



October 2025 Prayer Targets

"Truly, truly, I tell you, unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a seed. But if it dies, it bears much fruit. John 12:23-24

He said to His disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into His harvest." Matt 9:36-38

For the Body of Christ and our nation:

- We praise God that what was meant for evil, He is already using for good (Gen. 50:20). In the wake of the tragic murder of Charlie Kirk, we are seeing:
 - Believers awakened to courageous obedience.
 - Many new professions of faith and prodigals returning home.
 - Fresh voices rising to continue dialogue on college campuses. For these, we pray for follow-through and eternal transformation.
- We pray that these seeds bear lasting fruit. May every speaker be firmly rooted in God's Word, pointing to Jesus as the only foundation for true solutions. Pray for wisdom, discernment, and protection over events, and for the Spirit to soften hearts and open minds to Truth.
- We also lift up those who have heard the gospel clearly yet still resist surrendering to Jesus (Acts 7:51). May the Holy Spirit bring conviction that leads to salvation.
- For our persecuted brothers and sisters who are being forced to leave their homes and livelihoods, we ask for God's sustaining presence. May they know they are not forgotten, and may aid agencies be effective in reaching them with provision and care. [Learn more here.](#)
- This month is **Pastor Appreciation Month**! As we honor pastors and ministry leaders, let us also pray that their hearts and families are refreshed, protected, and strengthened. May their unity in Christ shine as they shepherd God's flock with love and endurance.

Oregon and our local communities:

- Lord, bless our communities as they gather for Harvest Festivals and church outreaches this month. May these be safe, joyful, and filled with opportunities for gospel conversations, new friendships, and lasting church connections.
- We pray for children's ministries such as AWANA and Child Evangelism Fellowship. May the combination of Scripture memory and the love of leaders guide children toward a saving relationship with Jesus.
- We also remember college campuses:
 - Protection and favor over campus events that proclaim Christ.
 - Freshmen adjusting to new independence. May they seek godly friendships and ministries that keep them grounded in faith.
 - Christian professors, coaches, and administrators: that they would be salt and light, boldly upholding God's values in their spheres of influence.

For Mid-Valley Women of Christ:

Our **Fall Bible Study, *Esther* by Kelly Minter**, is underway and it's not too late to join! Find locations and register here: <https://www.midvalleywomenofchrist.org/locations>

Please pray:

- God's blessing over 22 host churches in 14 cities, that His Spirit would move powerfully as women gather around His Word.
- That deep, lasting connections would form as participants share their hearts and prayer needs.
- For unity and discernment for our Bible Study Selection Team as we seek His leading for Winter 2026.
- For safe travels and favorable weather, as our board members begin visiting Bible study groups.