

# MISSION PRAYER

December 15, 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  
Planting

Vietnamese  
Lutheran,  
Houston



### Vietnamese Lutheran Ministry Grows in Houston & Pasadena

Under the faithful leadership of Pastor Andrew Nguyen, the Vietnamese Lutheran ministry in Houston and Pasadena is experiencing steady growth. What began with just five participants has now blossomed into a community of twenty.

The ministry celebrated five baptisms! Weekly Sunday lunches have become a warm and inviting bridge to the surrounding neighborhood—simple meals that open the door to friendship, conversation, and the hope of the Gospel.

Partnerships with Christ Memorial and Zion Pasadena continue to provide strong encouragement and support, offering stability as the ministry expands. Training new leaders remains a focus as the team prepares for further outreach among the Vietnamese community.

Please join us in praying for this growing ministry—that God would strengthen its leaders, open doors for connection, and draw many more into the saving love of Jesus.

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## Mission Prayers

### Focus Ministry

*Vietnamese Lutheran Church (Houston & Pasadena)*

*Rev. Andrew Nguyen*

1. Praise God for the new and continued relationships, and especially baptisms, that are the fruit of Vietnamese Lutheran's ministry.
2. Pray for the continued growth of this ministry under Pastor Nguyen's leadership.
3. Pray for Vietnamese Lutheran's partner congregations and this mission they share.

### Lutheran Schools

Our Redeemer Lutheran School

*Dallas*

Great Beginnings Childcare

*Harlingen*

### Evangelists

Rev. Mark Pulliam

*Lazarus, Spring*

Wayne Muller

*Lazarus, Spring*

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