

# PRAYER AND PRAISE



**UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS-AUSTIN & AUSTIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
AUSTIN, TEXAS  
MARCIA MITTWEDE, ISM DIRECTOR**

- That the Lord will continue to lead students to us who are interested in knowing more about the Bible and Jesus.
- Thanksgiving for our new facility and that the Lord would use it to further the Kingdom of God.
- For the many students who have been in Bible class for many months to realize their need for a Savior and to desire baptism.
- Thanksgiving for the volunteer teachers who give of their time, resources and talent to help students and their family members for the sake of the Gospel.
- Thanksgiving for those who support this ministry with their finances. That the Lord would continue to raise up those who realize the strategic importance of ISM.

**UNIVERSITY LUTHERAN CHAPEL, COLLEGE STATION, TX  
LYDIA SCHINNERER AND REV. PAUL HOEMANN, ISM CO-DIRECTORS**

- For our new students, so far, this semester: Joowon (S. Korea), June (S. Korea), Won Ryeong (S. Korea), Xi & Flora (couple from China), Yi & Shengju (couple from China). Ask the Lord to bless our friendships with them. Some of them are Christian but relatively new to the faith. Some of them do not yet know Jesus as their Savior.
- Ask the Lord's blessings as we invite selected students to attend the 2018 In-Depth conference in St. Louis in May. Pray that they will be able to go and be blessed.
- Ask the Lord to bless our hospitality events this semester: ice skating, hiking, and a picnic.
- Ask the Lord to raise up another student co-director for the fall 2018 semester, to work along side Lydia.

**SLIPPERY ROCK, PA  
ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH AND STUDENT CENTER  
AUGUSTA R. MENNELL, CAMPUS MINISTRY DIRECTOR**

- Morgan Koziar, our current All Saints Fellowship president will graduate in May. Please pray that a new student leader will step forward to fill the vacant position.
- Please pray that All Saints will be able to remodel our undercroft successfully. We would like to convert the lower level into a large kitchen and cozy coffeehouse-like space for college students to gather and study.
- Please pray that college students would be attracted to the Wednesday evening worship service, Sunday morning Bible class, and to the one-on-one Bible studies during the week.

**UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN / MADISON, WI  
CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH  
JUDY TANG, IFC DIRECTOR**

- An IFC volunteer was recently diagnosed with cancer, please pray for her upcoming surgery and treatment and that God would grant her peace and strength, and restore her to good health.
- The IFC has a wonderful volunteers and is always looking for more!
- Praise God for the tremendous blessing of support!

**ISM AT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY / EDWARDSVILLE  
BESSIE FICK, ISM COORDINATOR**

- Pray for the contacts made that God would provide opportunities to speak the Gospel message.
- Pray for God's people to bring their gifts so that the work of reaching internationals with God's message of salvation can continue and grow.
- Pray for a person or persons that will serve as bridges for the people of Trinity, Edwardsville to befriend the internationals.
- Thanks for the members who are now assisting in the outreach to internationals and pray that others will come forward to serve.

**FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY / BIG RAPIDS, MICHIGAN  
BETHEL LARSEN, VOLUNTEER**

- Thanks for good conversations with M. and O.J.
- Thanks for Anh's help in meeting new students; may God lead him as he prepares for graduation and life beyond.
- May God grant Zainab (Saudi Arabia) a safe delivery and a healthy baby girl.
- May He provide for S. the employment and resources she needs, and especially lead her to the truth of who Jesus is. May she learn what it is to be a new creation in Him!
- May He help me reconnect with Saudi women I have not seen for a while and have opportunities to share Jesus with them.
- May I make the most of every opportunity to share Jesus' love with the short-term exchange students from South Korea and elsewhere.
- May An have strength and focus in her difficult pre-pharmacy program and be drawn to the strength of the Lord.
- With international student populations dropping, may the staff of the international office have wisdom and resources to recruit those students who can benefit from the programs and setting of Ferris, and may God bring here those students who are searching for Him, consciously or otherwise.