



## The Church in Prayer September 27<sup>th</sup> 2026

1. Pray that our lives would reflect the compassion Christ has for others. Ask the Lord's help to us see the world through His eyes and be merciful to others as He has been merciful to us. that we might be His hands and feet serving in His name.
2. Kody and Amy Friesen ask prayer for "B", an Iranian believer and his wife who just started a house church that meets on Thursdays. Pray for this couple as they proceed with this new venture. Kody and Amy continue creating Persian media and strengthening trusted Iranian believers who can reach and gather people in ways they never could.
3. There has been a significant increase in persecution against Christians in the West Bengal, Kolkata area in India. This has increased since the election of a strong Hindu party in April. Pray for the protection of believers & that they will trust & not be afraid, & be wise in all that they do.
4. Phillip and Missy Jensen are back in Nepal with son Brooks, Anabel is in the US to begin the year at St. Olaf college and Evan beginning his junior year at Occidental college in California. Being so far apart is taking some getting used to for the family so it is not an easy time. Pray for them all as they make these adjustments. Phillip and Missy have visa renewal this coming month as well.
5. As you pray this week remember Adam Gustafson, Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General for Energy and Natural Resources Division. A part of the Division's responsibility involves seeking to reduce the threat of catastrophic wildfire affecting nearby communities, provide timber products and related jobs, improve water quality and restoration of forest habitats.
6. Pray for the President, that God would give him the strength needed for the heavy responsibilities he carries and surround him with wise, upright counselors. Ask for protection for him and his family.

## Let's Be in Prayer Together for:

### Concerns

Continue praying for Pastor, Leadership Team, Keyla in the church office, those who lead our worship, and all those serving the Lord so faithfully in our Congregation.

Pray for our Sunday school staff and students

**Remember Karen Graham and her family as her niece Sophie Hollis passed away a little over a week ago.**

Pray for those serving in the military and their families.

### Health Concerns

**Pray for those of our body with unspoken requests**

**Billy Garcia** as he continues to deal with his shoulder & other pain

**Bryan Kampbell's father Les**, has been having extreme pain with a sciatic nerve

**Emilia Zallado's one-year-old daughter, Sophia**, fighting a virus that's caused painful skin lesions on her legs and hands

**Those dealing with cancer: Anna Leu** and family as they deal with her leukemia, Laura J's brother-in-law **Brian**, Moses' sister **Cynthia** in Texas, **Jim Hudzinski**

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### Local Leaders & Government

**Buena Vista County Sheriff Kory Elston and Department**

### District Ministries

**Greenbelt Community Church - Clive, IA, Lead Pastor Ryan Wilson**  
**Hidden Acres**

### Pray for our Missionaries and Affiliates

Sendero de Salvacion – Latino Congregation & Leadership

**Pray for the staff and residents at our next-door neighbor Hope Haven**

### Gospel Fellowship

**Pray also for those who faithfully participate in the jail ministry**  
**Melanie Hauser - BVU Chaplain/Student Ministries**

### EFCA ReachGlobal & Crisis Response

**Color denotes new additions or updates.**

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