

CBS Canada December 2018 Prayer Calendar

To make disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ in our communities through caring, in-depth Bible study available to all.

Isaiah 9:6 "For unto us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulders, and His name shall be called Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

A: Adoration C: Confession T: Thanksgiving S: Supplication

1 Dwelling—Core Groups

John 1:14 "The Word became flesh and made His dwelling among us ...full of grace and truth."

A: Truth.

C: Believing the lies of the enemy.

T: Word working in us.

S: Presence in our gatherings.

4 Authority—Board of Directors

Colossians 2:10 "And you have been filled in Him, who is the head of all rule and authority."

A: Head of all with power and authority.

C: Forgetfulness of His leadership.

T: His readiness to fill us with His wisdom.

S: Bow down and acknowledge the authority of Jesus as our leader.

7 Prince of Peace—Discipleship

John 20:21 "As the father has sent me, even so I am sending you."

A: He called every one of us to partake in His work.

C: Focusing on our cost not what it cost Christ.

T: Including us and blessing us.

S: See our work through Jesus' eyes.

10 Friend—Class Partner

John 15:14 "You are my friend if you do what I command you. No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you."

A: He is a friend of sinners.

C: He served and wants us to do the same.

T: God calls us His friends.

S: Trusted friends of Jesus will hear His calling to serve Him as hands and feet.

2 Jesus—Unsaved/Family

John 14:6 "I am the way the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

A: Salvation.

C: Not persisting in prayer for the unsaved.

T: The only way.

S: Live out the message especially in this season.

5 Messiah—City

John 20:31 "But these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name."

A: Saviour of the World.

C: Believing that truth is relative.

T: Our city and the opportunity to pray for the unsaved.

S: Have mercy. Our city needs Jesus.

8 The Word—Class Members

1 Peter 1:25 "But the Word of the Lord endures forever. And this Word is the good news that was preached to you."

A: Everlasting Word.

C: Hearers and not doers of the Word.

T: Truth and application.

S: Hear and obey/Spiritual transformation.

11 Living Water—Living Bread Groups

John 7:38 "Whoever believes in Me, as Scripture has said, rivers of living water will flow from within them."

A: Life giver.

C: Not constantly going to the source of life.

T: Quenching power of the Living Water.

S: Direction and instruction in teaching and leading.

3 True Vine—Satellite Classes

John 15:1 "I am the true vine, and my father is the vinedresser."

A: Trusted gardener.

C: Not always remaining in Him.

T: His indwelling and pruning.

S: Trust in the work of the gardener.

6 Good Shepherd—Prayer Chairs

Hebrews 13:20-21 "Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant equip you with everything good that you may do His will working in us that which is pleasing in His sight."

A: Shepherd of the flock, our leader.

C: Relying on our strength.

T: Dependable and good shepherd

S: Help us in our weakness to see Him.

9 Guard—CBS Office

1 Corinthians 16:13 "Be on guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong."

A: Christ is our guard and assured foundation.

C: Not asking for courage and strength when needed.

T: Courage and faith because of Christ.

S: Always be on guard, for all we do is unto the Lord.

12 Sanctifier—Youth

John 17:17 "Sanctify them by your word."

A: Consecrator.

C: Forgetful of who we are in Christ.

T: We are set apart for Him.

S: Teach us how to live as Your ambassadors.

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13 Humble Servant—NST

Acts 3:26 “God, having raised up His servant, sent Him to you first, to bless you by turning every one of you from your wickedness.”

A: Servant

C: Attitude not in line with You.

T: Example of servant/service.

S: To be humble and submissive.

16 Begotten Son of God—CBS International

John 3:16 “For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.”

A: Loving God.

C: Forgiveness for doubting God's love for us in spite of giving us "His All, Christ".

T: For love that knows no bounds.

S: That the world know this love that saves. Salvation not by works but by faith in Christ.

19 Grace—Nations

Romans 1:5 “Through Him we received grace and apostleship to call all the Gentiles to obedience that comes from faith for His name's sake.”

A: Favour of God.

C: World that's gone astray.

T: Calling ALL to Yourself.

S: That the world would know of Your unmerited favour.

22 Immanuel—Children's Supervisors

Matthew 1:23 “Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall call His name Immanuel.”

A: Present and personal God.

C: Not understanding the power of Your presence.

T: Everlasting presence.

S: Remember the power of His presence in all situations.

14 Faithful—Prayer Groups

Psalms 89:5 “Let the heavens praise your wonders, O Lord, your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones.”

A: Dependable.

C: Fickleness.

T: Constant presence.

S: Faith in the power of prayer.

17 Bread of Life—ATDs

John 6:35 “I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.”

A: Giver of the living bread.

C: Not craving Spiritual food.

T: Fullness in Christ.

S: Seek the fullness of Christ first as we shepherd others.

20 Rock of Ages—TD

1 Corinthians 10:4 “And all drank the same spiritual food, and all drank from the Spiritual Rock that followed them, and the Rock was Christ.”

A: Solid Rock, unchanging, dependable.

C: Failure to drink from the Rock and self reliance.

T: Faith to believe in His steadfastness.

S: Strength and focus on the Lord's calling and direction.

23 Reconciler—Unity

Galatians 3:28 “There is neither Jew or Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus.”

A: Holds all together.

C: Anything in us that divides.

T: We are one in You, Lord.

S: Have the mind of Christ.

15 Consecrator—Prayer & Fasting

Acts 13:2 “While they were worshipping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, ‘Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.’”

A: Ordains all.

C: Shying away from our calling.

T: Reminding us of Your choice by Your Spirit.

S: Special anointment as we fast and pray.

18 Holy—Worship leaders

Revelation 4:8 “Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!”

A: Sacred and revered.

C: Lack of reverence.

T: Understands our weakness and will help us.

S: Teach us how to worship in Spirit and Truth.

21 Love—Coordinators

Psalms 89:2 “Steadfast love will be built up forever; in the heavens you will establish your faithfulness.”

A: Lover of our souls.

C: Selfishness.

T: You first loved us.

S: Show us how to love others with Your agape love as we serve You.

24 Light of the World—Government

John 8:12 “I am the light of the World. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.”

A: Light in the darkness.

C: Fear of man, not God.

T: Light outshines the darkness.

S: Leaders submit wanting His light.

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25 Christmas Day

Matthew 1:21-23 "She will give birth to a son, and you are to give Him the name Jesus, because He will save His people from their sins. All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through His prophet: 'The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call Him Immanuel' (which means "God with us")."

A: Fulfillment of your Word.

C: Forgetting the true meaning of Christmas.

T: Coming down to Earth so all may be saved.

S: We remember those who are suffering and mourning; help them find their joy in You.

28 King of Kings—Senior Leaders

Revelation 17:14 "These will wage war against the Lamb, and the Lamb will overcome them, because He is Lord of lords and King of kings, and those who are with Him are the called and chosen and faithful."

A: He calls and chooses.

C: Any doubt we have that we are His chosen ones.

T: His status as Lord is eternal as His choice for us.

S: Serve with confidence in His authority.

31 Gratitude Luke 1:46-55, Mary's song

"My soul glorifies the Lord

47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

48 for he has been mindful
of the humble state of his servant.

From now on all generations will call me blessed,

49 for the Mighty One has done great things for me—
holy is his name.

50 His mercy extends to those who fear him,
from generation to generation.

51 He has performed mighty deeds with his arm;

26 Wisdom—CBS Colorado US head office

John 5:19 "Jesus gave them this answer: 'Very truly I tell you the Son can do nothing by Himself; He can only do what He sees His Father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does.'"

A: Leader by example.

C: Forgetting His leadership.

T: Always instructing and guiding.

S: To submit to His leadership, wisdom and direction. Follow where He is leading.

29 Revealer—Children

Matthew 11:27 "All things have been committed to me by my Father. No one knows who the Son is except the Father, and no one knows who the Father is except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal Him."

A: Revealer, eye opener.

C: Blind to the truth and not asking.

T: Helping us see the truth like little children.

S: His truth will penetrate the heart of the children.

27 Healer/Comforter—Total healing body, mind, and soul

2 Corinthians 1:3 "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our affliction, so that we may be able to comfort those who are in any affliction with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God."

A: God of all comfort.

C: Not going to the source of comfort.

T: He knows our pain.

S: Those who are in the valley to rest in His loving arms and trust Him in a difficult season.

30 Burden Bearer—Children's Teachers

Matthew 11:28-30 "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your soul. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

A: Lifter of our heads.

C: Not seeking Jesus' help.

T: His grace is sufficient for us.

S: Turn every situation to Him, confident of His sufficiency.

he has scattered those who are proud in their inmost thoughts.

52 He has brought down rulers from their thrones
but has lifted up the humble.

53 He has filled the hungry with good things
but has sent the rich away empty.

54 He has helped his servant Israel,
remembering to be merciful

55 to Abraham and his descendants forever,
just as he promised our ancestors."