

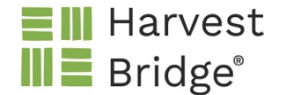


2021
August

Prayer Calendar

- 01 Sun. South Asia - Olympics**
In a time of so much hardship, pray for the success of athletes from our countries in the Olympics, which would give a reason to celebrate!
- 02 Mon. Nepal**
“Please remember Nepalese people and the situation we are facing here in your prayers. Covid-19 infections are still high. Because of heavy rain, everywhere there are landslides; three towns, each having 200+ houses were washed away, about 80 people died, over 100+ people are missing, and 15 highway bridges are collapsed. We don’t know when we’ll get vaccine. Our children’s education and board exams are uncertain. Please remember us in your prayers, and we do regularly and continuously remember you in our prayers.” ~ Pastor Shalva*, country director
- 03 Tues. Myanmar (Burma)**
“The shortage of oxygen is so real. The more we get oxygen, the more we can save lives.” ~ Pastor Pan*, country co-director. Pray for both directors - Pastors Pan and Thang - and their wives, who are all recovering from serious cases of Covid.
- 04 Wed. India**
Praise God for successful food distributions in dozens of communities throughout the country!
- 05 Thurs. Bangladesh**
Praise God for widespread vaccines, which are allowing missionaries to be able to travel again.
- 06 Fri. Andaman Islands**
“Pray for the parsonage construction and the need of my son's school fees.” ~ Pastor Ram*
- 07 Sat. Bhutan**
“The COVID-19 situation is worsening badly day to day and the Government has announced the shutdown up to 5th August to control the high number of deaths every day. So, we are living in a very terrible time. Remember us with your daily prayers.” ~ Pastor Darpan*, country director
- 08 Sun. Nepal-Tibet Border - Beginning of Sho Dun**
Pray for safety against the virus during one of Tibet’s largest festivals, which lasts for a week.

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- 09 Mon. Myanmar (Burma)**
“We are in great need of your prayer as before. Covid third wave kills many of our pastors - more than 50. Many other people died too & many people suffer badly. Nothing to do but just stay home with oxygen. But many people also died because of lack of oxygen. Even in my village almost every day people die.” ~ Pastor Thang*, country co-director
- 10 Tues. Bangladesh**
Praise God for increased access to the vaccine, earlier than expected due to international cooperation.
- 11 Wed. India**
“Pray as I am working to make fellowship for more independent missionaries in India, as they are getting less help than others.” ~ Pastor Jagan*, country director
- 12 Thurs. South Asia**
Pray for discernment for leaders as they seek to reach people for Christ, while navigating long-term societal and cultural shifts due to Covid-19.
- 13 Fri. Kashmir**
“We are working for a beauty parlour training project which we want to start in two places of Kashmir valley. The first is where there is a need where shepherd girls want training to start their livelihood and learn. The second one we want to start is in our city. So keep this in your prayers as crime rate against women is increasing day by day and so many women are committing suicide in Kashmir valley.” ~ Sarah*
- 14 Sat. Pakistan - Independence Day**
Pray for wise leaders to promote peace & justice in the country.
- 15 Sun. India - Independence Day**
Pray for wise government leaders to rise up as the country grows increasingly Hindu Nationalist, leading to continuing & growing violence against minorities, especially Muslims & Christians.

- 16 Mon. Nepal**
 Praise God that with your support, we were able to help the immediate needs of the families of 50 pastors & leaders who passed away from Covid-19 in May & June.
- 17 Tues. Bhutan**
 Praise God for a successful clinic at the India-Bhutan border, ministering to those who are unable to be treated in the hospital for Covid-19.
- 18 Wed. South Asia - Muharram/Ashura**
 As Sunni and Shia Muslims observe this occasion, pray for their hearts to turn toward the true God.
- 19 Thurs. India**
 "Praise God. Balvan* is age 33 and lives with his wife and six children. He had cancer in his body and his whole body became ill and weak. He spent a lot of money, but there was no benefit; witchcraft & goat sacrifice did not work either. We met Balvan's family and we told them about Jesus Christ. At first, they felt bad because Jesus Christ is not Indian; but when we told them with a sincere heart, they believed. We prayed for them and invited them to our church. God cured his cancer in 15 days. Today, this family is completely healthy and has believed in Jesus Christ" ~ Ahana*
- 20 Fri. Myanmar (Burma)**
 Pray that the local church continues to seek peace and justice as the military junta shows no sign of being stopped. Pray for supernatural hope in a time of constant grief and fear.
- 21 Sat. Bangladesh**
 Praise God for about 110 new believers who were baptized last month after discipleship.
- 22 Sun. Nepal - Janai Purnima**
 During this time of Shaman spiritual renewal, pray for Christians to be bold in introducing people to new life in Jesus.
- 23 Mon. Andaman Islands**
 As the islands open back up after lockdown, pray for energy and vision as pastors and missionaries go back to in-person church services & ministry.
- 24 Tues. Kashmir**
 "Thanks to the Lord God who has helped us; Corona was spreading like wildfire all over in our nation and God has been gracious, protecting us from this Coronavirus. Even now - praise the Lord - the revival fire has been spreading and there has been an increase in the number of the people who pray for our nation. We need more prayers to preach the Gospel as much as possible." ~ Sarah*
- 25 Wed. Bhutan**
 Pray for followers of Christ as they follow up and disciple new believers, who accepted Christ during the pandemic. Pray that deep roots will take hold.
- 26 Thurs. Pakistan**
 Pray for protection against the virus for families and teachers in the small town where we support a Christian school.
- 27 Fri. Nepal-Tibet Border**
 "My main ministry prayer request is: for my ministry so I can work for the Lord, focusing on different areas by using new & different methods and ways of doing ministry." ~ Sister Riti*
- 28 Sat. India**
 Pray for the logistical planning process by regional leaders for Bible distributions for hundreds of new believers throughout their ministries.
- 29 Sun. Bangladesh**
 "Pray as we would like to gather small groups of persecuted people for training and encouragement in different regions. Physical relief will not always come, but this would be a time for local persecuted believers to be encouraged and taught to rely on the Lord and depend on the Word." ~ Pastor Darpan*, country director
- 30 Mon. South Asia - Krishna Janmashtami**
 As Hindus celebrate the birth of their god, Krishna, pray against increased spiritual warfare.
- 31 Tues. Myanmar (Burma)**
 Pray for pastors and missionaries as they seek discernment in how to lead and disciple in such an extreme time of upheaval.

*Names changed for safety