

# MISSION PRAYER

July 22, 2024

Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving.  
*Colossians 4:2*

Dear Texas Mission Partners,

*Mission Prayer calls you to prayer. Jesus tells us to ask the Lord of the harvest to send workers into the harvest. In this, we see the heart of God, the mission of Jesus, and the initial action of disciples in the building of the Kingdom, namely prayer. This is counter to the cultural context that insists we take action and stop thinking. Will you assist in building the Kingdom? Sit down and make prayer for the mission a priority in your life of faith.*

## Mission Stories



### Church Workers

Area D  
Texas District



### New Servants Begin Their Journey in Area D

In April, five promising individuals embarked on a journey of service in Area D. They were officially assigned as vicars and intern deaconesses during a special service at St. Timothy Lutheran Church. Under the mentorship of Rev. Rodrigo Fernandez, Rev. Brad Jurisch, and LINC Houston, these new servants are eager to learn, grow, and contribute to the ministry

with enthusiasm and dedication.

Stay tuned for updates on their progress and the meaningful service they bring to Area D!

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## Mission Prayers

- Praise for the ten families God has uniquely gifted, who are part of our leadership launch team
- Pray for hearts in Midlothian who have not yet met their Savior to be receptive to him
- Pray for God's guidance for me and my wife, as she seeks to secure a job where she can serve and connect in the community



**St. John's Church  
Plant**  
Midlothian  
*Rev. Tim Perkins*

### Lutheran Schools

*ACTS of Love, Leander  
Marta Santos*

*Faith Lutheran Preschool, Stephenville  
Lauren Johnson*

### Evangelists

*Mark Thomas  
Edge Church of Azle, Azle*

*Karla Valverde  
Faith, Grand Prairie*

## Next Steps For Partners



### Join Evangelist Training Session

In this 8-session training, you'll gain the tools to make disciples who make disciples.

Visit the [Evangelist Training Series](#) for more information and to register.

### Give To Texas Partners in Mission

- Start-up grant for a church planter
- Sponsor training and coaching for



- an evangelist
- Provide a scholarship for an EIIT or SMP student
- Support a new church plant

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Project 242



Expansion Ministries



Intentional Transitional Pastor



Strengthening Congregations

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