



Prayers for January/February 2022

LET US JOIN TOGETHER IN PRAYER...

For students and scholars

- 🌐 That each international student and scholar would experience times of rest and refreshment during the last days of their winter break.
- 🌐 For any new international students and scholars joining campuses in the middle of the year to be well oriented and to make connections to international student ministries on their campus.
- 🌐 That Jesus would be known to each international student and scholar as the “light of the nations” and the one who “shines into the darkness”.
- 🌐 That the true story of the courage of St. Valentine and his concern for God pleasing marriage would be heard by each international student and scholar.

For ISM sites, leaders and Volunteers

- 🌐 For wisdom for those planning the new semester’s English classes, Bible studies and activities for each ISM site.
- 🌐 For creative ideas and opportunities to meet with students virtually or face to face despite the challenges of winter weather and continued COVID restrictions.
- 🌐 That during the season of Epiphany as the church celebrates Christ revealing who he is to both Gentiles and Jews, that we would share these truths in appropriate ways with international students and scholars.
- 🌐 That each of us would invite or welcome more Christians to engage with internationals through ISM activities or through one on one interactions.

For the InDepth Bible Seminar

- 🌐 For God to prepare the hearts and interests of students and scholars who would benefit from and be blessed by the InDepth Bible Seminar.
- 🌐 For God’s guidance for JJ Voelker, Sue Hasselbring and any other staff, as they prepare the program and content of InDepth.
- 🌐 That God would provide volunteer child care workers so families with children can attend InDepth as a couple.
- 🌐 For a solid team of prayer partners to pray for the staff and participants of InDepth.
- 🌐 That lives would be transformed for God’s glory during the seminar.

For the Internship Program

- 🌐 Praise God for how he is working through Grace Moody, the ISM Inc. intern serving students at Grand Valley State University along with Pastor Cercez of St John Lutheran, Allendale MI.
- 🌐 That potential interns for Fall 2022 would apply to the internship program.
- 🌐 That ISM sites that would like to be revitalized would see the internship program as a way to restart their efforts to share Christ’s love with internationals.

For the Board of Directors

- 🌐 For the Board as they meet virtually on January 16 for their quarterly meeting.
- 🌐 For God to provide new board members to take the role of Development Coordinator, Public Relations Director and District Mission Executive.