

MISSION PRAYER

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

Dear Texas Mission Partners,

The greatest missional contribution you can make is to pray. Jesus tells us to ask the Lord of the harvest to send workers into the field. In this, we see the heart of God, the mission of Jesus, and the initial action of disciples in building the Kingdom: prayer. In a culture that insists we constantly keep moving and doing, it is all the more important to be still and ask God to take action. Will you answer His invitation to meet with you? Join us and prioritize prayer for the Kingdom.

Mission Stories



Disaster Relief

Grace
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Church,
Menard



Hope Rising After the Flood

It was a meaningful and humbling moment to witness Pastor Tim Rosenthal present a check to the Long-Term Recovery Group in San Angelo, supporting the ongoing work of helping families rebuild after the devastating July 4th floods. Standing there, it was clear that while much of the public attention centered on Kerrville, the destruction reached far beyond—impacting communities like San Angelo and Menard in ways many still do not fully see.

Months later, so many families are still struggling. Homes remain damaged, resources are limited, and the road to recovery feels long. In areas that received

little media coverage, the need is especially great, and the poverty even more evident. Yet in the midst of hardship, God is at work through His people.

Pastor Tim's leadership at Grace Lutheran Church is a powerful example of this. Through his partnership with Menard Missions in Menard, Texas, he is helping bring hope to families who otherwise have little to no financial means to repair their homes. Together, they are not only providing materials, but also offering shelter, meals, and a place for volunteers to serve—meeting both physical and spiritual needs with compassion and care.

We are deeply grateful for the generous outpouring of support from individuals, churches, and organizations across the country. These gifts are more than financial—they are a reflection of Christ's love in action. Because of this kindness, families in San Angelo, Menard, and beyond are reminded that they are not forgotten, and that hope continues to rise even in the midst of hardship.

This gift represents more than assistance—it is a reminder that the Church is present, walking alongside those who are hurting, offering both help and hope. It is the body of Christ at work, serving one another in love.

“Let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.” — Galatians 6:9

We continue to pray for these communities—for strength in the long recovery, for provision where there is need, and for hope to rise even in the hardest places. There is still much work to be done, but we trust that God is faithful, and He will continue to provide through His people.

By Julie Tucker
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