

**1 A NATION OF PRAYER**

"Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord." (Psalms 33:12)
Please pray for our nation and upcoming elections.

**2 FIRST LAOTIAN BAPTIST CHURCH
PASTOR H**

August 1-2: Pastor H will be preaching to the Lao Southern Baptist Pastors' Conference in Fort Smith, Arkansas. There will be between 40-60 Lao pastors from all over the USA. Pray the Lord will give Pastor H words that will bless and encourage the pastors.

**3 ADAT SHALOM
PASTOR ROBIN ROSE**

Kibitz n' Koffee - Ladies meet the first Sunday of each month at 5pm at the Corner Bakery (7615 Campbell Rd). It's a casual time of fellowship and sharing over a warm cup of coffee and a little nosh. This is a great way to get to know the women of Adat Shalom and make some everlasting friendships. See you there!

**4 EPIC LIFE CHURCH (SEATTLE)
PASTOR KEITH CARPENTER**

All Church Camping Trip - Pray that this time of rest and Bible study will refresh the souls of all that attend the trip. Pray for lives to be changed and souls to be saved.

**5 JAPANESE MISSION CHURCH OF DALLAS
PASTOR FUTOSHI SHINGAKI**

The first Saturday of every month, the Japanese Christian Fellowship of Austin holds a Bible study meeting for Japanese people. This meeting is not only for Christians but also for those who are interested in Christianity. The Bible study in Austin is the first Saturday of each month, 11am-2:30pm.

**6 SILENT FRIENDS CHAPEL
PASTOR DALE KESTERSON**

Pray for the Men's Fellowship Bible Study at 5pm. Pray that each man will find a special message in God's Word that will meet a need in his heart.

7 FBCD MISSION TRIP TO KENYA

Pray for the team as they prepare to say goodbye to new brothers and sisters in the faith, for their return to the States, for traveling mercies, and good health. Please remember to pray for the local pastors and churches as they reach out to those who have committed their lives to Christ.

**8 EL CALVARIO
PASTOR RENE LUEVANO**

Pray for Pastor Luevano and leaders of El Calvario as they hold Home Bible Study Cells each Wednesday in Irving, Oak Cliff, and West Dallas.

**9 ADAT SHALOM
PASTOR ROBIN ROSE**

Pray for people to be drawn to the Friday night worship services at Adat Shalom, 7:30pm. Pray the Lord will bless Pastor Rose's teaching as they learn about the heart of the Messiah and principles for sharing the Jewish Messiah with the Jewish people.

**10 THE PATHWAY CHURCH (SEATTLE)
PASTOR BOBBY HIGGINBOTHAM**

Pray for seven church plants that Pathway will be mentoring. Basic Training is a required class offered by the Seattle Church Planting Group for area planters. It is an intense 4 day boot camp for planters new to the field. Planters, spouses, planting team members, and mentors/coaches remove themselves from the distractions of the field and commit time, thought, and prayer to developing a church planting strategy. Planters leave with a specific strategy and identified milestones to begin implementation.

**11 ADAT SHALOM
PASTOR ROBIN ROSE**

Simchat Shabbat (Dance Class), Saturday, August 16, 3-5pm. Have you ever wanted to learn Davidic dance? Then this is the class for you! Beginner or seasoned dancers are all welcome. Named after King David who famously danced before the Ark of the Covenant, it takes a similar form to Israeli Folk Dancing.

**12 SILENT FRIENDS CHAPEL
PASTOR DALE KESTERSON**

Pray for deaf IMB, NAMB missionaries, and Wycliffe translators. Please pray for deaf people around the world who need Jesus. There are over 100 deaf people groups that are unengaged and unreached.

13 ARAB BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

Pray for the 17 graduates as they go back to their parts of the world to serve God. Join in prayer for God to protect and strengthen them because "the harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few."

**14 PRISON MINISTRY
CHAPLIN ROBERT D'ANDREA**

Pray for the spiritual growth of all the ladies involved in ministering at Gatesville Prison and the continued work they are doing in teaching the inmates at Gatesville the Word of God.

**15 WYCLIFFE - SCRIPTURE
CELEBRATION COMING**

Philippines: The worldview of this Kalinga language community is "a tooth for a tooth," which results in ongoing warfare with other communities. Last year the killing of a person from one group should have resulted in another tribal war, but the believers joined together in prayer. This was the first time in history that such a killing was resolved in a week. Praise God for the way His Word has transformed lives. The Lubuagan Scriptures will be inaugurated in August. Pray that they take pride in their language and the Scriptures and use them in their churches and personal devotions.

**16 ADAT SHALOM
PASTOR ROBIN ROSE**

Bagels & Bibles: Men's Shabbat Breakfast, Saturday, August 16, 9-11am. Join us for a time of fellowship and great food! You bring your Bible, and we'll bring the bagels! Invite a friend!

**17 EL CALVARIO
PASTOR RENE LUEVANO**

Pray for the members and leaders of El Calvario as they share lunch, fellowship, and prayer with the school teachers and staff at Gabe P. Allen School.

**18 DISD CHILDREN & TEACHERS
2014-15 SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS**

School start date for teachers: August 18, 2014; School start date for students: August 25, 2014. Pray for all the children and youth that are returning to school. Pray for their safety as they travel to and from school and as they traverse the hallways between classes. Pray for them to be guarded against secularism and prejudice in the public school systems because of their faith in Christ. Pray for strength to stand up against the many forms of evil that children face today.

**19 EPIC LIFE CHURCH (SEATTLE)
PASTOR KEITH CARPENTER**

Pray for Conrad House Church - A small group gathering for fellowship, to study the Bible, and serve the community.

**20 PRISON MINISTRY
CHAPLIN ROBERT D'ANDREA**

Pray that volunteers and all the resources needed are received to bring Hope for the Heart teaching material to the women at Gatesville.

**21 THE PATHWAY CHURCH (SEATTLE)
PASTOR BOBBY HIGGINBOTHAM**

Prayer support is a vital part of planting a church. The reality is that the spiritual warfare surrounding church planting is intense. Many planters are beginning their church plant with nothing, often in a new location away from family and friends. The planter, being a catalytic person, is working insane hours and usually out of his home. The toll on the family can be great. Your prayers can support and undergird the planter and their family during these early stages. In addition, pray for the hearts of those who will be reached through this new plant, for finances for the planter (and team members) to live on, as well as to do ministry, and for co-laborers to rise up and walk alongside the planters.

**22 IGLESIA BAUTISTA COMUNIDAD HISPANA
PASTOR PORFIRIO ABAD**

Pray for Pastor Abad and this growing partnership church. They meet at Criswell College in Horner Hall Sunday afternoon at 1:30pm. Pray for Pastor Abad and his family as they follow God's lead in this ministry and meet a need for the Gospel in the local community.

**23 PRISON MINISTRY
CHAPLIN ROBERT D'ANDREA**

Pray for more laborers from the FBCD congregation to minister one-on-one at the Dallas county jail. For more information, please contact Rob at Rdandrea@firstdallas.org.

24 IMB: INDONESIA

Praise the Lord that when an angry mob in Indonesia asked the police to arrest two young women for "forcing" an elderly woman into a new religion, the young women were able to share the Good News with the crowd and the grandmother testified that she had willingly given her heart and soul to the one true God!

**25 EL BUEN PASTOR
PASTOR PEDRO GUTIERREZ**

Pray for Pastor Gutierrez and all of the mission pastors as they share the love of Christ with their congregations and communities. Pray that hearts will be opened and that many will come to faith in Christ as their Lord and Savior.

**26 KEYSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH
PASTOR DAMON HALLIDAY**

Please continue to pray for KBC as they discover the joy and hardships of combining two church locations into one. Pray for the Sunday School teachers as they organize and begin Sunday School classes.

**27 CROSSROAD CHURCH
PASTOR BOB RAO**

Pray for the Crossroad Church as they worship on Saturday, 5-6:15pm at 8800 N. MacArthur Blvd., Irving, TX 75063. Their phone number is 214.274.6321.

**28 LARRY WALKER
FBD AMBASSADOR AT LARGE**

40th Anniversary Celebration - Join us for a special time to rejoice and honor the Walkers for their 40 years in ministry with FBCD. The celebration will be in CenterStage, August 29, from 5-9pm.

**29 EPIC LIFE CHURCH (SEATTLE)
PASTOR KEITH CARPENTER**

Pray for the Pilgrim Coffeehouse to model the love of Jesus Christ in a way that inspires people to engage one another on a personal level for Christ.

30 IMB: SHIA MUSLIMS OF IRAQ

Pray for a group of believers meeting weekly in one community. Pray they will grow strong in God's Word and that a leader will surface from among them to provide leadership at these weekly meetings. Recently a believer gave out copies of God's Word to a number of men whom he had befriended. Pray that as these men read God's Word and their hearts and minds will be forever transformed and they will become followers of Jesus.

**31 MISSIONS INTERSECT CONFERENCE
OCTOBER 25, 2014**

Please pray for the upcoming Missions Intersect Conference in October. There will be plenary sessions in CenterStage with special speakers, such as Dr. Rebekah Naylor. Also, smaller breakout sessions will cover specific topics. Watch for more information in the near future and the opportunity to register online.

MISSION CHURCH CONTACT INFO

For more information on any Mission Church and their events, contact info is below.

Adat Shalom	972.271.4976
Crossroads Church	214.458.6496
El Buen Pastor	214.381.5119
El Calvario	214.638.1277
Epic Life Church	epiclifechurch.org
First Laotian Baptist Church	214.228.7044
Iglesia Bautista Comunidad Hispana	786.942.1151
Japanese Mission Church of Dallas	469.328.1872
Keystone Fellowship Church	214.403.4408
Lake June Baptist Church	214.213.7055
Prison Ministry	214.969.7746
Silent Friends	214.969.2410
The Pathway Church	thepathwaytacoma.com



“...and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in His name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem.” Luke 24:47

Over 40 years ago, God laid a burden upon the heart of Lucille Meadows of First Baptist Church Dallas to provide housing for missionaries while on their stateside assignment. These homes have been a place of rest for weary families who have sacrificed, served, prayed, and labored for Jesus. Jesus said to his disciples, “Come away by yourselves and rest for a while” (Mark 6:31). Our two mission homes are located in the Creek Crossing area of Mesquite and stay occupied most of the time.

Thank you for your faithful, sacrificial giving to missions because you are making an eternal difference, not only in the nations and peoples around the world, but also for those whom the Lord sends out to minister. **Hebrews 6:10** reminds us, **“For God is not unjust so as to forget your work and the love which you have shown toward His name, in having ministered and in still ministering to the saints.”**

Please take time and go by our Mission's Center on the first floor of the new Worship Center (just inside the fountain doors) and see the many faces and places where your generous giving is extended through First Baptist Dallas Missions Ministry. You will notice artifacts from around the world that have been given to our church family from our missionaries. Please remember to pray for these missionaries as they share His love around the world.



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