

## Intercessory Prayer

*Have you ever felt an unexplained burden on your heart to pray for unnamed others, for your community or the world at large? The Bible is filled with examples of men and women who lifted up others in prayer, and Ephesians 6:18 tells us to: “pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests.” With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for God’s people.*

### What is Intercession and Intercessory Prayer?

The primary principle of intercession is simply to tell God what He tells us to tell Him as the means of releasing His power. He tells us what to pray in His Word. We can pray the Bible. It is profoundly simple. Intercession is God’s brilliant strategy for including the saints in ruling with Him in power. Its mystery is in its simplicity, humility, and accessibility to all.

God has chosen intercession as the primary means in which He releases His power now and forever. Jesus operated in the principle of intercession when He created the earth by speaking the Word to the Father (Genesis 1). He releases His power now and will rule the nations forever in partnership with His people through intercession.

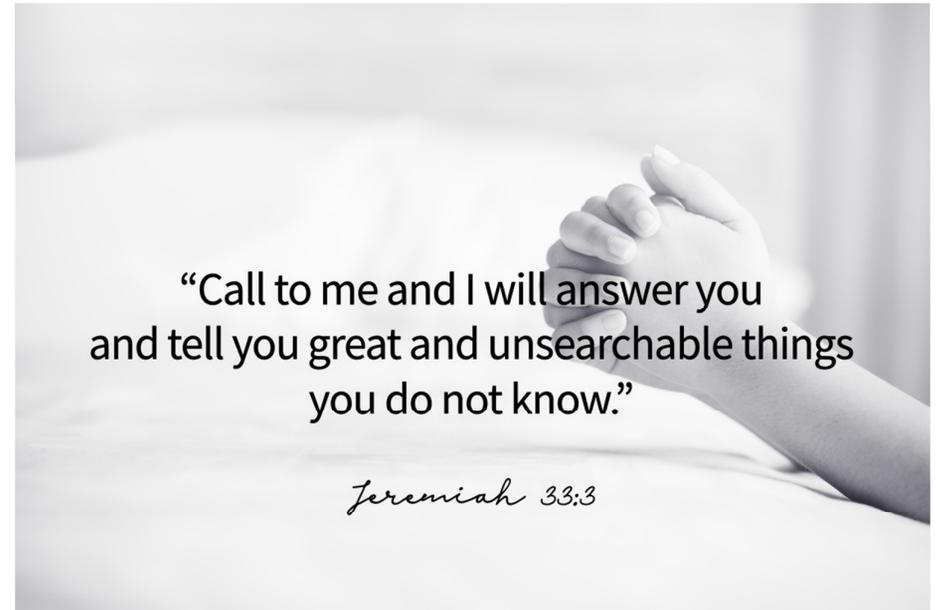
- Intercession causes us to internalize God’s Word and changes us.
- Intercession unites our heart to people and places we pray for.
- Intercession renews our hope and faith.
- Intercession imparts life (John 6:63).
- Intercession makes a long-term impact beyond this age (Rev. 5:8, 8:1-6).
- Intercession humbles us.
- Intercession changes the spiritual atmosphere of cities and nations.
- Intercession causes multiple blessings to return to the intercessor (Luke 6:38).

(Excerpt from *The Revelation of Intercession* by Debbie Przybylski)



# Monthly Prayer Letter

## February 2019



### How to use this monthly prayer letter:

1. Read and meditate on the given Scripture verse (from Word in Season [WIS] daily reading plan)
2. Thank the LORD for partnership in prayer.
3. Ask the LORD to guide on the prayer.
4. Pray over the pointers at the leading of the Holy Spirit.
5. By faith thank Him that the prayer offered is answered.

**Monthly Prayer Letter – February 2019**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Romans 11:11-36 Let's uplift <b>Pastor-in-Charge, Rev Raymond Fong and all our Pastors</b> as they lead the church forward in the directions of " <b>One Family, One Word, One Mission</b> " that God's wisdom, favour, guidance and anointing be upon them.	2 Romans 12:1-8 As we continue the focus on the direction of " <b>One Family</b> " this year – pray that God may indeed help our church family grow as " <b>One Family</b> " in true koinonia (true fellowship, "one another-ness"), authentic relationships and a radical love and care for one another bearing fruit for God's glory.
3 Romans 10:12-17 Pray that there will be a holy awe of the Presence of God in each member of Faith so that as One Family of saints in the Lord Jesus Christ we will become a life-giving force and a dynamic spiritual influence to our spheres of influence, the community and beyond.	4 Romans 12:9-21 Pray that God will re-ignite our faith, rekindle our first love and re-fire our imagination so that our church family will become a caregiver to the needy, a burden-bearer to the wounded, a people builder church, expanding the glory of God into the community and beyond.	5 Romans 13:1-7 <b>Chinese New Year Season</b> - Pray for a great time of reunion with our loved ones and catching up with relatives and friends. Pray for increased sensitivity to the Holy Spirit and that we will be His source of hope, encouragement and blessing during this season.	6 Romans 13:8-14 Pray for renewed love for our friends and relatives and a special fervency and urgency to share the Gospel with those who have yet to know Jesus as their Saviour. Pray that God may create many open doors for us to make friends for eternity.	7 Romans 14:1-12 Pray that <b>Word In Season (WIS) 5: The Unfolding Plan of God</b> will indeed bring us through a season of consecrating our lives, to build upon a strong foundation as God's people living for His plan, purpose and glory.	8 Romans 14:13-23 Pray for maximum participation from our church family at the <b>Family Conference</b> on 23 Mar where biblical principles on the family will be illustrated accurately to the participants so that they can practise in their homes bringing glory to God.	9 Romans 15:1-7 Pray for divine wisdom upon our government to uphold the constitution of the State; for uprightness to rule the nation, for courage to give freedom and for compassion to help the poor and the weak.
10 Romans 13:8-10 Pray that there will be an urgency among the Christian community to bring the Gospel of Jesus Christ to every tribe, every nation and every people group as the Day of the Lord draws nearer.	11 Romans 15:8-13 Pray that the church in Singapore will rise up to meet the challenge of being the Antioch of Asia and be in partnership with the Holy Spirit to train and multiply new harvesters for the field of the kingdom of God in the region.	12 Romans 15:14-33 Pray for God's guidance on the <b>First Local Conference</b> tonight and for His anointing on our church leaders that God will establish the work of their hands and empower and enable the ministries under their care to fulfil their plans for the new conference year.	13 Romans 16 Praise God for His presence and the release of His healing power at the inaugural House of Healing on 16 Jan with many encountering Him and receiving a touch from Him. Pray for <b>tonight's House of Healing</b> that the Lord will work mightily to heal and restore those who seek Him.	14 Proverbs 2 Pray that the preparation of the <b>Alpha Course</b> will run smoothly with many volunteers coming forward to help in the 12 sessions of weekly meeting beginning in March.	15 Job 1-5 Give thanks to God for the opportunities given to <b>FaithActs</b> to reach out to the community where there is an increase of beneficiaries through the various activities conducted by FaithActs.	16 Job 6-8 Pray that God will sustain all volunteers and staff of <b>FaithActs</b> —granting them the joy of the Lord to be their strength to reach out to the youths, families and seniors in the community.
17 Job 1:20-22 Pray that Faith will always be an outward-looking church and have eyes to see and ears to hear the needs of the world beyond the shores of Singapore, that Faith will be a church that brings God's light, salt and blessings to the world.	18 Job 9-11 Pray for the Lord's protection upon the Christians in China who face prohibition to conduct worship services, that the Lord will be their Refuge to keep their faith strong in Jesus Christ despite the intimidation.	19 Job 12-15 Pray for journey mercies as the <b>Pastoral and Admin team</b> go for their bonding trip from 19 to 22 Feb and that the "koinonia" spirit will be deepened among them.	20 Job 16-18 Pray that the bonding session of the <b>Pastoral and Admin team</b> would draw them closer and unite them in the unity of the Spirit so that they serve the Lord as One Family.	21 Job 19-22 Pray that the Christians in Singapore will begin to make contact and develop friendships with their neighbours, colleagues and friends so as to invite them to attend the <b>Celebration of Hope</b> evangelistic rally at the National Stadium (17-19 May).	22 Job 23-27 Pray that the Lord will provide resources, manpower and wisdom for the <b>Celebration of Hope</b> organizing committee to run the event smoothly and safely bringing glory to God.	23 Job 28-31 Pray that there will be a big harvest of souls into the kingdom of God during the three days of the <b>Celebration of Hope</b> and that the new believers will be properly nurtured to grow in their faith in Christ Jesus.
24 Job 9:1-4, 12:9-25 Pray that the proclamation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ will reach every tribe, every nation and every peoples group without hindrances and that the Holy Spirit will convict hearers of their need of salvation that they may come to know Jesus.	25 Job 32-36 Pray that the Lord will strengthen and comfort the persecuted Christians in Uttar Pradesh, India where they face oppression from the main religious group in the state which forbid the Christians to practice their faith.	26 Job 37 Pray that the Lord will set a hedge of protection over <b>Israel</b> as she faces the threats of wars from her neighbouring countries and also the terrorist attack on her citizens.	27 Job 38-41 Pray that our church family, as God's chosen people, will come together to worship Him in reverence and awe at the <b>Night of Worship</b> . Pray that God's name be glorified and magnified in our worship.	28 Job 42 Pray that the Lord will grant resolve to the Israel Defence Force as they face the violence from the South Western part of the region and wisdom to solve the conflict amicably.		

