

Wednesday, April 27

Pray for our seniors this noon as they gather for lunch and good fellowship at St. Paul's.

Thursday, April 28

Pray for the wisdom to know when to speak, when to listen, when to stand firm, and when to compromise or let go.

Friday, April 29

Pray for the harvest of seeds that were planted by the *St. Petersburg Mission Team* now that a decision has been made not to hold this Summer Institute this year. Pray for Tanya Philpott's ministry.

Saturday, April 30

Pray for farmers as they prepare their fields for planting.



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Prayer Requests for the
May 2011 Prayer Calendar
must be received by
April 25, 2011

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Prayer Calendar

April 2011

Sunday, April 3

Your Father knows the things you have need of before you ask Him. Matthew 6: 8

Monday, April 4

Pray for Beth and Scott Hurd as they travel to visit Ann Burgess in Thailand.

Tuesday, April 5

Pray for our country of Canada as we go to the polls on May 2; that the campaign be one of civility and that the voter turnout will reflect our commitment to democracy.

Wednesday, April 6

We are able to have as much of God as we want. Pray that we will want as much of Him as we can get.

Thursday, April 7

Pray for those recovering from heart surgery and for those suffering from angina. Thank God for the *Ottawa Heart Institute* and all their surgeons, researchers, and staff.

Friday, April 8

Pray for accountants and their families who annually face the April 30 deadline for the preparation of our income tax returns.

Saturday, April 9

Pray for the James family as they mourn the loss of their wife and mother, Helen, and the Weppler family as they mourn the loss of their husband and father, Arnie. Praise and thank God for their presence in our lives.

Sunday, April 10

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and instruction. Proverbs 1: 7

Monday, April 11

Pray for spouses and families having to make the difficult decision to institutionalize their loved one.

Tuesday, April 12

Pray for people contemplating suicide, especially teens; that God will send them someone to help them know the love and hope of Christ Jesus.

Wednesday, April 13

Pray for Brian McConaghy and his work with *Ratanak International*, especially for Brian's health and family life.

Thursday, April 14

Pray for the Pioneer Clubs children and for the volunteers who work so hard to teach them about Jesus and to instil lifelong values.

Friday, April 15

Pray for Jeremy Sauvé and the Youth Group as they seek more volunteers to meet the needs of all the teens in an overcrowded Youth Room.

Saturday, April 16

Pray that people will remember not to wear scented products to church because of the hazard they present to those with allergies, some life-threatening.

Sunday, April 17

Go, therefore, and make disciples of all the nations. Matthew 28:19

Monday, April 18

Pray to remember God's presence all day, every day, in everything we say and do, especially driving and bussing to and from work.

Tuesday, April 19

Pray for grandparents, most of whom are on a limited income, who are bringing up their grandchildren. Pray that provincial governments will include them in the monies paid foster parents.

Wednesday, April 20

Pray that we can create enough silence within us to hear the still, quiet voice of God.

Thursday, April 21 *Maundy Thursday*

Pray for our choir this evening as they sing the Easter Cantata "The Crucifixion" and, as we celebrate communion, pray we will remember the sacrifice of Jesus for our sins.

**Friday, April 22 *Good Friday***

And when Jesus had cried out again in a loud voice, he gave up His Spirit. At that moment the curtain of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom. The earth shook and the rocks split. The tombs broke open and the bodies of many holy people who had died were raised to life. Matthew 27: 50-52

Saturday, April 23

But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon Him and with His stripes we are healed. Isaiah 53: 5

Sunday, April 24 *Easter Sunday*

There was a violent earthquake, for an angel of the Lord came down from heaven and rolled back the stone and sat on it. The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here; He has risen, just as He said." Matthew 28: 2-6

Monday, April 25

Pray for those among us who are seeking employment; that they and their families will find encouragement from us, and that the evil one will not wreak havoc on their self-confidence.

Tuesday, April 26

Pray for the people among us who are facing health problems that place limitations on the quality of their life.

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