Great Commission Prayer Letter Mid-Atlantic Region – June 2019

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June 1	Great Commission Europe: New churches	GCE: Pray for many new churches to be planted in areas that have little or no gospel witness in Europe.
June 2	South Ridge & Bridgeport, WV: Summer outreach	South Ridge, Bridgeport, WV: Pray for our summer outreach to be fruitful and that the people of South Ridge Church respond by finding ways to show the love of Jesus Christ to others in creative ways.
June 3	Mid-Atlantic Region: New church plants	Mid-Atlantic Region: Please pray that God would raise up more leaders who will plant churches in the Mid-Atlantic Region.
June 4	Spain: Pamplona - Spiritual growth & love & more meeting space, Madrid - Conference planning	Spain: Pamplona - Pray for continued spiritual growth and love, for provision for more meeting space. Madrid - Pray for God to lead the planning for the European Conference, Awaken, which will be held in Spain, and for people to get saved and added to the church.
June 5	Blacksburg Ablaze, VA: Young leaders attending the Pastors Conference	Blacksburg Ablaze, VA: Pray for our younger leaders attending the Pastors Conference that they would get a vision for lifetime brotherhood and kingdom building with the men and women of this association.
June 6	Philippines: Adjustments & new relationships in Cambodia	Philippines, Mike Bergen: The Philippine missionary team in Cambodia was required by the local government to move to the next village where there also is no church. Pray for them as they make many adjustments and new relationships.
June 7	Chestnut Ridge, WV: Ministry position candidates & soccer/multi-purpose field	Chestnut Ridge, WV: Pray the right candidates would be led to fill the paid ministry positions and that the congregation would enthusiastically support our efforts to develop our front lot into a soccer/multi-purpose field to serve our community.
June 8	Eastern Europe: Sweden - Outreach, Ukraine - House for refugees, Romania - New bakery	Eastern Europe: Sweden - Pray for unity and for our outreach to help students use computers to be well-attended. Ukraine - Pray for protection and direction in building a house for a refugee family. Romania - Pray for gospel-sharing opportunities through the new bakery.
June 9	South Ridge, Fairmont: God has been faithful!	South Ridge, Fairmont, WV: We are celebrating the completion of a two-year faith journey to launch a second location in Bridgeport, WV; double our giving to international missions, and improve the ongoing ministry of the church. God has been faithful!
June 10	Doug Brown & Asia team: Chinese home church, strengthened "beachheads," new staff, & partners	Doug Brown, Asia Team: Pray for the weekly Bible study to grow into a Chinese home church, for the strengthening and expansion of four Gospel "beachheads" in Asia, for new staff being added to international student ministries, and for partners to join me in Asia.
June 11	TSCM: For an example of genuine love & for lasting fruit	Tom Short Campus Ministries: Pray that Tom and the ministry team are examples of genuine, Christ-like love; for lasting fruit; that God works powerfully through the ministry team.
June 12	Nelson Guerra & GCLA ministry	Nelson Guerra and GCLA: Pray for a healthy, growing church plant in every major Latin American city.
June 13	Evergreen, VA: Principles of excellence would stick so that we may be increasingly good examples	Evergreen, VA: Pray that the principles of excellence we have studied in Ezra and Nehemiah would become deeply entrenched in the DNA of our church and that our elders and leaders would be increasingly better examples!
June 14	Germany: Cologne - Katie & Mateo & another elder Berlin - Witness, open hearts, & East Berlin	Germany: Cologne - Pray for Katie and Mateo to learn German quickly, for a co-elder for Martin, and for a place to gather for worship. Berlin - Pray for our witness to be strong and courageous, for open hearts, and for healing of the spiritual apathy of East Berlin.
June 15	Teays Valley, WV: Facility for outreach	Teays Valley, WV: Pray that God will use the building to reach more people for Christ in our community.
June 16	Herschel Martindale, Dominican Republic: Grace & help with leadership training	Herschel Martindale, DR: Please ask for God's grace and help for the leadership training in the Dominican Republic churches with Herschel, Thomas Lemus, Aldo Miranda, Sergio Sabino, and George Sebek.
June 17	Mid-Atlantic Region: Churches would be pastored well	Pray that the elders in the Mid-Atlantic region would pastor their congregations well so that members are growing mature in Christ.
June 18	New Heart Church, Taiwan: God's guidance	New Heart Church, Taiwan: Pray for us as we seek God's guidance on how to best carry out our church vision, whether it's raising up more leaders internally or joining with another church to be more effective.
June 19	Muslims reached for Christ	Please pray that Muslims in the United States and throughout the world would come to faith in Jesus Christ.
June 20	2019 Pastors Conference	Please pray for the June 20-21 Pastors Conference in Bloomington, Minnesota.
June 21	GCC Pastors: Excel in transparency & accountability	Pray for GCC pastors to excel in transparency, humility and accountability towards the congregation and towards those outside the church.
June 22	Fruitful college ministries	Please pray that the college ministries throughout the U.S. would be fruitful.
June 23	Italy: Milano - Pam Apisa, Torino - Fruit from "Christianity Explored," Chieri - Growth	Italy: Milano - Pray that Pam's cancer, which has substantially reduced, would be in total remission. Torino - Pray for fruit from our "Christianity Explored" events. Chieri - Pray for continued growth in maturity and numbers as Doug & Sarah Whitney serve the families.
June 24	Call 2 All: 1 billion souls saved; 5 million churches planted next 10-15 years	Call 2 All: Pray for 1 billion souls to be saved and 5 million churches planted. Our movement of churches is committed to this initiative.
J	India, Nepal & Bangladesh: New church-planting teams, wisdom in light of persecution, & training	India, Nepal, & Bangladesh: Pray that new church-planting teams will be focused, united, and fruitful, for courage and wisdom in light of increased persecution, and for Mike and Su to train and coach well.
June 26	Oak Ridge, MD: Outreach follow-up	Oak Ridge, MD: Pray that we are faithful to follow-up with the fruit from past outreaches to Hispanic and Chinese communities.
June 27	WVU campus ministry: to bear fruit	WVU: Pray that the campus ministry at West Virginia University will bear great fruit.
June 28	Monterrey, Mexico: Discipleship training	Monterrey, Mexico: Please pray for wisdom and direction in discipleship and evangelism training for church members.
June 29	River Ridge, WV: Increase in laborers	River Ridge, WV: Pray for an increase in laborers for the gospel.
June 30	Amsterdam 4F (Four Fields): Salvations among refugees	Amsterdam 4F (Four Fields): Pray that refugees would hear and receive the gospel and for disciples, small groups, and church plants among these new refugee believers.