

April 21, 2025

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 Outreach

St. Paul Lutheran Church, Wichita Falls



From Mission Sunday to Missional Living: ESL Ministry at St. Paul, Wichita Falls

In the heart of Wichita Falls, Texas, something beautiful is unfolding at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Known for its historic presence and longstanding faithfulness, this congregation is experiencing a season of renewal, fueled by a fresh vision for mission and love for its neighbors.

In October 2023, I was invited to preach at St. Paul for Mission Sunday. Following the service, I had the opportunity to meet with Pastor Stinnette and members of the church's leadership team. Our conversation focused on the hopes and challenges of outreach in their community, and it was clear that the Lord had already been preparing their hearts for a new mission initiative...

Read Rev. Guerra's Complete Story

## Mission Prayers

- Pray for more disconnected people in the North Houston area to get connected to Jesus and His Church
- Pray for Pastor Nelson and his work with Christ My Savior
- Pray for more workers to be sent out into the harvest field (Church planters, evangelists, everyday missionaries, etc.)



The Dwelling
Porter
Rev. Seth Kunze

#### **Lutheran Schools**

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Roberto Espitia Grace, Arlington

**Lucia Espitia** Grace, Arlington

Odessa Fielder Grace Divine, Hurst

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