master be, that we in living faith abide in Him, our Lord, with all our might confide. Alleluia! Amen.

Thursday 3

Please pray for the Bible translation and literacy work among the Nizaa people, that they would not lose heart with the departure of the Kuhn family from Cameroon.

Friday 4

Rejoice that God's Word in Dowayo is being shared in many Dowayo congregations and being broadcast on the Dowayo community radio station.

Saturday 5

Psalm 66:5 O Lord, when Your Word is translated into new languages, let those who speak those languages hear and respond to Your gracious invitation to receive Your salvation. Amen.

Sunday 6

Luke 10:17-20 O Lord, what a great privilege it is to be Your instruments to bring life, salvation, healing, and joy. And in it all, let us always experience the joy of our own salvation. Amen.

Monday 7

Please pray that the Dii-speaking pastors, evangelists, and catechists would make powerful use of the Dii Scriptures in their ministries.

Tuesday 8

Give thanks to God for the wide-spread use of the Kwanja New Testament and Lectionaries in the community's worship life and mission work.

Wednesday 9

Come, Holy Fire, comfort true, grant us the will Your work to do and in Your service to abide; let trials turn us not aside. Amen.

Thursday 10

Please pray for Pastors Bakari and Sylvain as they continue their participation in the iDelta programme.

Friday 11

Please pray for LBTC and the Thailand Lutheran Church as they work out how best to develop the Southern Thai translation project.

Saturday 12

Psalm 41:11 O Lord, many who are Your enemies come out against us who are Your faithful servants. Help us to not give in to discouragement, but to trust in You that You delight in us. Amen.

Sunday 13

Colossians 1:6 O Lord, all praise to You for Your Word of Truth and its power to save. Remind us that the gospel continues to bear fruit and increase in the whole world. Amen.

Monday 14

Please pray for God's blessing upon the cooperative efforts of LCC, LCMS, LAMP, BC Mission Boat, and LBTC in ministering among Canada's First Nations communities.

Tuesday 15

Please pray that the students at our Lutheran seminaries would develop a powerful urgency for mission work here in Canada and around the world.

Wednesday 16

Lord, by Your power prepare each heart, and to our weakness strength impart that bravely here we may contend, through life and death to You, our Lord, ascend. Alleluia! Amen!

Thursday 17

Please pray for Tim Kuhl as he serves as chair of LBTC's board of directors and give thanks for the many gifts and abilities God has given him for this service.

Friday 18

Give thanks to God for the generosity of LBTC donors and the powerful prayer support that encourages the LBTC translators and language workers.

Saturday 19

Psalm 27:1 O Lord, thank You for being my Light, my salvation, and my strength. Be these very things for everyone who hears Your Word that LBTC workers translate. Amen.

Sunday 20

Luke 10:41-42 O Lord, to have Your Word in heart and mind is the one necessary thing. As LBTC workers serve in their callings, keep them steadfast in Your Word for themselves. Amen.

Monday 21

Please pray for Pastor Rich Rudowske, LBT US executive director, and for all the staff of LBT US, that they may all continue to serve joyfully in Christ's mission.

Tuesday 22

Please pray that the computers LBTC is supplying to the Dowayo translation team would serve their needs well and continue to work well under harsh conditions.

Wednesday 23

O Holy Spirit, Your light to every thought impart and shed Your love in every heart; the weakness of our mortal state with deathless might invigorate. Amen!

Thursday 24

Please pray for the Dii translators as they work to clearly and beautifully translate Exodus and Deuteronomy into their heart language.

Friday 25

Please pray that Pastor Ousmanou and Yagouda Bah would remain healthy and encouraged in their work of bringing God's Word into the Nizaa language.

Saturday 26

Psalm 138:7 O Lord, there are many ways that the devil attacks Your faithful people. Thank You for protecting our LBTC workers, for preserving them in faith, and for delivering them from trouble. Amen.

Sunday 27

Colossians 2:10 O Lord, by the power of Your translated Word, continue to fill all who hear and believe that Word with Your Spirit, Your presence, and Your gift of Life. Amen.

Monday 28

Please pray for Pastor Bakai to gain wisdom and confidence as he seeks to expand the Bible translation work to include more languages.

Tuesday 29

Please pray for Rev. Ted Nathalong, bishop of the Thai Lutheran Church, that he would continue to have joy and strength as he serves the people of Christ's church.

Wednesday 30

Give thanks to God for the wonderful welcome that the BC Mission Boat and LAMP teams receive as they serve in First Nations communities.

Thursday 31

Please pray for God's blessings on all the Bible translation organizations at work in the world, as together we seek to bring God's Word to every language on earth.