

April 25: Thank God for the lives touched by **Tige Bennett, Retired, Missouri, and Betty Hartell, Retired, IMB**, through their many years of service in His name//Ask God for inspiration and direction as **Norma Tolbert, MWMU Board**, serves as Nominating Committee Chairman this coming year.

April 26: Lesotho: Be in prayer for **Jonathan and Liz Bundrick** as they study the language to be better equipped to share the gospel in the Basotho language.

April 27: Lift up **Jim Albers, DOM, Ozark Prairie Baptist Association**, as he seeks where God is working and encourages the pastors and churches.

April 28: Thank God for **Ellie Quick, 20, MK, American Peoples**, as she seeks what direction God would have her go in the future//Pray that God will grant **Karla Geddes, European Peoples**, a boldness to share the gospel with those who have not heard.

April 29: Ask how you and your church should be involved in **Missouri Baptist Partnership Missions** as you plan summer mission opportunities.

April 30: Pray that God will surround **Thomas Pfeifer, Retired, Louisiana**, with His love, good health and peace today.

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Missouri Prayerways

April 2014

April 1: Ask God to give **Barbara S., Southeast Asia**, and her family spiritual and physical strength to carry out the mission they see before them//Lift up **David Mifflin, DOM, Fellowship Baptist Association**, as he works with the churches and pastors in that association//Thank God for **Janice Reid, Retired, Nevada, and Patsy Myers, Retired, Idaho**, for their years of service.

April 2: Pray that God will give **Karen McCord, Kansas**, many opportunities to share the gospel with the ethnic community around her//Thank God for **Deborah Flowers, Indiana**, and her ministry to the multi-ethnic community//Praise God for the faithful service of **Dennis Betts, Retired, Ohio**.

April 3: Remember **Alan Daws, Washington**, as he seeks direction for new church plants//Ask for spiritual direction for **Paul Posey, DOM, Texas Baptist Association**, as he encourages pastors through their daily challenges.

April 4: Lift up **John Wright, Retired, S. Korea**, as he cares for his wife after a fall that caused a serious injury in September. Pray for improved health and strength for both of them//Pray for the **MWMU Missions Celebration/2014 Annual Meeting** this weekend in Springfield that God will be glorified in what is said and done//Pray for a generous **Missouri Missions Offering** that will minister to teens in the Missouri Baptist Children's Home Crisis Pregnancy Units with a four-day camp of parenting classes, Bible studies and cooking classes.

April 5: Lift up **Charles Moeller, European Peoples**, during a leave of absence for health problems that are limiting his ability to return to the field//Remember **Stella Johnson, Nevada**, as you pray for God's leading in her work//Thank God for the service of **Marlyn Upton, Retired, and Dale Gann, Retired**, both having served with the **Sub-Saharan African Peoples**//Pray for a generous **Missouri Missions Offering** that will provide for GED training, job skills training, one-on-one mentoring and Bible studies, giving hope to women in need through Christian Women's Job Corps.

April 6: Pray for blessings on **Margaret Gitner, Retired, Arizona, and Beulah Peoples, Retired, Massachusetts**, thanking God for the lives they have touched and led to Him.

April 7: Remember **Regina Coleman, Illinois**, as she supports her husband in church planting//**Lesotho:** Praise God that the land survey is complete! Pray that they receive the lease in a timely manner.

April 8: Say a prayer of thanksgiving for the faithful service of **Wally Poor, Retired, American Peoples**.

April 9: Lift up **Kandi Ostertag, American Peoples**, as she seeks ways to build relationships for church planting.

April 10: Lift up the teams that will be ministering with **Stuart Yoakum, Sub-Saharan African Peoples**, as they share the Good News// Remember **Bob Mackey, Maryland**, as he serves on the Metropolitan Missions Team in the northeast//Thank God for **Bruce Williams, DOM, Harrison Baptist Association**, asking for direction as he supports pastors and churches//Lift up **John K., European Peoples**, as he acquaints himself with the work and the people of this region.

April 11: Praise God for the dedicated service of **Belinda Hogan, Missouri WMU Board**, as she serves as Treasurer for the board//Ask God to lead **Kathy Thomas, Kansas**, in the work of associational missions//Thank God for the service of **Dorothy Evans, Retired, South-east Asia**.

April 12: Ask God to bless **Clem Hoelscher, European Peoples**, with spiritual and physical strength in the coming year//Pray that **April Garner, Missouri**, will see new ways to multiply churches in the ethnic community//Offer up a prayer of thanksgiving for the life and ministry of **Charles Bradshaw, Retired, European Peoples**.

April 13: Pray for divine inspiration as **Kelly Pearson, Pennsylvania**, seeks opportunities to plant new churches.

April 14: Lesotho: Pray that the convicting power of the Holy Spirit will fall on the people of Lesotho//Lift up **Becky Hale, MWMU Board Central Regional Consultant**, as she encourages churches to involve their members in missions.

April 15: Thank God for **John Miller, North Dakota**, as he drives many miles to reach and preach to the lost and encourage believers//Pray that **Louis Demster, Retired, Idaho**, will have many opportunities to share the love of Christ.

April 16: Pray for good health and joy for **Joseph Barbour, Retired, South Africa**.

April 17: Ask God to call churches in Missouri to link up with the **Puebla Baptist Convention, Mexico**, in **Partnership Missions** and strengthen both groups as they work together to share the good news.

April 18: Northern Ontario Partnership: Pray for the people of northern Ontario who have never heard the gospel of Jesus Christ. Pray for church planters to respond to God's call to serve in this region.

April 19: Ask for clear direction as **Kevin Carter, DOM, Black River Baptist Association**, leads the southeast portion of Missouri in ministry for Christ.

April 20: Thank God for the years of service of **Neal Myers, Retired, Nevada**, asking for strength as he continues to witness for Him.

April 21: Ask that **Lisa Paris, American Peoples**, will see God working as He calls the people to Himself//Remember **Nichole Kennard, New York**, as she supports the work of church multiplication//Pray for the **MBC team** (Dr. John Yeats, Sharon Yeats, Rob Phillips, Dwain Carter, Laura Wells and David Wells) that will be traveling to the Philippines to help bring pure water to a small village. Pray for many opportunities to share the gospel, travel safety and good health.

April 22: Lift up the groups that are partnering with missionaries in the **Western Gateway Cluster of Africa** asking for divine direction and protection as they travel.

April 23: Praise God for the many years of faithful ministry of **Beverly Richardson, Retired, North African and Middle Eastern Peoples**, asking for continuing opportunities as she renews friendships and encourages those whom she mentored and led to the Lord.

April 24: Pray that God will give **Shad Spannagel, Sub-Saharan African Peoples**, direction as he serves his family and the people to which he has been called//Thank God for the ministry of **Verla Golston, Retired, American Peoples**//Praise God for **Lori Bohannon, Children's Specialist, MWMU Board**, as she serves as resource person for all Missouri churches//Remember **Carl Hunker, Retired, IMB**, and **Jerry Hubbard, Retired, IMB** thanking God for their many years of service.