

Welcome to the Global Impact Celebration Daily Prayer Guide

Each weekday between Monday, January 23rd and February 10th, we will pray for our Mission Partners and events from our GIC. The Guide will contain information on a couple of our Mission Partners or Potential Partners. Each of the partners has given us some prayer request, which you are asked to lift in prayer. In addition to the Mission Partners, there will be some days in which you will lift up one of the events of the Global Impact Celebration.

How to use the daily guide:

- Begin by focusing on God. You might read some scriptures and give thanks for the opportunity of communicating with God.
- Ask God to pour out His Spirit upon the Global Impact Celebration.
- Take a moment to read about the Mission Partners in this email and lift the mission in prayer.
- Then spend time lifting in prayer the request from the mission partners.



Ministry Focus: Mark and Robin Howard hold leadership roles in a local Spanish church (Algeciras, Spain), composed of an international congregation, and collaborate with PI teams in North Africa. Also, they disciple and train believers from several nationalities, both locally and internationally. Mark is also involved in a Bible translation into a Moroccan dialect. The New Testament has been completed and gone to press! In partnership with the local church, Pioneers focuses its work on sending teams to unreached people groups. Cross-cultural workers serve alongside local believers with a heart to see disciples making disciples worldwide.



Keeping in step with their missions' vision, they have been working among various cultures in the Mediterraneannow for 40 years. Mark is originally from Kentucky and Robin from Guntersville, AL. They met at Asbury College, have three married children, all serving the Lord through their prospective local Spanish churches, and two foster children.

Praising God 2021-2022 for the following:

- Our foster kids both now have Spanish citizenship and have finished their courses well last June.
- The New Testament translation is finished and has gone to press.
- Three BMB's were baptized and another grows on for Christ as a baptized member of our church.
- We held a huge worship and evangelism event in the town's bullring on Oct. 14, 2022, with over 1500 people in attendance. This is an historical first for Andalusia!

Prayer Needs:

- Mark puts up a stand for evangelism in the open market most Tuesdays.
- Contagion of the bullring event in Algeciras to other towns and churches in Spain.
- The unity and collaboration between churches needs to continue forward.
- Polishing and publication of the testimony of a Moroccan Sister.
- Progress on polishing of the Old Testament translation in northern Moroccan dialect.

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Reach A Village

China, Southeast Asia, Eurasia



Robert Craft

Ministry Focus:

We seek to find and reach villages with the Gospel which have no churches, missionaries or believers. We do not send missionaries from America, but rely on indigenous, local partners in the country to reach areas of their country where the Gospel has not gone and that foreign missionaries will probably never reach. We help local believers be able to accomplish that mission through biblical equipping, training and building their ministry capacity for outreach and multiplication. We believe that our mission strategy is the most effective and efficient way to fulfill the great commission in villages that have remained unreached and untouched by previous mission efforts.

Prayer Needs:

- Health and safety of workers is always a priority because of the rugged, or resistant or hostile environments of many of our workers as they reach into unreached areas of their countries. Especially those in ministry in countries currently at war, civil war or experiencing famine or natural disasters.
- Pray for the printing and transport of Scriptures into the countryside to new believers for their growth and the establishment of the new churches
- Continuing need for Bibles and materials for the evangelists reaching new villages.
- Pray for the wars to end in Myanmar and Ukraine.
- Continued need for funding for training events for church planters and evangelists that are going into new villages with the Gospel.
- Pray for open doors back into the country of Vietnam.

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Meals on Wheels





Ministry Focus:

Meals on Wheels of the Shoals provides not only a free nutritional meal each, but also a friendly safety check on our most vulnerable residents. They deliver over 180 meals each day to the elderly and homebound neighbors living in the Shoals area. They serve Lauderdale, Colbert, and Franklin counties and they delivered over 61,380 free meals during 2020. While 2020 proved to be a challenging year for us all, the need and demand for Meals on Wheels grew greater than ever. Individual donations are down by 70% and most notably, they have experienced a \$43,000 cut in funding from United Way. Now more than ever, our community needs them and needs you. Help them meet their needs and become a volunteer and/or donor.

How can you help:

For a small donation of a few hours per week, you can make a huge difference in the lives of our home bound citizens and the rewards you receive are priceless. We can schedule you for whatever is convenient for you -- times can be once a week, a month or quarterly. You can volunteer with a group or individually. 3 Days each week, Monday-Wednesday-Friday, our caring volunteers deliver hot, nutritionally balanced meals to our aging neighbors or disabled in need. Meals are picked up at various locations between 10:45 am and 11:00 am and then delivered to our clients. The whole process of picking up the meals and delivering them takes approximately 2 hours per volunteer per route. Each senior receives one hot and one frozen meal for a total of six meals each week!

Donation Information

Meals cost \$3.30 each; so a donation of only \$25 will sponsor meals for someone for an entire week! Donations can be made through PayPal on our website at <u>caanw.org</u> or by mailing a check to: Meals on Wheels Shoals, 745 Thompson Street, Florence, AL 35630.

Prayer Needs:

- Thank God for His work through Meals on Wheels across our nation and in our community.
- Pray for the continued work of this ministry through the calling of volunteers.
- Pray that those who are served will see Christ and His compassionate love for them.
- Pray for Eva and all those who are administering this ministry across our nation.

Contact: https://www.mealsonwheelsamerica.org/find-meals