

# WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

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## **YOUTH DAY (4 July, today)**

- \* Pray for sensitivity to the beckoning of the Holy Spirit amidst the many voices that compete for the attention of youth today.
- \* Pray for protection from the Devil and deliverance from evil as young people grow increasingly exposed to a digital age.
- \* Pray for peace of mind as youth today face increasing stress from school, competition and expectations.
- \* Pray for hopeful imagination, courage, wisdom and clarity in an increasingly hostile, volatile, secular and uncertain age.
- \* Pray for a deeper yearning and love for Christ and His Church that will take hold of their immense passion, energy and potential.

## **COMBINED SESSION-BOD MEETING (6 July @ 7.30pm)**

- \* Thank God for the opportunity for our leaders to gather together for a combined Session-BOD meeting this Tuesday, 6 July, over Zoom. Pray for a good time of prayer and fellowship.
- \* May the Holy Spirit guide and direct our leaders as they meet to discuss various church matters, including the strategy and implementation of our Church Vision, especially in the area of Effective Mentoring.

## **PRAYING FOR OUR FELLOW BPCIS CHURCHES:**

### **Mt Horeb B-P Church**

- \* Praise God for His providence and protection for Mt Horeb in the Pandemic with Sunday Worship Service Onsite for 50pax and the rest of the congregation meeting online via Zoom.
- \* Pray for the renewal of leadership by younger brothers and sisters. This includes the search for a pastoral candidate as part of the pastoral renewal.
- \* Pray for our Outreach Ministry through Children's Sunday School, Youth and Evangelistic Bible Study Groups and Overseas Missions.

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## PRAYING FOR THE AV TEAMS FOR THE 3 SERVICES:

### ZMS

- \* Thank God for the AV team, comprising **Keat Sung, Sally, Jonathan, Mabel, Arnci, Henry, Hannah, Ruth, KL and Irene**, as they serve every Sunday in different aspects of the Audio/Visual part of the worship service.
- \* During this pandemic period, the team has much to do because of Live-streaming and recording. They need more help and request for those who are able and willing to come forward to help. Training will be provided. They are looking for Projectionists to manage powerpoint slides and AV personnel to manage and install mics and ensure the system functions.
- \* Pray for the AV team members to have God's strength and wisdom to perform their duties well and for joy in their service to the Lord.

### 2MS

- \* Pray for those currently serving to do so with much joy.
- \* Please pray for the raising up of more volunteers for this important ministry.

### ZES

- \* Thank God for willing hearts to serve behind the scenes in the AV team namely **Hua Song, Wai Yoong, Josh, Meng Choo, Bernard, Dness Clarissa and Lye Kwan**. Pray that God will continue to bless the team with joy in their hearts as they see God use each of them to be a blessing to others. Thank and praise God that the sound system, slides and videos shown could run so well every week with the team's God-given tact and skill.
- \* Continue to pray for more to come forward to serve and be open to training so that there will be sufficient manpower for the team to take sufficient breaks.

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## PERSONAL NEEDS

- \* **Mr Bay Kang Chwee (ZMS):** Praise God for allowing him to complete his second round of chemotherapy on 28 June with minimal side effects thus far. As his blood platelet count is expected to reduce this week, pray for sustained immunity and that his body will heal and produce new platelets. Pray for a heart of peace and faith in God as hospitalisation continues.
- \* **Mrs Helen Chan (ZES):** Since she was discharged from hospital on 24 June, she has been experiencing physical fatigue, stomach bloatedness, appetite loss and irritating pain on her back. Pray to the Lord to grant her relief from these discomforts. God willing, she commences her radiotherapy sessions on 5 July. May God minimise any side effects. Ask the Lord to renew her strength physically, mentally and spiritually as promised in Isaiah 40:29-31 as she puts her trust in Him.
- \* **Pastor Yap:** He thanks the Lord for a successful surgery to remove a cyst in his vocal chords on 30 June. This is likely the cause for hoarseness in his voice since December 2020. Pray for infection-free healing of the surgery wounds and restoration of his voice in due course. He has to observe strict voice rest for the next two weeks.