

WARRIORS ON THE WALL

AUGUST 2010 PRAYER GUIDE

“I have posted watchmen on your walls O Jerusalem; they will never be silent day or night. You who call on the Lord, give yourselves no rest and give Him no rest till He establishes Jerusalem and makes her the praise of the earth.” Isaiah 62:6-7
(This verse is for Jerusalem, however we can also pray this for Island ECC.)

We receive:

Hebrews 10:19-25

- ¹⁹Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus,
²⁰by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, His body,
²¹and since we have a great priest over the house of God,
²²let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water.
²³Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for He who promised is faithful.
²⁴And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds.
²⁵Let us not give up on meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another—and all the more as you see the day approaching.

We memorise:

John 14:6

Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.”

Pray for:

TOBIN MILLER, Teaching Pastor

- Continue to pray for the core leaders and all of those going to serve at the church plant of Watermark Church. Pray that this summer would be a time of refreshing and renewal.
- Pray that God’s Spirit would be preparing the hearts and minds of those in Area 15 to hear the gospel message and that those in the new church would reach out to people in love and grace.
- Pray that the Lord would continue to bring servant-leaders to Watermark Church as it prepares for its First Service on October 10.
- Pray for the Miller family as we go on home leave this summer. Pray that this would be a relaxing, refreshing and fun time for us back in the States.

KATHY HAMILTON, Director of Women’s Ministries

Isaiah 58:11

- Praise God for Priscilla and Shannon for leading the summer study.
- Praise God for the new women He has brought to Hong Kong and to our summer study.
- Pray for lives to be changed through the study, Becoming a Woman of Simplicity.
- Pray for Bible study leaders to be rested and well prepared for the fall session.
- Pray for God’s enabling and provision for Women’s Ministry Mission Trip.

VIVIAN LAW, Director of Arts and Design

- Pray for a teachable heart and sensitivity to His guidance and creative input for the upcoming projects.
- Pray for good stewardship in time and resources.
- Praise Him for the wonderful trip to Scandinavia and for showing me His glory in nature.
- Pray for spiritual revival in the Scandinavian area and for God to fill those empty ancient churches with praise and worship.
- Pray for salvation of my family.

RICKI YUEN, Associate Director of Volunteers Ministries

- Praise God for His provision in leading Kathryn, Jenny Tao, Joyce Fung, Mila Palao, Beth Seguin and Anita Kwok to Volunteers Ministry and their faithfulness in taking up leadership position. Ask God to pour His wisdom and guidance to them.
- Pray for protection for Brenda Lau and her family as they travel to Korea. Pray that she could rest and enjoy her time with family and be refreshed and renewed in Him.
- Praise God for the weddings I have been invited to in July and August. Pray for God's blessing upon June & Ross, Leora & Jeff, Jessie & Sing and Michelle & Ka. Pray for these couples to have a God-centred marriage and be an example to others.
- Praise God for restoring and softening my brother's heart. Pray for him to continue to have clear direction in life and be guided towards Him.
- Pray for the unity of volunteers and staff for the 1040 movie event on August 9. Pray that God's love will come through and hearts will be touched and drawn near to Him.

PRISCILLA HUI, Coordinator of Women's Ministries and Global Outreach

- Praise God that over 20 women are attending summer study.
- Praise God for fruitful Rwanda trip and Tin Shui Wai camp (over 50 Hong Kong youth joined).
- Pray for the mission trips and on the ground people: Indonesia, Mongolia and Uganda. Pray for safety and fruitful ministries.
- Continue to pray for wedding planning and logistical arrangement overseas to prepare Marc and I.
- Pray for my parent's salvation.

SYLVIA EVANS, Director of Ministry Support

- Praise God for Nick Vujicic's testimony shared in June where several people accepted Christ.
- Praise God for the new pastors coming on board this month!
- Praise God for a safe trip home for me and my son in June to reconnect with family.
- Pray for the upcoming birth of my baby girl in August. Please pray for a healthy delivery and for my toddler son, Miles, to adjust well to having a sibling.
- Pray for the Ministry Support team as we get ready for the new fiscal year that starts in September. Pray for patience and wisdom as they adjust to the many changes taking place soon.

SPORTS FELLOWSHIP

- Pray for safety and good fellowship during all sports activities this month.
- Pray for the leaders, volunteers and participants to be blessed and drawn into the church community and closer to God's calling.
- Pray that people who are not attending church would be attracted to the love and joy the sports team have and be curious.

CHARLOTTE LUI, Coordinator of Prayer and Ministry Support

Deuteronomy 7:22

- Praise God for Island ECC; its uniqueness due to His creative arrangement of lives and circumstances. Thank Him for all His works and blessings to us. Pray that we would be a church known in making Jesus popular wherever He positions us.
- Thank God for sending faithful, obedient and loving prayer intercessors to our church. Pray that every prayer intercessor would continuously experience Him personally in their lives so that they can share His love to everyone around them.
- Praise God for His protection, guidance, patience and consideration for me; ask Him to continue to teach, mold and help me to be the daughter He wants me to be at home, at work, with friends and with strangers. Pray also that I would continuously depend and seek Him on what to pray and how to serve wholeheartedly.
- Continue to pray for my father and grandma's salvation. Thank God for His works in their lives. Ask God to help me wait patiently on His timing, trust Him and not to focus on my time table and perception.

HONG KONG AND WORLD FOCUS

Matthew 27:37

- Praise God for His holiness, precious, unending and unique love for each of us.
- Thank God for the leaders of our city and country, race, workplace, church and family. Ask for His help to remind us to continue to fulfill our intercessory responsibility and be constantly reminded that He heard all our prayers and delights in it.
- Pray for the believers on earth never to forget God's precepts, for by them God have preserved our lives.
- Pray that God would continue to reveal Himself to the world, protect it from evil and let the people see and identify the deception of this fallen world and unceasingly admit our helplessness.
- Pray for God's children to long to learn how to worship Him in spirit and in truth, obey His command on praying continually and hunger for His love and perspective on everything.