

Prayer Requests – June 2025

Announcement for Sunday, June 1, 2025.

United in Prayer: Up-to-date Requests from our Missionaries

Rev. Mitchell Persaud is a church-planter in Scarborough, ON.

- 1) Thank God for increasing numbers, for unity, and for the love of worship.
- 2) Thank God for the seven individuals preparing for profession of faith, pray that they will be ready to commit.
- 3) Pray that a couple of covenant children will desire to profess their faith.
- 4) Pray for my wife Shabeeda to overcome some serious health issues with her over-active thyroid.

Announcement for Sunday, June 8, 2025

United in Prayer: Up-to-date Requests from our Missionaries

Rev. Austin Reifel is a church-planter in Indianapolis, IN.

- 1) Provision for a Meeting Space—Please pray that the Lord would provide a new worship location—one that better fits our long-term needs and is sustainable within our budget.
- 2) Strength for Office Bearers—Pray for our local elders and deacons, that they would be equipped by the Lord for the work of ministry. Ask the Lord to strengthen them as they shepherd and serve, and to raise up additional men to labor alongside them in the care of the congregation.
- 3) Growth in Grace and Holiness—Pray that the members of our congregation would be conformed more and more to the image of Christ, and that we would be built up through the ordinary means of grace.
- 4) Faithful Witness and Evangelism—Pray that we would be bold and eager to share the gospel of grace with our neighbors, and that the Lord would gather in those who are still far off, bringing them to faith in Christ.

Announcement for Sunday, June 15, 2025

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URCNA Church Planting.

- 1) Pray that God would raise up more men who evidence genuine godliness from within our churches for the ministry
- 2) Pray that pastors and elders would fulfill their duties under Church Order Article 3 to urge competent men to study for the ministry of the Word
- 3) Pray that the financial needs for students would be met via the generosity of God's people
- 4) Pray that more faithful churches would be planted, for we confess "that since this holy assembly and congregation is the gathering of those who are saved and there is no salvation apart from it, no one ought to withdraw from it, content to be by himself, regardless of his status or condition. But all people are obliged to join and unite with it, keeping the unity of the church by submitting to its instruction and discipline, by bending their necks under the yoke of Jesus Christ, and by serving to build up one another, according to the gifts God has given them as members of each other in the same body." (BC Art 28)

Announcement for Sunday, June 22, 2025.

United in Prayer: Up-to-date Requests from our Missionaries.

Rev. Yi Wang is a church-planter in Anaheim, CA.

- 1) Pray for steady growth of the Chinese ministry, for raising up faithful officers, elders and deacons, to shepherd and serve God's people
- 2) Pray for the successful process of particularization of the Covenant Chinese Reformed congregation
- 3) Pray for a broad network of Chinese Reformed communities in North America and a confessional Reformed theological education infrastructure for training future Chinese Reformed ministers.

Announcement for Sunday, June 29, 2025.

United in Prayer: Up-to-date Requests from our Missionaries.

Rev. Paul Murphy is an evangelist in New York City.

- 1) Pray for our seasonal outreach efforts just begun.
- 2) Pray for a new location to worship as we have outgrown our current rental space.
- 3) Pray for new and varied ways to reach the community of which we are a part.
- 4) Pray for partnerships forming with other city ministries.